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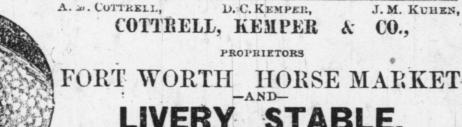
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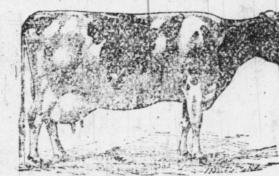
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with in the specified forty days. The Drovers Journal's figures show that while there were about 20,000 to 25,000 Indian cattle marketed in August that there were not, all told, 40,000 cattle sent from the Indian Territory to market that would not come anyway. No everybody, and the greatest surprise of cows and calves, or young stock cattle all, was the fact that there was a de- were sacrificed, nor were any of them crease of 90,000 head as compared with | sold to ranchmen below market prices. 1884, and a decrease of 76,000 as com- All were removed, and nearly all were pared with 1882. The Drover's Jour- retained by their owners, most of whom nal's statistics show that the number of were not surprised by anything about Texas and Indian cattle received was the "order," except its peremptori-

But the exaggerations in regard to head from that quarter, an increase of the devastation the order was likely to 42,000 over 1883, and a decrease of entail, had the effect of a boomerang, nearly 50,000 compared with the re- as cattlemen everywhere were deceived, 1882. But the receipts of Southwestern | the to market in advance of the Indian cattle were twice as large as in 1881, deluge.

The range-cattle trade of 1885, in all and more than three times as large as its branches, suffered heavily from the Considering all the disturbing ele- magnified woes that were expected to ments in the trade it would have been result from the trail quarantine trouless wonderful had the receipts of Tex- bles and the famous C. and A. order. as and Indian cattle amounted to a to- By using the neutral strip and going tal more than 500,000 head instead of through Colorado, the number of Texbeing 60,000 less than the receipts of as cattle driven North the past year was quite as large as the year before.

From the Northwest the receipts of There was an unusually large number range cattle were nearly 30,000 less of cows sent from all parts of the range than 1884; 26,000 more than in 1883, country. In many cases these were and 18,000 less than in 1882. As com- sent in by managers of companies whose pared with 1880 the receipts from the stockholders were clamorous for divi-Northwest were heavier by 93,000 head. | dends.

The prices for range cattle during From Texas and the Southwest the receipts in 1884 were the largest on re- the year averaged very low, and doubtcord, and it was confidently expected less that fact had something to do with that the receipts of the past year would the large decrease in the year's receipts certainly exceed 1884. Especially was of range cattle.

Following is a carefully prepared this so when the trail troubles were being talked of last spring. In the fall statement by the Drovers Journal of of 1884, the Texas men were clamoring the receipts of Southwestern and Northfor a national trail from the Rio Grande | western rangers, by months, for the to the British line; but after the St. past two years, with totals for five Louis convention and the subsequent years past. Also, prices paid for range quarantine laws adopted by Kansas and cattle in Chicago during each month of other states and territories, the last 1885. The figures for Northwestern hope of the trail men seemed to have rangers of course include a large pervanished. It then seemed almost cer- centage of "wintered" Texas cattle.

RECEIPTS OF RANGERS FOR FIVE YEARS.

quence would be driven, and there was	Months. Southwestern Northern Rangers. Rangers.
	1885. 1884. 1885. 1884.
a loud cry of distress from the ranch-	January 2,056 750
men of the Lone Star State. The ran-	February 960 880
	March 560 3,460
ges were overstocked, and it was de-	April 1,064 4,280 312
	May 3,662 6,440 1,080
clared that if the trails were closed, the	June 36,780 28,980
beef markets would be literally	July 49,300 71,940 1,364
	August 69,440 60,681 26,240 27,885
swamped with cows, yearlings and	September. 49,460 48,524 65,525 56,343
two-year-olds, in addition to the regu-	November 29,240 62,600 76,144 90,636 November 29,240 62,600 28,220 51,245
lar crop of beeves. As the season ad-	December 14,124 18,840 2,945 1,560
vanced, the cattle did not come as was	Totals 298.188 358,374 202,040 231,897
	Decrease 60,186 29,839
expected, from the Southwest; in June	1000 250,040 170,000
there were 8,000 more than during the	1883 256,340 176,680 1882 246,300 220,700
corresponding month in 1884, but in	1000 100 100 100
July, the receipts showed a decrease of	Months. Southwestern Northern
22,000 head. This was accounted for	Rangers. Rangers
by the very severe winter and late	January
by the very solute winder and	February 3 60@4 80
spring which prevented the cattle from	March 3 65@4 18
	April 4 30 05 10 4 30 04 65
tattening. In August there was an in-	3 85@4 80 4 70@4 75
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November, 1885, Chicago received	November 2 40@3 70 2 80@4 40
	December 2 40@3 75 3 00@1 25
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	1881 2 25@5 00 2 90@5 40
menced to come later, and finished	188 1 75@3 75 2 50@4 75
much carlier than in 1884	

