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LIVE STOCK MARKET

HEAVY SUPPLY OF CATTLE ON THE MARKET.

Market was Slow Opening, but at Last Trading Began and Selling was Weak to 10 Lower on Steers, Except the Best Finished—Cows Weak and Lower, Except in a Few Cases.

LIGHTNESS OF HOG RUN DISAPPOINTS TRADERS.

Total Receipts Less Than 500—Market Strong to 5 Higher on Best Finished Stuff—Others Steady.

RECEIPTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Today	5,000	500	1,800
Last month	2,824	707	11,063
Same day 1903	4,883	1,323	34

Official Receipts Saturday.

Cattle	1,303
Hogs	375
Sheep	427

Range of Selling Prices Today.

CATTLE—Steers, top $4.25, bulk $3.50@3.80. Cows, top $3.15, bulk $2.15@2.60.
HOGS—Top $4.90, bulk $4.60@4.80.

THE CATTLE TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Steers—Good to strict choice	$3.75@4 70
Medium fed	3 25@3 65
Stockers and feeders	2 50@3 25
Yearlings	1 25@2 50
Cows—Choice heavy fed	2 75@3 50
Medium butcher	2 25@2 75
Cutters	1 75@2 25
Canners	1 00@1 75
Bulls, stags and oxen	1 50@3 25
Calves—Good to fancy veals	3 00@4 00
Common to fair	1 00@2 75

Receipts of cattle today were liberal. While not as many were in as last Monday, there were more cattle on sale.

At the opening market 130 cars were in the pens for sale, with about 40 going through.

Cattle came stringing in throughout the day, and when all were yarded total receipts were estimated to figure close around 5,000, against 8,042 for the opening day last week, 2,824 for the same Monday in May, and 4,883 for the corresponding day one year ago.

BEEF STEERS.

The supply of steers today was liberal, the bulk of which were medium grades, with only a few loads of well finished cattle to be had.

In spite of the fact that packers, butchers and shippers were all in the market for steers, and realizing there were fully enough to go around, bidding was lower, and early trading ruled slow and draggy. By noon business became more active.

Salesmen seeing they would have to take off some, cut loose, and while there was no noticeable decline on the best finished steers, the common to medium grades sold generally on a weak to 10c lower basis compared with last week.

Two loads of steers averaging 1100 lbs. topped the market at $4.35, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $3.40@3.80.

Good to choice heavy fed steers are selling at a range of from $3.75@4.70, medium fed from $3.25@3.65, stockers and feeders $2.50@3.25, and yearlings $1.50@2.50.

Representative sales:

No.	Ave.	Price
50	1100	4 35
16	1076	4 25
56	1083	4 20
20	965	4 00
24	1025	4 00
25	1022	4 00
49	979	3 80
46	947	3 80
27	901	3 70
40	1002	3 65
26	845	3 50
15	749	3 50
39	981	3 50
25	991	3 50
36	638	3 50
130	925	3 50
22	874	3 45
24	960	3 40
26	901	3 40
38	905	3 35
45	906	3 35
1	1060	3 25
1	1060	3 25
28	863	3 20
28	760	3 00
28	752	3 00
61	757	3 00
90	757	3 00

BUTCHER STOCK.

The liberal supply of cows today was of fairly good quality.

There was a good demand from all quarters, but buyers seemed to be in no hurry, and salesmen were up against a spotted trade. There were cases where the cows just suited and salesmen quoted the market strong, but the general opinion centered on a weak to 10c lower basis.

A few good cows were good enough to sell around $3 and better, but the general run of sales landed at a range of from $2.25@2.50.

Good to choice cows are selling at a range of from $2.75@3.50, medium butchers $2.25@2.75, cutters $1.75@2.25, and canners $1.00@1.75.

The supply of bulls was light and selling ruled about steady and landed around $3.25.

Good to choice bulls, stags and oxen are quoted at a range of from $2.50@3.25, with common to fair kinds from $1.50@2.50.

Cows.

117	850	3 15
16	806	3 00
2	885	3 00
13	847	3 00
1	860	2 75
2	845	2 75
1	1030	2 75
4	682	2 75
31	720	2 25
1	840	2 75
28	823	2 70
26	924	2 60
29	630	2 60
3	740	2 50
2	960	2 50
1	930	2 50
29	767	2 35
29	775	2 35
5	734	2 35
25	688	2 30
13	604	2 25
4	687	2 25
33	752	2 25
23	726	2 15
1	780	2 00
21	718	2 00
17	712	1 70
5	714	1 50
2	655	1 50
1	720	1 50
1	550	1 50

Bulls.

3 stags	1442	3 50
3	1123	2 60
2	1115	2 25

CALVES.

The calf supply was fairly liberal, but with a good demand from both packers and speculators, trading ruled about steady, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $3.00@3.50. Good to choice vealers are quoted at a range of $3.00@4.00, with the common to fair kind from $1.50@3.00.

1	120	4 00
1	140	4 00
3	126	3 75
2	160	3 75
12	150	3 50
30	167	3 50
2	130	3 50
1	210	2 50
2	355	2 50
17	155	3 25
18	150	3 25
63	155	3 25
8	174	3 00
1	250	3 00
1	180	3 00
1	180	3 00
1	310	2 50
1	260	2 00
2	262	2 00
1	200	1 75
1	210	1 25

THE HOG TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Choice sorted	$4 75@4 90
Mixed packers	4 50@4 75
Lights	4 35@4 50
Pigs	3 75@4 25
Stags and roughs	3 00@3 75

Another disappointing light run of hogs came in today. Traders as a rule were expecting heavier receipts the first day of the week, but the run was about on an average with the light supplies of last week.

Six cars were unloaded early with none reported, and with only a few wagon hogs in, total receipts figured about 500, against 476 for the opening day last week, 707 for the same Monday in May, and 1,323 for the corresponding day one year ago.

Over half the supply came in from the Territory, but outside of one load, offerings were largely mixed and of light weight.

There was a strong demand from both packers, and though there was a little dispute over higher prices at the opening, the supply was weighed early with the best corn fed hogs selling strong to 5 higher, and medium and mixed hogs generally about steady.

One load of corn fed Territory hogs averaging 235 pounds, topped the market at $4.90, with the bulk of sales at a range of from $4.60@4.80, and pigs from $3.72½@4.40.

Good to choice sorted are quoted at a range of from $4.75@4.90, mixed packers $4.50@4.75, light grades $4.35@4.55, pigs $3.75@4.25, and boars, stags and roughs from $3.00@3.75.

Representative sales:

Hogs.

No.	Ave.	Price
2	215	3 50
44	147	4 55
42	147	4 55
14	241	4 75
34	211	4 75
32	217	4 75
49	199	4 80
68	235	4 90

Pigs and Lights.

34	96	3 72½
16	93	4 10
5	128	4 25
14	104	4 30
43	143	4 40
39	145	4 40
21	148	4 45

HORSES AND MULES

Horses.

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

Mules.

13½ to 14 hands, fat	$ 50@ 60
14 to 14½ hands, fat	75@ 85
14½ to 15 hands, fat	90@120
15 to 15½ hands, fat	125@140
15½ to 16 hands, fat with quality	145@160
16 to 16½ hands, extra, 1,200 to 1,500	165@175

THE SHEEP TRADE

Today's Quotations.

Lambs	3 50@5 25
Wethers	3 50@4 10
Ewes	2 50@3 50
Culls	1 50@2 50

RECEIPTS AT THE YARDS TODAY.

Cattle.