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tain that no Texas cattle of any conse-

emptory order of the President, expelling all white men's cattle from the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Reservations. This seemed like the very last straw that was to break the camel's back Southwestern cattlemen were never so 'down hearted" as at that time. With the prospect of largely increased rail receipts on account of the trail troubles, this last turn in affairs was like the shock of a bombshell in the camp of the Southwestern cattlemen. And like a bomb-shell, it promised not only to mow down those immediately in its those in no way responsible for the trespassers in the Territory.

were ordered to remove their cattle in-side of forty days, resorted to every gelo Standard. side of forty days, resorted to every conceivable means of changing the purpose of the President. It was stated that there were 300,000 to 400,000 cattle on the reservations; that the entire army and navy could not remove them in the specified time; that owing to quarantines and scarcity of new ranges etc., etc., the cattle, cows, calves, yearlings, beeves, and all would have to be dumped upon the beef market and sold for prices that would insure the total financial ruin of every owner. Not only this, but the Texas, Wyoming, Montana and all other cattlemen would be made to suffer untold losses by reason of this wholesale flood of cattle being forced into the market channels. Cattlemen all over the country were struck by the force of the arguments; they 'resolved" and petitioned, begged, threatened and abused. But all to no purpose. When it was found that the President was inexorable, the lessees set to work; and though half the time was lost in vain petitions, the Presi-

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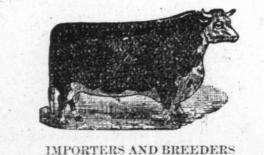
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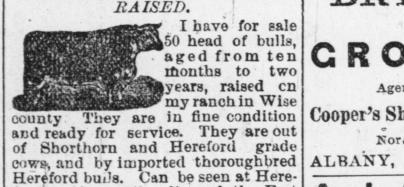
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inquiry regarding the qualities, etc., of Texas ponies, I have had some knowledge of them, and it is a subject that DALLAS, - TEXAS, has attracted my attention for several Uvalde's System of Graded years. During a residence of eighteen years in Kansas and Nebraska I have seen great improvements in our horse our horse stock consisted of Texas, Indian and Mexican ponies, which were gradually crossed with larger horses, mostly of inferior stock—that is, not blooded stock. There was a gradual improvement, every cross being an improvement, until now there is no better scattered in several small rooms and stock for general purpose than is to be private dwellings in remote parts of the found in eastern Kansas and Nebraska. My attention within the past five or six trons, teachers and trustees, which years has been attracted to the crossing, have fortunately all been healed over, in a small way, of full-blood Clydes and and we now have our entire school in-Normans with the pony, and invariably it brings a clean, smooth horse, of 1,000 under the management of one set of to 1,100 lbs., from a 700 lb. mare and trustees and one superintendent and an ,400 lb. stud. I became so well satisfied of the great profit there was in breeding up from Texas stock, that I intended entering into it but circumstances beyond my control prevented. After a thorough investigation, my con clusions were that the Mexican horses were better than Texans in every respect | school session to nine or ten months. -not as rangy, more blocky, better For this reason, in addition to the proand smoother limbs, smaller heads and rata of our district from the state school necks, hardier and sounder, and have not the itch which Texans are subject erty taxpayers last Saturday deterto. In 1884, I went to Mexico and mined, by a vote of 71 to 9, to levy a shipped out 800 head. This season I brought out 1,200 head, all of which I sold to breeders and for cow ponies. Col. E. D. Webster, living near Buff- will yield an additional income to the alo, N. Y., has 500 head on a ranch near Stratton, Neb., crossing with half Clyde and Normans. He started in four years ago with 100 Texan mares, and including the amount from the county says they are more profitable than cattle two to one. C. H. Hatchild, N. M. has 200 head. These men are practical, and have had experience. I think a cheering sight to see the multitude of the Percheron-Norman Horse Company, Denver, Col. have been crossing