G. J. Allen, Cotulla	30
J. C. B., Beeville	27
C. H. Skidmore, Hebbronville	53
Borden & D., Rosenberg	57
O. G. Hugo, Dilley	26
J. J. Summers, Cuero	124
Jno. Clegg, Cuero	23
Sellers Bros., Gonzales	54
J. R. Tinsley, Gonzales	28
Dan T. Price, Jr., Delmont	27
N. A. Flato, Shiner	26
R. A. Serra & Co., Sabinal	83
Serra & Wadenpole, D'Hanis	53
Wm. Buehrig, Cuero	75
Geo. Thomas, Cuero	24
Lord & Miller, Cuero	73
North & Buehrig, Cuero	73
J. L. Dubose, Cuero	50
T. T. Summers, Cuero	51
Honey & L., Cleburne	84
E. H. East, Benavides	27
Hoffman & Co., Benavides	84
E. R. Rachal, Benavides	54
Pa Presnall, Benavides	63
W. H. Brooks, Benavides	30
H. A. Swink, Richland	26
Jas. Cooper, Richland	31
J. T. Vandike, Richland	30
W. A. Parks, Richland	28
A. F. Busby & Co., Ennis	120
King Bros., Ennis	52
R. W. Griffith, Telfner	104
Lightfoot, Eastland	90
J. F. Marberry, Monahans	105
Will Lake, Justin	142
Lake & Clark, Justin	143
Moore & Allen, Cline	130
C. H. Arnold, Morgan	35
J. N. Payne, Houston	58
W. R. Bryhum, Houston	55
Lewis & Lee, Waxahachie	35
F. A. Flowers, Bruceville	30
L. & Miller, Sealy	50
Lon Polk, Davis, I. T.	44
J. W. Martin, Duncan, I. T.	86
W. P. Nunn, Snyder, O. T.	64
Morgan & Smith, Bowie	34
Dodson & Bostic, Granbury	65
Green & Thorp, Granbury	32
Gus Gaber, Granbury	88
W. A. Spiller & Son, Brady	54
J. T. Baker & Bro., Brady	73
W. M. Bryson, Brady	41
H. Gregory, Brownwood	102
Connell & Huffstetter, Brownwood	60
T. A. Smith, Bluffdale	102
E. M. W. & Co., Baird	56
D. W. W. & Co., Baird	33
W. B. Ellis, Baird	76
Burch Green, Eastland	33
G. W. Sutherland, Blessing	293
W. B. Blocton, Burton	33
Through shipments—	
W. A. Lowe, Pearsall	226
J. M. Williams, Pearsall	72
Ward & Power, Yorktown	103
Hotchkiss & Kerr, San Antonio	56
Holden, San Antonio	24
J. B. Baker, Karnes City	76
B. L. Moore, Frost	97
W. N. Fleming, Sinton	131
J. J. Welder, Sinton	150

Driven-In Cattle.

W. C. Miller	10
M. Sansom	25
Morris & Campbell	3
John Duncan	2
— Rowland	1
— Myers	2
Hampton & Hallthorp	13
S. C. Ray	1
Davis & Goodyer	16

Hogs.

W. E. Weathersbee, Bedias	73
J. L. Foster, Coyle, O. T.	92
Morgan & Smith, Bowie	19
W. Moore, Weatherford	90
Heaton & Mills, Hydro, O. T.	92
H. R. Paden, Geary, O. T.	88

Sheep.

J. C. Clarkson, Comstock	1,302
C. L. Reese, Matagorda	251

Goats.

J. R. Crayton, Abilene	258

Horses and Mules.

C. & S., Justin	25
S. S. McCarver, Pueblo, Colo.	26
Y. Yates, Trinidad, Colo.	25

BUYERS ON SATURDAY'S MARKET.

Cattle.

Swift & Co.	308
Armour & Co.	110
F. & S.	19
Wigglesworth	50
Chesser	19
Others	7

Calves.

Swift & Co.	24

Hogs.

Swift & Co.	273
Armour & Co.	102

Sheep.

Armour & Co.	159
Swift & Co.	137

HOGS IN HOPKINS COUNTY.

Sulphur Springs Gazette: One thing is certain, the man who is long on the combination alfalfa-bermuda-hog in Hopkins county will find that there is always a demand for his product at the Fort Worth packing houses. There are more and better hogs in Hopkins than ever before in the county's history. The surplus is as saleable as cotton and a long ways more profitable.

Don't require a young sow to raise too many pigs.

PRESIDENT IS STILL FIRM.

Will Not Suspend Order to Cattlemen to Move Fences.

A news dispatch from Washington relates the experience of W. A. Paxton of Omaha, Neb., with the president, in trying to get him to reconsider and modify his order for the immediate removal of all fences or to reverse his order, which, as Mr. Paxton says, the result means reversion to range system and the serious crippling of stock raising and the packing industries.

"The result of my conference with the president is soon told," said Mr. Paxton. "I failed. The president told me he could do nothing. I think I presented the case to him just as it is, and gave him a good idea of the disastrous consequences that threaten the enforcement of the order. But he said that the law was on the statute books, and would have to be enforced."

When asked what the result of the enforcement of the order would be, Mr. Paxton said:

"One of the earliest consequences will be that as many cattlemen as can do so will dispose of their stock as advantageously as possible, and will engage in other business. This means the serious crippling of the cattle-growing industry in many of the Western states, and further than that it means a heavy loss to the stock yards and packing houses."

DOESN'T DEPEND ON CATTLE.

Cattleman Who Finds Money in Raising Horses and Sheep.

Sheep and horses with cattle, is the idea of S. L. McNay, one of Runnels county's leading cattlemen. Mr. McNay owns a ranch of about 8,000 acres, on which he carries 700 head of cattle, about 1,300 sheep and 150 head of horses. He says that the sheep and horses are the profitable end of the investment, and without them his ranch would have proved a losing investment during the last year. The idea of combining cattle and sheep, he says, is receiving very favorable consideration in that section, cattlemen arriving at a realization of the fact that if they are to continue in the stock business under existing conditions they must get out of the old ruts in which they have been traveling for the last twenty-five years. Some of the cattlemen who have been the most violent in their denunciation of the sheep industry in past years are now converts to the new system, and in every instance are making money out of the combination.

Mr. McNay says his experience has demonstrated that a pasture can be what is called fully stocked with cattle and still carry a very respectable bunch of sheep, aggregating double the number of cattle. The sheep represent just that much clear profit, as if the pasture is fenced with about seven wires the expense of a herder can be dispensed with, and the sheep handled just like cattle. He expresses the opinion that the time is not far distant when all of West Texas is going to adopt this new idea of what he terms live stock diversification, and thinks it will mean a wonderful revival of the sheep industry in a section that is well adapted to the avocation. He says that is but adapting the individual to the West instead of adapting the West to the individual, and will bring to that section its greatest and most permanent era of prosperity.

STATUS OF IRRIGATION.

Decision of Court of Appeals Affecting Water Rights.

The Fort Worth court of Civil Appeals rendered a decision last Saturday regarding rights to water used for irrigation in this state, which seems to add to the uncertainty of the law. The question involved the right of the upper owners of streams to appropriate all waters for irrigation as against the lower owners. The court held that the upper owners had no superior right to the lower owners, and that the use of the water must be reasonable.

What is a "reasonable" use of water? That is a question that the upper appropriator and the man below him will have differing views about, and the only way to settle the dispute is a lawsuit.

Now that irrigation is coming so generally into use in Texas, it is time for the legislature to enact proper laws for the encouragement of irrigation and the protection of irrigators.

GOATS FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Famous Milch Goats of Switzerland Will Be on Exhibit.

W. A. Shafor, secretary of the American Milch Goat association, writes Col. Mills, the chief of the department of live stock of the World's Fair, that a large number of the famous milch goats of Switzerland, island of Malta and other places, where milch goats have been brought to a high state of usefulness, will be exhibited at the Universal Exposition.

The National Goat Dairy company has sent a man to Europe for 500 head of milch goats, the best of which will be exhibited at the World's Fair.

Mr. Shafor has applied for a date on behalf of the American Milch Goat association for a public sale of milch goats to be held on the exposition grounds during the period of exhibition of sheep and goats at the World's Fair.

THE ANT IS HARMLESS.

Texas Will Not Suffer on Account of Its Introduction.

The proposition to induce the Guatemalan ant in Texas to prey upon boll weevils has caused some uneasiness. The fear is that the ant may be worse than the weevil. Senator Bailey wrote to Secretary Wilson, voicing this feeling, and asking if the Guatemalan ant was harmful. Replying to him, the secretary writes:

"I have your favor of the 4th, with regard to the possibility of damage to vegetation generally by the introduction of the Guatemalan ant which attacks the boll weevil. This ant has been in the cotton fields of Guatemala for generations back. The Indians grow cotton and have learned that they can not grow it without this particular ant. When they move into any new country, they take the ant with them. We have samples of the creature on the way now for experimentation and observation, and will study it during the coming summer, and both department scientists and the people of Texas will have opportunity to conclude with regard to its more extensive introduction. There are numerous species of ants in Texas now that are hostile to the boll weevil, but they are not as expeditious as this Guatemalan creature, which paralyzes them in an instant by stinging them. We have the eyes of all the department scientists on all sides of this question, and will take all pains and precautions to conserve the interests of the good people of Texas."