> In my observation there is no horse that is hardier and embraces all the qualities your correspondent mentions than the Mexican pony. When properly handled in breaking, they make a perfectly gentle and intelligent animal. As a rule, Texan mares sent north are the culls of these herds. You can drive seventy-five or one hundred miles per day with a Mexican pony, and they live on almost nothing. I am not interested in the trade, as I do not intend to bring any more out, unless for my promise of a dancing school and anothown purpose, but am glad to give all the information I can regarding them. I know of no investment in stock that will pay beeter than breeding from

from Mexican ony stock." The above letter appeared in a recent issue of the National Live Stock Journal, in answer to a letter from Virginia. The facts as stated give but a slight idea of the number of Texas mares of the year. Special course at reduced rates and shipped annually to northern markets and sold to farmers and breeders. The greater numbers are shipped from San Antonio and are of originally Spanish stock slightly improved. The prices vary according to size and condition of stock. Recent sales have ranged upward from \$15.00 for common and thin Mexican mares to \$30.00 for graded stock in fair condition. Buyers generally have no difficulty in obtaining what they want. In northern Texas a far better class of stock is raised Man's horrid trade in man." as a general rule, but south Texas will shortly put some excellent horses on the markets which are the product of a Norman or Clydesdale cross on Texas and Mexican mares. Cheep breeding stock can be found in Texas now, but it will not always be so.

Arab Ponies.

Scottish Agricultural Gazette.] Colonel Barrow, of the 19th Hussars, who is well known as the chief organizer of mounted infantry in recent campaigns, has drawn up an important memorandum in regard to the Arab ponies which were the mounts of the 19th Hussars during the campaign on the Nile for the relief of Khartoum. These animals, Arab stallions of 14 hands, whose average age was between eight and nine years, were bought in Syria and in lower Egypt at about £18 per head; and Colonel Barrow thinks it a most remarkable circumstance that out of 350 horses during nine months, in a hard campaign, only twelve died from disease; and this he attributes, Largest stock of Guns, Fishing Tackle and firstly, to the climate of the Soudan be- have recently purchased from the ing most suitable for horses, and, sec- Francklyn Cattle company, in Panhanondly, to the Syrian horse having a dle, Texas, 12,000 head of cattle, the wonderful constitution, and being ad- price paid being on a basis of \$25 for mirably suited for warfare in an Eas- cows, and \$15 for yearlings. The detern climate. The distance marched, livery will be made Jan. 1 .- [Trinidad irrespective of reconnoissance, &c., (Col.) Advertiser. was over 1500 miles, and the weight A striking instance of the depreciacarried averaged 14 stone. The weath- tion in the value of land is afforded by er during the last four months was very | the sale of the Mining Park estate, trying. Food was often very limited, Lincolnshire, which comprises 540 and during the desert march water was acres, and which had a mortgage upon with them marched to the Nile without having received a drop of water for fifty five hours, and only 1 lb. of grain. Some fifteen or twenty had no water for seventy hours. At the end of the campaign, and after a week's rest, the animals were handed over to the 20th Hussars at Assouan in as good order as when they left Wady Halfa nine months previously. Colonel Barrow believes that the performances of the 19th on Arab ponies will compare with cate. the performances of any horsemen on From

Time is money. A trotting horse that could go in 2.19 was recently sold at the rate of \$162 a second. It will be readily seen that a horse able to trot a he is general manager, is now entirely apolis Tribune.

\$300; chestaut driver, \$125; bay driv- de West Texan.

er, \$125; bay driver, \$140; gray driver, \$110; gray driver, \$125; draft team, \$400; draft team, \$350; black horse, \$165; black horse, \$175; gray horse, \$200; six streeters, per head, ten brood mares for Dakota,

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Schools. [From the Ovalde West Texan, Dec. 17.] Our town and people have much to the noble purpose to which it was dedicated. Consequently the children were town, There was also, some unpleasant dissension and division among paterest united and all the schools consolidated in one grand graded system, able corpse of six assistant teachers, and all of the eight grades, except the fourth, comfortably located in the new school building. It now appears to be the almost unanimous desire, of our citizens to still further enlarge our school buildings and properly equip them, so as to accommodate our entire scholastic population and extend the free fund, and our prorata of the income from the county school lands, our propspecial school tax of twenty cents on the \$100. The assessed value of property in the district is estimated at between \$500,000 and \$750,000, which schools of \$1,000 to \$1,500. The amount apportioned to the district for the present scholastic year, as obtained from the county judge's record, is \$2,302,30, school lands, which, with the prospective increase, will probably yield a total revenue to the district, available for next session, of \$3,500 or \$4,000. It is happy faces and rosy cheeks of the nimble laddies and lassies as they assemble on the school grounds, and as they leave the building one is forcibly reminded, by the number, of bees coming out of a hive, the total enrollment being at last account about 360 pupils.

It is sincerely hoped that the same good counsels will prevail and good management continue until Uvalde becomes, as it is fast becoming, the queen city of the West, from an educational, social and moral standpoint. Besides our literary schools, we now

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Toombs and the Philanthropist.

After Toombs' famous Boston speech a philanthropist came up to him as he stood in the center of a group at his hotel and said: "Sir, I have come to ask you a question, and you impress me as a man who will tell the truth, even if it bears against him." "I will try," said Mr. Toombs, with

great meekness. "I am told, sir," said the man, "that down in Georgia you actually work poor negroes to the plow, instead of mules or horses. Is that true, sir?" Mr. Toombs looked like a man hit hard, but asked: "Do you know the

cost of a negro man, sir?' "Oh, yes," was the reply. "From \$1000 up to \$1500 for human flesh, sir. Said Mr. Toombs: "Will \$900 do

for an average? "Yes, sir," said the man; "I think we may say that.' "Do you know the cost of a common mule or horse?" said Mr. Toombs.

"Yes, sir; the average of unimprov-

ed stock may be \$100. You neglect vour brutes, sir.' "Granted," said Mr. Toombs. "Now how, many men do you think it takes to pull a two-horse-plow in clay soil like

"I have not thought of that, sir; but -ahem-we will say ten. "Then," said Mr. Toombs in that tender, pathetic tone, which would have made him perfect as a revivalist exhorter, "then we have a mule team at \$200 and a negro team that cost

\$9000; and what do you think of the economy of it yourself?" The talk ended and only one man

ROUND-UPS.

Messrs. R. G. Head and Lonny Horn

very scarce. When General Stewart's it of £15,000. The mortgagees worked column made its final advance on Met- it at a heavy loss for some time, and ammeh, the 125 horses the 19th had have finally sold the estate for £3000. - Scottish Agricultural Gazette.

Mr. Charles Word, of Kansas City, has been in this section for a week or more. Mr. Word formerly lived at Goliad, and has large cattle interests in the Indian Territory. He is keeping his weather eye out on the stock mar ket in this part of Texas, and will probably capture a string of yearlings be-fore he returns north.—Victoria Advo-From Judge Hiler, who in company with his family, was in town to par-

ticipate in the festivities, we learn that mile a hour ought to be worth just enclosed, containing 127,000 acres and \$583,200. Figures never lie.—[Minnea large number of cattle. It is now being fenced into three separate pastures for the proper classing and han-Among the late Chicago horse sales dling of the stock. The judge still were the following: Chestnut driver, wants to buy about 1,000 cows -[Uval-

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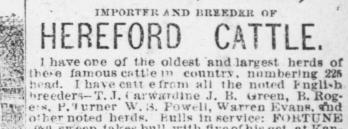
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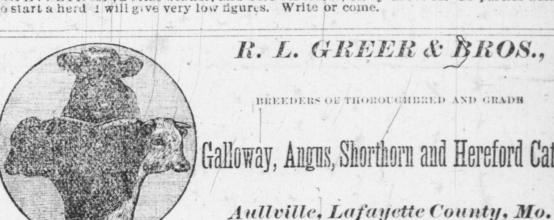
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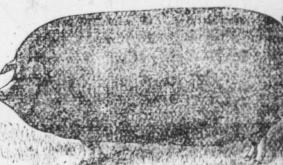
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Burnet, Texas, July 18. '82.