ABOUT THE STOCK YARDS TODAY.

O. G. Hugo from Frio county sold 24 cows averaging 742 at $2.25.

Bunch Green sold 33 head of Eastland county cows of 752 pounds at $2.35.

King Bros. from Ellis county sold 49 steers of 979 pounds average at $3.80.

J. L. Foster from Coyley, O. T., sold 49 hogs of 199 pounds average at $4.80, and 43 of 143 at $4.40.

James Cooper had in a load of cows from Navarro county that averaged 765 pounds and sold at $2.35.

Serra & Wadenpole sent in from Uvalde county 29 cows of 821 pounds that sold at $3, and 40 steers of 1002 at $3.65.

A. L. Busbee had 3 loads of steers in from Ellis county. He sold 24 of 1007 pounds at $4, and 46 of 947 lbs. at $3.80.

George McClung topped the market today with 50 head of 1100-pound steers that sold at $4.35. They were from Johnson county.

The 5-cent hog seems almost in sight. He was within a dime of that price today. But maybe he won't be as near there at the end of the week.

Though the cattle run today did not compare with that of last Monday in numbers, there were as many on the market. Total receipts today were 5,000, with about 4,000 offered for sale.

Workers at the yards will be glad to know that the Exchange cafe, which closed down a few days ago, will reopen tomorrow. Mr. Watson of the Delaware hotel, Fort Worth, will have the management of the cafe, and his service is always of the best.

PROFITS IN EGGS AND POULTRY.

Figures Presented by a Texas Woman Showing Results.

Mr. George C. Hurley of Sulphur Springs, Tex., writes to the Gazette of that town:

I want to say that the poultry industry is now the greatest of any one industry in America, and is growing daily. Now to the profits. Mr. G. H. Northup sold to Mr. Von Schultzensteins twenty-three black Minorcas this year for four thousand dollars. One of the twenty-three he paid one thousand dollars for. It was a cockerel weighing only eight pounds. So Mr. S. paid $4,000 for his start in the poultry business.

Mr. W. R. Fishel sold to the Suffolk poultry farm, on Long Island, one white Plymouth cock for $500 and four hens for $100 each, making $900 for five chickens. Now I could tell you of lots more sales of this kind. I merely mention these two to show you what a craze there is for fancy poultry.

Now we come to common folks' poultry and eggs. I raised four barred Plymouth Rock hens that were sold for $50. I am now paying from five to eight dollars per hundred for good eggs from thorough-bred poultry and using them to experiment with, so as to get my incubator more perfect. This may seem very high to some of you, but it is as cheap as I can buy them, and can hardly buy them at that. A hen can be penned up and every bit of feed bought her at the present prices of grain, and she can be fed on less than one dollar per year. Now it is a very easy thing to get hens that will lay 200 eggs per year, which is about sixteen dozen eggs per year, and if you only get 12½ cents per dozen for them you have a net profit of about $1 per year per hen. If you let your hen have free range it is all profit. You can't do this with the common dunghill hen.

Now to broilers. You can easily get 25c per head for them on this market, and in Dallas and Fort Worth they are now worth 40 to 45 cents per head, and will go to 50 cents before the year is gone. You can easily raise a chicken to a broiler for 4c and buy every grain of food it eats at the present prices. Say you are running several incubators and can turn off 100 chicks per week. Feed for chicks, $4; oil for incubator, three gallons, 60 cents; total, $4.60. One hundred chicks, $25. You have a net profit of $20.40. Do you see anything in it to yourself? I hear some one say you can't raise them. I contradict that and say I can raise nearly everyone that is hatched out, let it be May, June or any other time.

Well, I have tired your patience long enough for this time. My next will be the incubator and the hen on the farm.

There is being shipped now from this place over three thousand dollars worth of eggs and poultry per month.

SALLY AND I ARE OUT.

Reading, Pa., May 28.—An unusual execution for $800 has been issued here against D. A. Wisser, a farmer of Greenwich. It is based on a judgment note given three months ago by the husband to his wife on condition that she return to his home after their separation.

Attached to the note is an agreement in which Wisser promises not to use liquor to excess. The agreement provided if he lives up to his pledge the judgment note was to become void.

Mrs. Wisser alleges he did not observe the agreement; that he repeatedly became intoxicated and abused her.

She left him and proceeded to collect on the note. The sheriff will levy on Wisser's farm.

He will resist the proceedings on the ground that such an agreement between husband and wife will not hold in law.

GENERAL NOTES.

The Cotton Belt special for the Nashville reunion carried about 800 members of the Confederate associations. It pulled out of the depot in Fort Worth on schedule time, and arrived at Texarkana ahead of time, with everybody happy and satisfied that they came that way.

DAILY WEATHER FORECAST.

Weather Bureau, Fort Worth, June 13.—Local weather forecast: Tonight and Tuesday, generally cloudy weather.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKET REPORTS.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Chicago	22,000	37,000	20,000
Kansas City	10,000	8,000	1,500
St. Louis	7,000	3,500	6,000
	39,000	48,500	27,500

Chicago.

Special to The Reporter.

Union Stock Yards, June 13—CATTLE—Receipts 22,000. Market strong, 10 higher. Beeves $4.75@6.50, cows and heifers $1.75@4.25, stockers and feeders $3.00@4.60.

HOGS — Receipts 37,000. Market 5 higher. Top $5.05, bulk $4.85@5.00. Mixed and butchers $4.90@5.00, good to choice heavy $4.95@5.05, lights $4.75@4.95, pigs $4.00@4.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 20,000. Steady.

Kansas City.

Special to The Reporter.

Kansas City, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts 10,000. Market steady. Beeves $4.50@6.35, cows and heifers $2.00@5.00, Texas and Westerns $3.50@5.50.

HOGS — Receipts 8,000. Market steady. Top $4.90, bulk $4.70@4.82½. Mixed and butchers $4.70@4.85, good to choice heavy $4.85@4.90, lights $4.50@4.75, pigs $3.50@4.30.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,500. Steady.

St. Louis.

Special to The Reporter.

National Stockyards, June 13.—CATTLE—Receipts 7,000, Texas 5,500. Market easy. Steers $3.00@5.00, cows and heifers $3.00@4.10.

HOGS — Receipts 3,500. Market 5 higher. Top $5.05. Pigs and lights $4.15@4.80, packers $4.75@4.95, butchers $4.90@5.05.

SHEEP—Receipts 6,000. Steady.

RAISING HOGS ON SHARES.

An interesting problem has presented itself to many of the farmers of Iowa, who are working their rented farm on shares and have stocked it on shares, and the solution which they have reached is considered a good one by the men whom it most chiefly concerns, says a dispatch from Iowa City to the Dubuque Telegraph-Herald. The problem is, on what basis shall the increase of brood sows and other animals supplied on shares, be divided at the end of the season?

The owner of animals placed out on shares has usually expected at the time of division half of the increase of such animals, or if the animals are not sold, an equitable division of them has usually been made. This plan has been carried out many times in this county with both sides of the bargain well pleased, despite the fact that the first owner of the sows gets all the best of the bargain.

The way in which a careful farmer of the county figured it out this spring, and it is on his figures that the most of the present contracts are based, is to take a herd of ten sows, and placing the usual value upon them, about $150, credit that to the owner. He credits also ten acres of pasture land, rented for about $50, to the same side of the book, bringing his investment up to about $200. He then takes the average production, of about six pigs to the sow, and values them at $72, or $720 for the whole herd.

Up to this time it has been the custom for the investor to take half of this sum, or $360, as his share of the increase, and since money has been tight during the past few years, he has had no trouble in getting it. It gave him, however, about 180 per cent on his invested capital for the risk involved.

TIME TO PLANT COWPEAS.

A Crop That Makes Good Feed and Enriches Land.

Oklahoma Farm Journal: It's cowpea time in Oklahoma. If an issue of the Journal for a year past has been printed without something being said about cowpeas it was an oversight. And June is the time to plant them on a large scale.

Let us repeat directions for planting them. Drill in rows about thirty inches apart. It takes about a half-bushel of seed to the acre. They may be planted on land that has been planted to some other crop and failed, or where wheat has been pastured off and the land plowed or disked, or on wheat stubble after harvest either after disking or by using a lister in the stubble. They may be drilled with corn or cotton planter that has the right kind of plates or with a grain drill by covering enough of the feed sprouts to make the rows come the right distance apart.