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From Z. T. Fulmore, County Judge Austin, Texas, June 20, '82.

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Thirty-second District: June 9, 1884.

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From Hon. D. P. Marr, Judge of the Thirty sixth District:

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Letter from Hon. A. W. Honston, President pro tem of the Senate: SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Jan. 1, 1883.

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### SWINE COLUMN.

The Male Influence Among Swine. Farmers' Magazine.

more than half the progeny would be ciency. inferior to their dams in consequence of the prepotency of the sire. The old truism that the boar is half the herd, is to-day more palpable than ever. A Gives a first-class meal for thirty-five make it his chief business to select a Second streets, Fort Worth, Texas. good sire. He should not only visit This is a combination of Saline and Vegeta. reputed herds for the purpose, but take

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> A. B. Lane, foreman for Loomis & Andrews, the shipwheel brand on Belle Fourche, came down with Van Thomason a few days ago and proceeded to Texas, where he will spend the winter. -[N. W. Live Stock Journal. ]

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Mr. T. A. Coleman came in on Wed nesday direct from the Indian Territory. Mr. Claude · Keeran. who accompanied him from here, did not return, but went on to Deming, N. M., to visit a relative, and from thence will proceed to Denver City, to attend the Colorado stock meeting, to take place there shortly. He will probably return home in a week or two .- Victoria Advocate.

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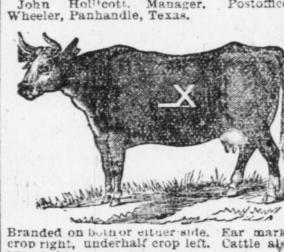
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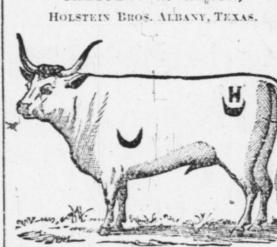
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on both sides. Horse brand same on left Cattle also branded LIZ on left side and LIZ with CM on thigh, marked overslope fight, crop and underbit left. WBM left, underslope and underhalf crop left, underslope and overbit right.

XX on left side and 74 on hip, marked crop and overbit left, over and underbit

THE CONCHO CATTLE CO OF TEXAS. G. M. CASRY, President: H. W. SALMON, Secretary and Treaserer, Clinton, Mo. S. H. Bronaugh, Manager, postoffice, Cole man, Texas. Ranch on Mustang Creek, Con



Also all brands of cattle formerly owned oy R. L. Dunman.

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CHAMPION CATTLE COMPANY. G. M. CASEY, President; H. W. SALMON Secretary and Treasurer: THOMAS ADAIR, Manager, Co.orado, Texas.

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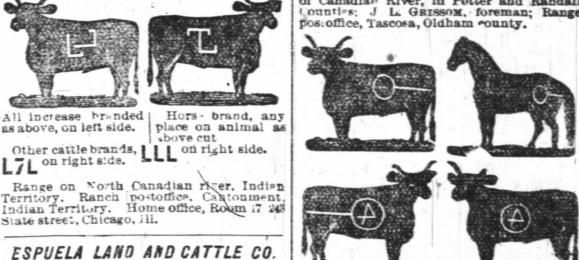
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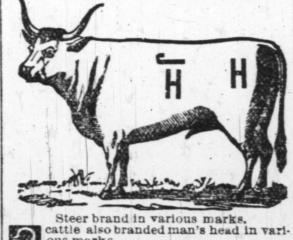
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GLIDDEN & SANBORN. Postoffice, Houston, Texas. Range, south f Canadian River, in Potter and Randal



J. J. HITTSON. BROFF Superintendent, Dockum's, Dickens Postoffice Weatherford, Texas. Range or Double Mountain Fork, in Stonewall and Fisher counties. Ranch manager, James Smith, Postoffice Sweetwater, Nolan county.





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on left shoulder, or hip and shoulder. on left shoulder or hip. GLORGETOWN RANCH COMPANY, Of Georgetown, Ken tucky. Ranch 30 miles

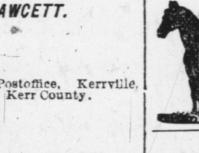
southwest of Abilene, 'aylor county, Texas. Address, Georgetown Ky.) Ranch Co., Mt. Cattle brands, n left side, o on left jaw. Marks, crop leit. arp right. These marks and brands will kept up. Also have cattle in following

Horse brands, B on left shoulder and in left hip. on left hip. S. H. Riley, General Manager, Mt. Moro.