When the plants are up a few inches high, cultivate, and when they need it cultivate again. Cowpeas will be ready to pasture within five or six weeks after planting and they will help out the grass pastures amazingly. And if you want to cut them for hay, do it when some of the pods are about ripe but while the vines are still green. But be sure to leave some to mature so that you may gather seed for the next year's crop. The cowpea hay will be relished by every animal on the farm and cowpea soup isn't bad eating for the family.

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SIRES AND SONS.

One of the Japanese field marshals, Marquis Yamagata, is sixty-six years old and looks decrepit, although he is full of energy.

Nathaniel Milliken of Buxton, Me., aged ninety-four, holds a record of having participated in sixty-nine annual town meetings.

Charles Dawson, a fellow of the Society of Antiquities of London, has in his possession the favorite chair used by William Shakespeare.

Judge Peters, who died in Maine the other day at eighty-two, had written 598 opinions, and only one was ever rejected by the court en banc.

Andrew Carnegie gave the money for the nineteen library buildings erected during the last eighteen months in the province of Ontario, Canada.

John D. Strassburg of Louisville, Ky., who is supposed to be the oldest employee in the postal service of the country, has just completed the sixty-first year of his service.

William Nelson Cromwell, head of the New York firm which had much to do in procuring ratification of the Panama canal treaty, is said to have received a fee of $2,000,000.

Dr. Bishop, mayor of Fond du Lac, Wis., announces that he has determined to withdraw entirely from politics and will not be a candidate for reelection. His medical practice, he says, demands his whole attention.

Emile Terquem, who is to be in charge of the French book exhibit at the St. Louis fair, gained his first experience thirty years ago. He was in charge at the Centennial, at Chicago in 1893 and at Paris in 1878, 1889 and 1900.

General Dick, the new senator from Ohio, was assigned to a seat in the rear row, the "Cherokee strip." When he went to the house he was similarly located there and at subsequent biennial lotteries for seats he fared little better. Always his place was in one of the two rear rows.

Ambiguous.

Mrs. Justwed—My dear, when we were engaged I always slept with your last letter under my pillow. Justwed—And I, too, darling, often went to sleep over your letters.—Chicago Journal.

MAY NOT ADVANCE.

Japanese Believed to Have Sent Force to Make a Feint.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—The view of the general staff is that the Japanese column which reached Siu Yen is not followed by either of the main armies in southern Manchuri. The Japanese have no present intention of advancing on Hai Ching, but have sent forward a force as a feint to menace and discourage as much as possible the dispatch of heavy a heavy Russian force down Liao Tung peninsula. Neither does the general staff believe the enemy's column at Saimatsza, even should it go so far north as Djiandjian is of a serious character, the opinion being that General Kuroki continues to dangle before General Kuropatkin's eyes as a double objective, but that he is not yet strong enough to risk a real advance. This belief is based on calculations of the enemy that not more than 130,000 men all told, are in southern Manchuria, and that only in the event of the Japanese attaining strength greatly in excess of these figures will they be capable of a genuine forward movement.

Wants Explanation.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—The Novoe Vremya, discussing the report that a submarine boat protector has been shipped from Newport News, Va., for Japan, expresses the hope that the United States will make a detailed explanation why the boat was allowed to leave the United States.

DIES IN CHAIR.

Brother of the Late President McKinley Expires Suddenly.

Somerset, Pa., June 13.—Abner McKinley, brother of the late president, was found dead in a chair at his home at 8 o'clock Saturday morning. Death came without warning to the family. A colored servant, who slept in the room, was up with him at 2 o'clock. It is not known at what time Mr. McKinley got up again as he did not awaken the servant. Mrs. McKinley walked into the room at 8 o'clock and found him sitting in the chair cold, apparently dead. A physician was summoned who said that death probably occurred two or three hours before.

MINERS DUMPED.

Seventy-Six Taken to Kansas and Later Sent Back to Colorado.

Syracuse, Kan., June 12.—Seventy-six deported Victor, Colo., miners sent out from that state on a special train in charge of Colorado militiamen were literally dumped into Kansas Saturday and left destitute on the prairie. With a parting volley the militia deserted their charges and returned west. Later the unfortunate miners were turned back to Colorado by an armed Kansas sheriff and forty deputies.

Oil Only Fuel.

San Francisco, June 13.—Nine thousand six hundred and thirty-four barrels of oil were consumed for fuel in bringing the freight steamer Nebraskan to this port from New York. The trip occupied fiftytwo days and ten hours. The oil burning appliances were never out of order. This is looked upon as remarkable in view of the fact that the voyage of the Nebraskan was the longest ever made by a vessel depending wholly upon oil for fuel.

Have Recovered.

Washington, June 13.—Rear Admiral Chadwick cabled the Navy Department from Tangier that Perdicaris and Varley have recovered from their illness and therefore a surgeon from the fleet will not be sent to Rausili's camp.

Japs Lose Commander.

Vafango, June 13.—The Japanese lost a prominent commander in the last fight. According to reports from Chinese sources they are displaying signs of despair, shaking their fists in the direction of Russian forces. Bombardment of the coast northward was a mere demonstration. Russians did not reply. There is no sickness among the Russian troops and they are in excellent spirits.

Positive Denial.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—Inquiries made in official quarters regarding the statement made by the Daily Mail of London, that two infernal machines were found in Trsarsko Selo palace June 7 elicit a positive denial of its truth.

Thinks There Was Fighting.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—The Rusky Invalid, in concluding an article on the military situation in the far east, inclines to the belief that fighting has already occurred in front of Port Arthur and the Japanese have sustained reverses.

For Loss of an Eye.

Boston, June 13.—An award of $18,500 for the loss of an eye has been secured in the superior court by Miss Bessie Dresser of Standish, Me. While she was a passenger on a railway train near Taunton a piece of metal fell from the tender of an engine, broke the window and destroyed the sight of one eye. Allegations that the engine tender was in an unsafe condition were upheld by the jury.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Quarantine fees of Texas ports for May were $3075.

During last month Texas department of state's receipts were $32,247.7

Texas' attorney general has approved an issue of $50,500 Hardin county courthouse bonds.

D. O. Lively of Beaumont, will establish a bank, controlled by Texas capital, at Panama.

President Diaz will attend the American colony's Fourth of July celebration at City of Mexico.

By mistake Jose Velasco of C. P. Diaz, Mex., took strychnine for quinine and died in agony.

The widow of the late George Ball, the Galveston banker and philanthropist, died at Fort Worth.

City of Contradictions.

Lassa is a city of magnificent buildings, where the streets are never repaired and, except for a slight cleaning in January and March of the Tibetan calendar, are dreadfully dirty. Everywhere people are laden with rich ornaments, but unwashed as Caverley's organ grinder. A vast Buddhist temple stands in the center of the city, and it is encircled by a street lined with shops and roadside venders. Both men and women are enthusiastic traders, and especially striking is the sight of Buddhist priests selling divers merchandise at roadside stalls, with the sleeves of their clerical robes rolled high up their arms.—London Globe.

The Jorurl.

The Japanese have a chorus on the stage called Jorurl. The Jorurl sing what the actor is supposed to be thinking, and he shows his emotions by his gestures and the expression of his face.

Glad Days.

That surly cry we hear no more
Of "Shut the door!"
The one cry now the country o'er
Is "Whatsthescore?"
—Philadelphia Press.

A Leap Year Proposal.

"I am going to have my fortune told."

"Well, tell it to papa."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Violets.

The violets fair and shyly hid
Beneath our wandering feet we'll crunch,
We do not prize them as we did
When they were fifty cents a bunch.
—Washington Star.

Mrs. Noah.

Teacher—Who was Joan of Arc?

Pupil — Why—er—Noah's wife. — Princeton Tiger.

LOST THREE HUNDRED

Jasanese Casualties In the Battle o Saimatza Thus Given.

BRAVE PHYSICIANS.

Refused to Leave the Field of Carnage, Despite the Shower of Missiles, Until Wounded Received Attention.

Liao Yang, June 13.—Ensign Mariloff, who has returned from the battle of Siamatsza, fought on June 7, says that the Japanese lost about 300 men. He speaks in the highest terms of the work of the Red Cross doctors, Possee and Dentesh, who attended the wounded under fire. When the order came to retire these doctors refused to leave the bandaging station until the last of the wounded had been brought in and attended to. After the battle a wounded Russian was found with his tongue cut out and his fingers severed. There is a general disinclination to attribute this mutilation to the Japanese after the kindness which they had previously shown to the wounded Russians, and it is thought to be more probable that it was the work of Chinese bandits. It is alleged that during the engagement the Japanese again misused the Red Cross flag by getting within 400 yards under its cover and then firing volleys.

Reports of the Siu Yen fight on June 8 say that the Japanese lost 100 men and the Russians one killed and twenty-one wounded, including two officers.

RUSSIANS DEAD.

Over Seven Hundred Killed In Battle of Nanshan Hill.

Tokio, June 13.—The military commission assigned to bury the Russian dead in the battle of Nanshan Hill at Kinchau May 26 has presented his final report. It was found that ten Russian officers and 664 men who fell in the battle had been carefully buried by the outposts, making the total outposts, making the total number of killed and left behindb y the Russians 704.

Cossacks Fight Bandits.

Hai Cheng, June 13.—The Cossacks along the railroad south of Hai Cheng on June 9 came in contact with fifty Chinese bandits. Fifteen of the bandits were killed or wounded and eight captured. The Cossacks lost one killed and two wounded.

Rumored Naval Battle.

St. Petersburg, June 13.—Rumors are in circulation here to the effect that a great naval battle has taken place off Port Arthur in which two Russian and four Japanese battleships were sunk. No confirmation of the rumor can be obtained.

NEW MINING CAMP.

It Will Be Opened For the Benefit of Deported Miners.

Denver, June 13.—A new mining camp will be opened in New Mexico according to the Post, to receive the deported union miners from Cripple Creek. The Western Federation of Miners will work the claims on a cooperative basis, and will have entire jurisdiction over their development. Provision will be made by the federation for all deported miners, and to this end a carload of supplies will be sent to the new camp immediately as a starter. The company will be located near Tres Piedras, which is twenty miles south of the Colorado line, on the Denver and Rio Grande railway. There is a district ten miles square of virgin ore, and the work of mining will be parceled out to the union miners. They will work on the cooperative plan, but the miners will be supported by the federation while prospecting.

DENIAL OF MINERS.

Men With John Carley Say That They Did Not Fire a Shot.

Rockvale, Colo., June 13.—Miners who were in the skirmish at Dunnville when John Carley, one of the Cripple Creek miners, was killed by the militia, deny the published report that the miners were first to fire. Neither were they entrenched behind rocks waiting for the militia, according to their statement, but they appeared last on the scene, and fled immediately upon being fired on. The miners deny having fired a shot. They say it would have been easy for them to have completely annihilated the small squad of militiamen had they so desired.

Appeals to President.

Chicago, June 13.—Organized labor in Chicago, through its central body, the Federation of Labor, passed a resolution appealing to President Roosevelt to send troops to Colorado to restore order in the Cripple Creek district. The resolution, which declares that the lives of miners are in danger under present conditions, was mailed to President Roosevelt Sunday night.

Negro Kills Negro.

Winchester, Tex., June 13.—Earnest Johnson killed Joe Allen, using as a weapon a shotgun at close range. Joe Allen went to Johnson's home armed with a pistol, and in an altercation shot Johnson's sister, firing two shots, one taking effect, making a flesh wound through the thigh. Johnson is a youth thirteen or fourteen years old. Joe Allen was twenty years old. Both parties are negroes.

CONFEDERATE WEEK.

Tennessee's Capital Is Decorated as Never Before.

Nashville, Tenn., June 13.—This is Confederate week in Nashville. The capital is decorated as never before in honor of the veterans who meet in reunion. Preparations on an enormous scale have been completed for the entertainment of those heroes of blood-soaked battlefields. Thousands have arrived, and a generous welcome is being extended. Taking the Memphis reunion year before last as a basis, it is figured that the mumbers attending should approximate 65,000 persons, 15,000 of them veterans.

Confederate hotel for free entertainment of the old soldiers is prepared to fed 12,000 daily.

Aside from the grand parade on Thursday, the laying of the cornerstone of the Confederate memorial on Wednesday will be a distinctive feature. It will be accompanied by Masonic ceremonies, and Henry Watterson, editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, will deliver the address.

General Stephen B. Lee, commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans' association, is among the early arrivals, the demonstration at his reception being noticeable. In beginning his response General Lee said: "My friends, I am almost overwhelmed with this very pleasant, cordial and unexpected greeting here to-night. Our late beloved commander, General Gordon, was accustomed to have such honors done him, but it is new to me."

In an interview regarding the commandership General Lee said: "No, I am in no sense a candidate for the place of commander of the Veterans. That place is too sacred and too honorable for any man to seek it. I am merely commander by accident of the death of our late beloved commander, the lamented Gordon. I would, of course, consider it the greatest honor of my life to be elected commander of the Veterans, but I would not seek the place."

The widow of the late commander, John B. Gordon, and her daughter, Mrs. Burton Smith, of Atlanta, and Mrs. Orton Bishop Brown of Maine will be the guests of friends here.

OFF FOR REUNION.

Ex-Confederates and Others Depart For Capital of Tennessee.

Dallas, June 13.—A large number of ex-Confederates, Sons of Veterans, Daughters of the Confederacy and visitors left Sunday for the reunion at Nashville. About 500 persons departed from this city.

General Van Zandt and staff and many veterans from Fort Worth were on the train, and the party had a reunion in the Texas and Pacific station.

Officers of the Fourth brigade who left were H. W. Graber, brigadier general; J. H. Mathis, assistant adjutant general; J. H. Bonner, inspector general; J. B. Reagan, assistant inspector general; A. F. Wood, quartermaster general; W. T. Gass, chief commissary; J. C. Loggins, chief surgeon. A large number of other members of the local camp also went.

When the Texas and Pacific train arrived at Wills Point a band serenaded the passengers. Ladies entered the cars and scatetered flowers right and left upon each veteran a neat buttonhole bouquet. Baskets of Van Zandt county peaches and apples were distributed, the band played "Dixie," the people shook hands with all the old veterans and wished each one a long life and pleasant trip.

A band from Vernon went along. General Cabell had a special car.

Numbers also left via the Cotton Belt, Katy and Houston and Texas Central railways.

At Terrell flowers were given the veterans.

Eighteen Cars.

Texarkana, June 13.—Confederate Veterans' special, which left Dallas and Fort Worth over the Cotton Belt, reached Texarkana ahead of schedule time in two sections of eighteen cars each, 800 veterans, Sons and Daughters on board.

PARKER IN LEAD.

He Receives a Great Many of the Instructed Votes of Texas Counties.

Austin, June 13.—From the returns received from Saturday's convention Parker has received a large majority of the instructed votes to the convention at San Antonio on the 21st. There will be a total of 947 votes in the convention, and 474 are necessary for a choice.

Washington and Cooke counties instructed for Senator Bailey for president. Lamar named Judge Reagan, while Montague is for J. W. Folk of Missouri. The unit rule was generally adopted. Two counties instructing for Bailey named Parker for second choice.

Total number of instructed votes received up to midnight Sunday night are 447. Hearst has 33; uninstructed, 199.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.

Christian Endeavorers Select Them For the Ensuing Year.

Dallas, June 13.—At the Saturday night session of the Texas Christian Endeavor convention the following officers were elected: President, Miss Tyler Wilkinson, Temple; recording secretary, Frank Deputy, Dallas; assistant secretary, Miss Ella Mathis, Dallas; treasurer, John Reeves, Fort Worth; superintendent junior and intermediate work, H. H. Grotthouse, Dallas; superintendent prison work, Mrs. L. T. Sloan, Livingston; vice presidents, Revs. Murphy of Paris, J. W. Caldwell of Fort Worth, Graham McMurray of Dallas, Drinnon of Mineral Wells, A. R. Buchanan of Houston, Paxson of Paris and J. G. Crawford of Lampasas.

Report of Miss Lena M. Smithey, the secretary, stated, among other interesting matters, that there are 569 Christian Endeavor societies in the state.

Rev. W. G. Inman, a former Texan, now pastor of a large Greater New York church, spoke on "Twentieth Century Pashtorship," and Mrs. L. T. Sloan, superintendent of prison work, made an earnest plea for that branch.

Austin Chosen.

Dallas, June 13.—Christian Endeavorers attended the various churches Sunday morning. Following a short devotional period at night the convention chose Austin for next meeting place.