GOMAZ CATTLE COMPANY. G. T. NEWMAN, General Manager. Postoffice, El Paso, Ranch, Antelope Springs, Presidio county, Texas. Horse brand same

or hip. This orand kept up, marked underslope right and left. Horse brand 64 on left hip Also cattle branded as 64 follows: Ton left side on right hip. Some cattle and horses have other old brands as follows: Four hundred head branded as above on follows: BAL on left side, L7 on left side, NUN on BAL left side, Various marks. SPS on \$200 will be paid for the conviction of any le T left N left hip; ear marks of side N calves, underslope left. Also cattle T left M Horse brand same as cut on left hip, and some have brand on left shoulder. person illegally handling any of this company's stock. All G4 cattle and horses belong to this com G4 tany.

N. B. JOHNSON.



Postoffice, Rochelle. McCulloch county. Ranch 10 miles east of Brady City, on Bradv Creek. Herses branded as n cut on left shoulder and right thigh.

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PANY. HENRY J. TILFORD, President, Louisville, Kentucky.

CLAUDE M. TILFORD, Agent and General Manager. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. BUCK ALLEN. Ranch Manager. Range - Mount Blanco, Crosby county, Texas Cattle also in following brands and various

No side; side and hip;
O lett jaw or neck, A left shoulder; X left side and hip; HOL with — over or under on left side; ALL with — under left side, CAL left side; LOL left side; left side, Jw C left side; LO left side; side,

W. C. BISHOP, President; J. S. Collier, Secretary and Treasurer, Fort Worth.

J. T. CROWLEY, Ranch Manager.

Ranch postoffice, Sweetwater, Texas.

Ranch on Clear Fork of the Brazos in Fisher

This brand kept up; marked crop and un-derbit right, under half crop left. Care Valley Nation-Also cattle branded A marked underslore and over bit right, A crop left.

Rapch on Pecos
River, Tom Green

HXL derslope left. M. C. LYNN.



C on shoulder and XF
on side, marked slope and underbit right, underslope left.
Also cattle branded 12 F. Range in King and

M. O. LYNA. Postoffice, Palo Pinto, Texas, range, Stone-

Horse brand LYNN & JOWELL.

LOVING CATTLE COMPANY.

and range as



Lost Valley, Jack county. This brand kept up on horses and cattle. Also cattle in the following marks and OL right side and thigh, marked split left, crop and two splits right. JWL left side, marked crop, split left, underbit right.

BEL left L on thigh, marked crop split left, underbit right. lett side, marked crop, split left, un-OWL left side, marked crop and overbit left, crop and underslope right.

HAT left side G on left jaw, marked underslope left, swallowfork

BAR right side, marked crop left, crop and overhalf crop right.

Cattle i last three are also in various MOR on left side, E on jaw, marked swallowfork each ear, underbit left. MEL on left side, marked crop and splif left, underbit right.

JC on left L on hip marked crop left. un-A on left jaw, side and wank, marked crop A on left Jaw, side left. MAY on left on left hip, crop right, side, crop and under half MEL on left side, marked crop right under half crop left. MOT on on hip, marked crop and under half crop each ear Also in various marks : MOT on either side, marked as above.

YEY on Y on thigh, marked crop and under half crop in each ear, MAY HAT acd MOT. Information as to the whereabouts of any estray stock in any of these brands will be thankfully received and suitably rewarded

on left side in various marks.

by J. C. Loving general manager, Jacksboro, MATADOR LAND AND CATTLE CO (Limited.) H. H. CAMPBELL, Superintendent.
P. O., Teepe City, Motley county. Ranch
Ballard Springs, Motley county. Also Cattle
branded Ton each side, some of which have
K on left jaw or Ton each hip, marked under-half-crop in each ear. Also same mark,
branded Tolet side and Tright side.

R. C. Burns, Ranch Manager.

branded 7 left side and T right side. Some of these also have K on right jaw. Also left side, M hip, or A on the right hip, on the right hip, on W left shoulder, side. hip, marked | crop left ear. Also on left side, in various marks, or marked crop and two splits in left and swallowfork in right; or crop and two splits in left only, or swallowfork in laft and





MOYNE LAND AND CATTLE COM-PANY.