Fatal Snake Bite.

Bend, Tex., June 13.—Fred Stafford, a boy thirteen years old, was bitten by a moccasin, or cotton-mouth snake. All medical aid failed to relieve him, and he died shortly afterward.

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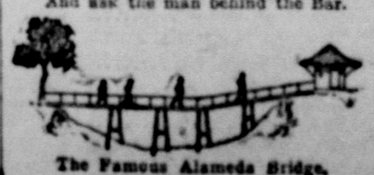

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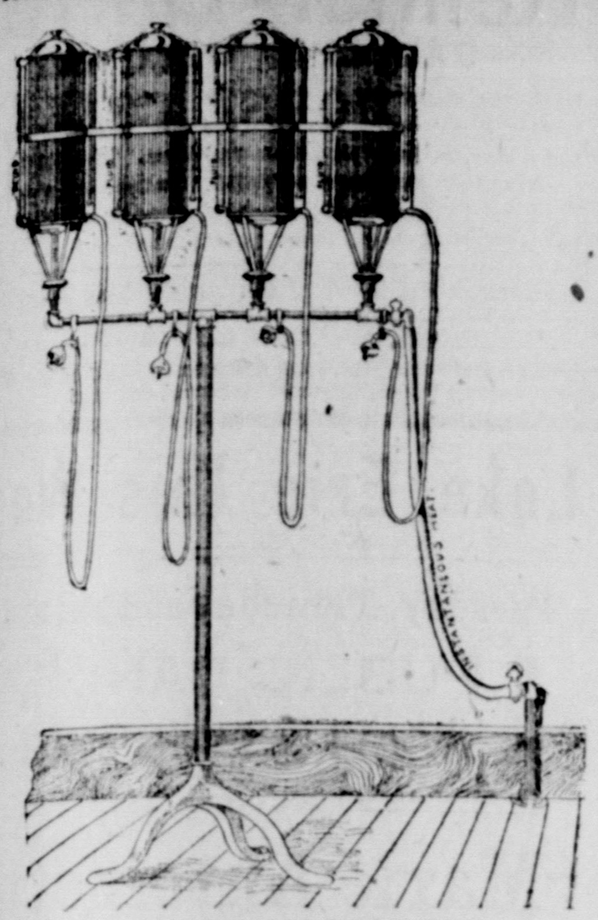

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CHURCHGOING A LA MODE

Story of a Woman Who Was Somewhat of a Hypocrite.

She regarded her husband with disapproval as she stood putting on her gloves. He was reclining in an easy chair, knee deep in the Sunday papers.

"A pretty way to spend Sunday!" she remarked severely. "What would your mother say if she knew you never went to church?" And she swept out of the house with a swish of silken petticoats and an air of conscious rectitude.

She was late, but fortunately not too late for the opening quartet. She was glad she had not missed that, for the $20,000 a year choir was considered the finest in the city. After the organ interlude from "Parsifal" she cast her eyes around the church and promptly fell into a reverie something on this order:

"Why, there's Mrs. Smith—and with her husband too! So that report wasn't true after all. And she's made her lace handkerchief into a yoke for her dress. Good idea for my etamine. I wonder who Mrs. Jones is in mourning for. I shouldn't have supposed that broadcloth would dye so well without ripping. I wonder if my white—dear, dear, full skirts are coming in since that imported gown of Mrs. Blank's has one. I shall have to have that remnant made princess then."

By the time the benediction was pronounced she had planned her whole spring wardrobe.

"What was the text?" demanded her renegade husband on her return.

"The text? Oh—ah—um"—

"Aha! What would your mother say if she knew you'd been to church and couldn't repeat the text?" he said, imitating her tone of righteous indignation.

"Well, the text isn't everything one goes to church for," she retorted. "It's for—for the beautiful thoughts that come to one during the service."—New York Press.

The Stratagem.

"I'll bet you a dollar," said Blake, "that our 'hello girl' hears everything we say over the phone."

"How'll you prove it?" asked his partner.

"I'll show you," answered Blake.

"No. 483," he called. "Hello! Hello! Is this you, Mary? Well, I just wanted to tell you that—central, will you please stop listening?" he broke in, interrupting himself.

"I'm not listening!" answered central indignantly.—Lippincott's Magazine.

Overreached Himself.

"Yes, Merchant's scheme was to display his goods in his window with a lot of mirrors back of them, so that all the women passing would be sure to stop and look in."

"Foxy idea, eh?"

"Yes, but it didn't pan out. None of the women looked at anything but the mirrors." — Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Section House Tragedy.

Nacogdoches, Tex., June 13.—Frank Henderson was shot and killed at a section house on the Texas and New Orleans railroad near here Sunday night. B. Morrison is jailed, charged with the killing. He says that Henderson had threatened his life, and he was afraid he would execute his threat. Both are negroes.

Elu President.

Buenos Ayres, June 13.—Quintana Elu has been elected president of the republic. Figueoa Alcorta has been chosen vice president.

A Mexican named Joe Medina was killed by a falling tree near Humble, Tex.

MINOR MATTERS.

Jose Pardo has been elected president of Peru.

Muskogee, I. T., is to have a nitroglycerin plant.

By a sewer explosion at Chicago four men were killed.

H. E. King suicided near Brenham, Tex., by shooting.

For the third time Erath county, Texas, has gone dry.

Jack Parker tried to hang himself in jail at Eastland, Tex.

W. B. Flynn, a resident of Dallas fifty years, died Saturday.

Many miles of fencing were washed away around Mill Creek, I. T.

Mrs. M. M. Bachman, who settled in Dallas county in 1854, is dead.

Gill Dodge of Pueblo, Colo., killed his wife and Mrs. Maud McKinney.

A little boy named George Widener was drowned near Norman, Okla.

George Shelton fatally shot himself at Tigertown, Lamar county, Texas.

Owing to charbon several Beaumont, Tex., dairies are forbidden to sell milk.

Three men were struck by lightning near Howland, Lamar county, Texas, and badly hurt.

While beating his wife at Newton, Kan., A. C. Jenkins was shot dead by his little daughter.

In a quarrel at Marshall, Ill., between Mark Woodruff and his wife, the former was shot to death.

Six cabbages, raised by the Krueger sisters, near Texarkana, weighed over seventeen pounds each.

Senator Cockrell of Missouri was run over at Washington by a bicyclist, and his collar bone broken.

Phoenix clothing house at Muskogee, I. T., was burglarized, and $205 in cash and some clothing taken.

John S. Gibson of Navarro county, Texas, marketed 150 acres of oats, netting him $14.50 per acre.

Six steel bridges are to be constructed in Caddo county, Oklahoma, and twenty-five in Comanche county.

President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers has sailed for Liverpool. He will study labor conditions in Europe.

Oklahoma supreme court refuses to grant bail to L. T. Russell, charged with fatally shooting Colonel William Hawkins.

Boll weevil is doing damage in Colcasieu parish, Louisiana. State entomologist will endeavor to exterminate the pest.

Ten miles north of Paris, Tex., lightning badly burned Mrs. James Fisher and baby. The former was knocked unconscious.

Bud and Cole Hemphill, who killed a negro named Smith Hardeman near Bastrop, Tex., for cutting out the tongue of their bull, are under $2000 bond each.

Mrs. Dee O'Brien, charged with poisoning the family of Policeman Hogan at San Antonio was arrested. The parties were violently ill.

George Billups jumped from a steamer in New York harbor and drowned. His widow was the wife of the late Arthur Hutchins of Houston, and niece of the late Governor Weltz of Louisiana.

TEXAS LIVE STOCK RATES.

Tariff Fixed for Shippers by the State Railway Commission.

The following tables gives the rate on beef cattle, oxen, cows, calves, goats, hogs and sheep; also on cattle 1 years old and over, for distances from 10 miles to 750.

DISTANCE—Miles.		RATES. No. 1	No. 2
10 and less		6	8½
15 and over	10	6½	9
20 and over	15	7	9½
25 and over	20	7½	10
30 and over	25	8	10½
35 and over	30	8½	11½
40 and over	35	9	12
45 and over	40	9½	12½
50 and over	45	10	13
60 and over	50	10½	13½
70 and over	60	11	14¼
80 and over	70	11½	15
90 and over	80	12	15½
100 and over	90	12½	16½
125 and over	100	13¾	17¾
150 and over	125	15	18¾
175 and over	150	16¼	20
200 and over	175	17½	21½
250 and over	200	18¾	22½
300 and over	250	20	23¾
350 and over	300	21¼	25
400 and over	350	22½	26
450 and over	400	23¾	27
500 and over	450	25	28
550 and over	500	26¼	29
600 and over	550	27½	30
650 and over	600	28¾	31
700 and over	650	30	32
750 and over	700	31¼	33
over 750		32½	34

Column No. 1 is for shipment over a single line of road, or over two or more lines under one management. Column No. 2 is for shipment over two or more lines under different managements.

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National Live Stock Com. Co.
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The commission charges for selling and handling stock consigned to the Fort Worth market are fixed by the Live Stock Exchange and are as follows:

Cattle, 50 cents per head, but not more than $12 for a carload; calves, 25 cents per head, $12 for a single deck and $18 for double deck cars.

Hogs, 10 cents per head; $6 for single deck car and $10 for double deck.

Charges for sheep are the same as for hogs.

Yardage Charges.

The charges by the Stock Yards Company for yardage are fixed as follows:

Cattle, per head	25c
Calves, per head	15c
Hogs, per head	8c
Sheep, per head	5c

Prices charged for feed by the Stock Yards: Hay, 80c a bale; corn, $1 a bushel; oats, 80c a bushel; chops, $1.50 cwt.; bran, $1.30 cwt.; straw, 40c a bale.

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Officers and directors of the Live Stock Exchange are:

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FORT WORTH RAILWAY SCHEDULE.

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

Rock Island System.

Depart.		Arrive.
8:30 am	Omaha and Mo. River	7:15 pm
9:00 pm	Kansas City, Chicago, Denver, Col. Springs and Pueblo Fast Ex.	7:10 am

Depart East	DALLAS LINE.	Arrive East
7:40 am	Mail and Express	8:35 pm

FRISCO SYSTEM.

Red River, Texas & Southern Ry.

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

Ft. W. & R. G. Ry.

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

Fort Worth & Denver City Railway.

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

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

Depart. North		Arrive. North
8:35 am	"Katy Flyer"	7:45 pm
	Kansas City, St. Louis	
11:45 am	& Chicago M. & Ex.	7:40 am
	Kansas City, St. Louis	
9:00 pm	& Chicago Fast Ex.	5:10 pm

Depart. South		Arrive. South
8:15 pm	Hou. & Gal. &San Antonio, "Katy Flyer"	8:10 am
8:30 pm	Houston Mail & Ex.	10:55 am
6:00 pm	Houston Mail & Ex.	8:15 pm

Cotton Belt Route.

Depart.		Arrive.
8:15 am	St. Louis & Mem. Ex	7:25 pm
2:05 pm	St. Louis Lt. via Dallas	1:50 pm
9:10 pm	Dallas, Mem. & St. L.	6:50 am

Texas & Pacific Railway

Depart. East		Arrive. East
7:45 am	St. Louis Cannon Ball	7:45 pm
11:00 am	St. Louis Mail & Ex	4:45 pm
8:30 am	Dallas Local	5:15 am
10:00 am	Dallas & Wea'fd Local	3:25 pm
2:05 pm	Dallas Local	1:50 pm
8:00 pm	Dallas Local	6:10 pm
3:45 pm	Wills Point Local	11:00 am
6:30 pm	St. Louis Mail & Ex.	9:[illegible] am

Depart. West	Main Line West.	Arrive. West
8:20 pm	Colorado Mail & Ex.	7:00 am
3:30 pm	Weatherford Local	9:45 am
9:45 am	El Paso Express	6:00 pm

Transcontinental Division via Sherman

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

International & Great Northern Ry.

Depart.		Arrive.
7:30 am	Houston & San An. Ex	8:55 pm
3:40 pm	Austin " " "	12:45 pm

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

Gulf Colorado & Santa Fe Ry

Depart. North		Arrive. North
7:50 am	K.C.&Chi. Mail&Ex.	9:00 pm
8:30 pm	K. C. & Chi. Fast Ex.	7:50 am

Depart. South		Arrive. South
8:00 am	Hou. & Gal. M. & Ex.	8:20 pm
9:10 pm	Hou. & San Antonio Gal. Mail & Ex.	7:40 am

Houston & Texas Central Railroad.

Depart.		Arrive
8:10 am	Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:00 pm
7:45 pm	Hou. & Gal. Mail & Ex	8:05 am
1:15 pm	Ennis Mixed	11:35 am

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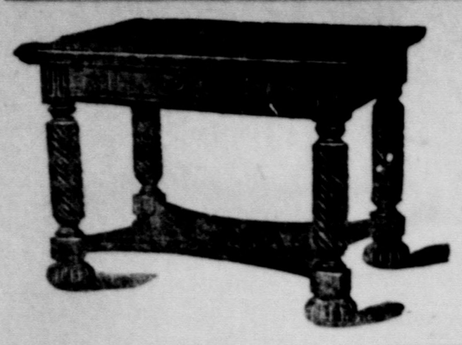

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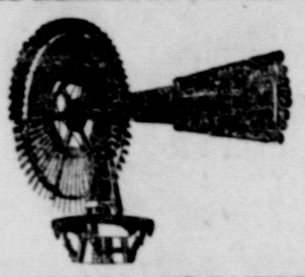
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Broilers, per doz.	$1.75
DUCKS—Per doz	$5.50
EGGS—Per doz	10c
BUTTER—Per lb., yellow	15c to 20c

GRAIN AND HAY.
Prices Paid to Farmers.

HAY—Johnson Grass, ton	$8.00
Prairie Texas, ton	$6.00@8.25
Prairie Territory, ton	$8.50
Alfalfa (new offered)	$12.00
BRAN—Per cwt	$1.15
CORN CHOPS	$1.20
CORN, Shelled, per bushel	65c
OATS—Per bushel	42@42½c
WHEAT—No. 2	97c
No. 3	94c

Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Per pound	2½c
ONIONS—Per pound	2½c
PEACHES—Crate	75c
APPLES—Per bushel	$1.50
BEETS—Doz. bunches	25c
BEANS—Per bushel	$1.00
POTATOES—(New) bushel	$1.00
ROASTING EARS, doz.	9c
CANTELOUPES—Crate	$2.00@2.25

HIDES.
Prices Paid Shippers.

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

PROVISIONS.
From the Store.

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

SUGAR AND MOLASSES.
Selling Prices at Stores.

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

STAPLE GROCERIES.
Selling Prices.

COFFEE—Roasted, pound	15c
RICE—Fancy, full grain	7c
Choice	6c
Prime	5c
FLOUR—High Patent	$2.75
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Third, or Straights	$2.55
SALT—No. 1 fine, bbl	$2.50

Not a Pressing Engagement.

Her mother eyed him with cold consideration.

"I suppose you have come to press your suit?" she said in heavy tones.

"No, no," he replied. "I pressed it at home. How does it look?"

And he pirouetted gaily on one foot.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Saving.

Because tobacco cost so much
I swore it off a year ago
And bravely kept my vow,
But after saving so and such,
This is the thing I'd like to know:
Where is the money now?
—Brooklyn Eagle.

Parental Wisdom.

"I shouldn't think the Smiths would name their new baby John—there are so many John Smiths."

"That's a good thing one way. If his name ever gets in the police reports folks won't know whether it's he or some other John Smith."—Puck.

The Trouble With Him.

His constant boast is that, "bejinks,
He always says just what he thinks."
And yet he might not bore
If what he thinks he'd say and then
Have mercy on his fellow men
And not say any more.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

He Was a Stayer.

"How much did Bensley's uncle leave him?"

"Leave him? He didn't leave him a day for seventeen years. Bensley supported him all that time."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

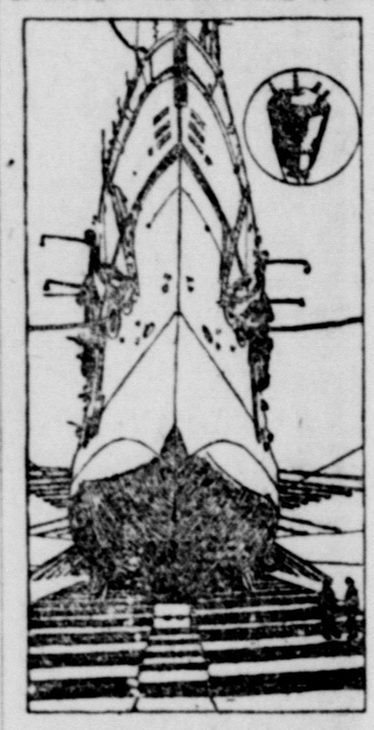
IN RAILWAY CARRIAGE

Kuropatkin Directs His Campaign by This Means.

GENERAL'S ROUTINE.

Is Temperate, Moderate Eater, Careful in His Duties, Retires Late and Arises at an Early Hour Invariably.

Liao Yang, June 13.—The entire Russian plan of campaign is directed from a railway carriage, in which General Kuropatkin works, eats and sleeps. The commander-in-chief passes most of his time in study or at work. Although small of stature he is distinguishable among his entourage, however brilliant may be their uniforms, by his determined gestures and sturdy figure. He takes little or no rest, except a half hour's siesta after lunch, when the heat is excessive, and he occasionally indulges in the distraction of reading literary works. The general eats well, seldom remaining at the table more than half an hour. He drinks wine sparingly, smokes a cigar or two after breakfast, and sets a general example of abstemiousness to his officers. He rises at 7 o'clock and retires at midnight. After drawing up his



BATTLESHIP AND CONTACT MINE.

daily dispatch to the emperor, summarizing the situation, his mornings are engaged in consideration of correspondence and tactical questions. He often mounts a horse and makes a tour of inspection of the camps and military works around Liao Yang, sees visitors during the afternoon and receives reports.

Kuropatkin is much interested in the Red Cross work and visits the hospitals and speaks encouragingly to patients. He never misses going to the station to meet trains bringing wounded men, and out of funds sent from St. Petersburg he gives them money according to their rank—$1.50 to the unmarried, $2.50 to married men and as much as $250 to officers. He also distributes medals to the wounded who perform acts of special bravery.

CRUISER SEEN.

Japanese Vessel Was Off Kai Chen For Three Days.

Niuchwang, June 13.—A Japanese cruiser has been seen off Kai Chen during the last three days. She is believed to be watching the Russian gunboat Sivouch, which is bottle up here. Local merchants have been informed by Shanghai shipping firms that they can not undertake at their own risk to deliver merchandise of any nature at this port.

Russians continue to receive immense cargoes of flour and large amounts of specie.

United States Consul General Miller is making a close investigation of the death of Lewis Etzel, correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph. The Chinese general expressed much regret and says he will punish the men who shot Etzel when they return. They have not been seen since Etzel incident. The funeral of the correspondent was largely attended.

Bandits are pillaging in the outskirts of Niuchwang almost nightly. Messengers sent to ascertain the truth of the reports that Russians are moving a large force to attempt to relieve Port Arthur returned here without learning anything.

IMPORTANT TOWN.

Siu Yen Is Situated So as to Be a Valuable Base.

Tokio, June 13.—The town of Sai Yen, now occupied by the Japanese army, is of great strategical importance, being situated about forty miles northeast of Kia Ping and forty-five miles southeast of Hai Chang. It commands perfectly the roads to both places. Saimatsza is also an important point, as it controls the roads to Liao Yang and Mukden. By following this route to Mao Tien Ling pass, which is strongly fortified and almost impregnable, the Russian stronghold will be avoided on the advance of the Japanese army northward.

New Governor General.

London, June 13.—It is announced that Earl Grey, lord lieutenant of Northumberland, has been appointed governor general of Canada.

KILLED BY GIRL.

Austin Printer Shot to Death by His Sister-In-Law.

Austin, June 13.—Miss Kate Sendry shot and killed her brother-in-law, J. Nelson Prowse, shortly after midnight Saturday morning. On examining trial the young lady, who is a beautiful maiden twenty years old, was held in $500 bond, which she gave. According to the testimony, Prowse, who was foreman of the Statesman, went home intoxicated and threatened to kill his family. He grabbed his little girl and threatened to kill her if he was not told where his wife, who had fled to a neighbor's house, was. Prowse asked Miss Sendrey for his pistol. She said she did not know where it was. He called her a liar and said he would kill her also. At that moment the girl fired. He died an hour later. Miss Sendrey, whose home is at Douglas, Ariz., was on a visit here.

DEADLY DUEL.

Five Participated, One Being Killed and Three Others Wounded.

Waco, June 13.—As the result of friction over an election of a teacher for the public school at Elk, a small town ten miles north of Waco, a street duel Saturday morning was fought by R. B. Torrence and his son, Rivers Torrence, and J. McAden, a son-in-law of Torrence, on one side and Dr. Holton and his son and Professor G. W. Perkins on the other. There had been bad feeling over the school trustee matter for some time and the parties met and opened fire. The elder Torrence was killed almost instantly, being riddled with bullets, the senior Dr. Holton was dangerously wounded. The junior Holton was badly shot, while Professor Perkins and Rivers Torrence were also shot. The only man in the battle escaping unhurt was McAden. The men used shotguns and pistols. The parties are all prominent.

TRAGIC SUICIDE.

German Musician and Poet Kills Himself on Fire Escape.

Houston, June 13.—William Meyers, a German who has resided in Houston since September, 1897, was found dead lying on a fire escape platform at the opera house rooming house, three stories from the ground. He left notes and a diary revealing that the writer was suffering from melancholia, owing to his poverty. He was a piano player and a writer of German verse, and had been following his avocation here for some time. A number of notes in his diary stated that he had not been able after daily calls to collect a sum of money, and his room rent was due. He also left a German poem which after being translated contained such lines as "Empty, empty is my larder."

Reward Offered.

Houston, June 13.—The San Antonio and Aransas Pass, through its vice president and general manager, M. D. Monserrate, has offered a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the party who murdered Operator Earle at Yorktown, June 7.

Fire Does Much Damage.

Waco, June 13.—Fire in the building of E. Rotan did $4000 damage to that firm, while physicians having offices up stairs sustained $6000 loss. Lower part was being fitted up for A. F. Hardie & Co. of Dallas, who were to put in a stock of dry goods.

WILL DECLINE.

Cannon Does Not Desire Nomination For the Vice Presidency.

Washington, June 13.—"I decline the nomination. The clerk will call the roll again for nominations for vice president." This is the statement of what he will do at the Chicago convention made by Speaker Cannon of the house.

"What will you do if the convention nominates you despite your objections?"

He then made the statement quoted. He will be the permanent chairman of the convention and in a position to act as indicated.

NEW CORPORATION.

It Will Facilitate Construction of Southern Pacific's New Line.

San Francisco, June 13.—A new railroad corporation has been brought into existence to facilitate construction of the Southern Pacific's projected railway extension in San Diego county and Mexico. This projected extension for the Mexican portion, for which President Harriman secured a concession from President Diaz about a year ago, will be constructed in the name of the Inter-California Railway company, articles of incorporation for which were filed with the county clerk Friday. The company is capitalized at $4,320,000.

LARGE CAPITAL.

It Will Amount to the Sum of Ten Millions of Dollars.

San Francisco, June 13.—Negotiations have been in progress for some time in San Francisco, it is said, looking to the organization of the International Banking corporation by local capitalists and a Japanese syndicate headed by President Asano of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha. According to the plans outlined, the institution is to have a capital of $10,000,000 and to be a dominating influence in the financial relations between the United States and the orient.

"Love Levels Rank."

Brockton, Mass., June 13.—Maud Ella Crowell, the pretty daughter of Frederick Crowell, a workman in a shoe factory here, has been married to Henry S. Flote of San Francisco. The groom, who is said to be a millionaire, met Miss Crowell only two weeks ago at a theater party in New York.

FIVE LIVES LOST.

Steamers Collide and One Sinks In Twenty Minutes.

Montreal, June 13.—The Richelieu and Ontario Navigation company's steamer, Canada, bound from Quebec for Montreal, came into collision with the Dominion Coal company's collier, Cape Breton, six miles below Sorel Sunday. Twenty minutes later the Canada went to the bottom. There were 110 people on board the Canada. Five lives were lost.

Killed by Own Weapon.

Nashville, June 13.—While stooping over a spring to get a cup of water in Mount Calvary cemetery Sergeant Andrew N. Davis of the city police accidentally dropped his revolver. The weapon was discharged, the bullet entering the sergeant's breast and killing him instantly. His eleven-year-old daughter was by the officer's side at the time and his aged mother was but a short distance away.

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