Texas.

MALLET CATTLE COMPANY.

mark, swallow fork left, over slope

and 0 on hip: mark, crop left, crop and under half crop right.

O on hip and LET on side mark, same

O on shoulder, hip and side; mark, under

The Table mark, crop left, crop and under half crop right,

C. H. DANA, West Lebanon, N. H.

slope left, crop right.

Ranch address, Sey

our. Texas.

Lax ngton, Ky. Various marks.



LIBERTY CATTLE COMPANY.

Ranch on Colorado river and Morgan D. P. ATWOOD, Manager. Postoffice Colo-rado City, Texas. This brand kept up. Also catela in following maras and brands: HOT on right side and some harderop and und rbit right.

PCK Ton n ck; mark, swallow fork leit, over half crop right. Aon jaw ; mark, swallow fork left.

on hrp and side; mark, swallow fork left. TGE on either side, JIM on opposite side; sharp right. on neck, an on side,



MAPLEWOOD LIVE STOCK COMPARY,

JOEL

J. H. LUNDY, Manager, Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch on Double Mountain Fork. Kent county, Texas. J. D. Lundy president. N. A. Lundy, secretary; F. Hunneman, treasurer, 279 Milwankes avenue, Chicago. Cattle branded on both sides overbit right and underbit left.

Horse brand same on left hip.

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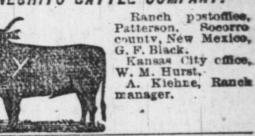


MOLLOY CATTLE COMPANY. J. H. McCarthy, President; W. P. Homan, ecretary and Treasurer, Little Rock. Ark. CHAS. MOLLOY, Manager, Eden, Concho Co. Ranch on head of Mustang creek, Concho county, Texas. Some of the cattle are branded on left side. Brand will be Kept up on right side. Ear marks crop and split left, underb

CM on left hip. MUSCATINE CATTLE CUMPANY.



NEGRITO CATTLE COMPANY.



NAVE McCORD CATTLE CO ABRAM NAVE, President and General Manager, Fort Worth, Texas. James McCord, Vice President, St. Joe, Me. S. M. Nave, Secretary and Treasurer, St.



This brand kept up on both sides, Same brands in various other marks and

Texas.

Postoffice, Colorado



Above in various marks, PITCHFORK LAND AND CATTLE CO.

on right side, S on hip, marked underhalf crop left, overhalf crop right.

HOL (under HOL marked crop and underhalf bar) or HOL derslope left. left side, marked crop and split right, crop and underbit left.

EW left side, marked crop right, underbit left.

EW left side, marked underslope left, overslope right.

Horse brand same as cut on left hip.

A. C. RIDBLE. Postoffice Waco. Cattle ranch 8 miles East of Wac . Horse ranch Haske'l county on Paint Creek: M. Sanderson, Manager, post-



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#### FORT WORTH.

MAIN OFFICE TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, FORT WORTH, TEX., Jan. 9, 1886.

Don't forget the Austin meeting on the 12th instant.

THE governor suggests that the lease price of land be four cents hereafter. Not a bad idea to carry out the law as it is written.

THE date for the opening of the International Range Cattle and Horse Growers' association at Denver, Colorado, is Wednesday, January 27.

#### A Short Trip.

The country along the Fort Worth and Denver is not green at this time, yet has a wholesome and healthy appearance. The landscape is dotted over with herds of cattle still working at the grass, while here and there are hay and straw stacks untouched, and waiting for the dark days of winter to come. Quantities of this hay will be left over for some other time, although possibly the amount will be considerably lessened. The grass is still good, steers are munching corn, the hog is following and fattening, and the stock cattle look about three or four hundred per cent. better than about this time last year. This little strip of country between Fort Worth and Decatur is considered as one of the best farming strips in the state, the rainfall is ample, and the soil, a rich black loam, is very roductive. There is very little waste land; cultivation is easy and remuneraabundantly to the mowing machine. and the horse rake can be worked without precautions against stumps or brush. It is a country practical rather than beautiful, embracing several hune dred thousand square miles, all under fence, in pasture, of in cultivation. The winter grain is only just beginning to change the color of the landscape.

On the Denver train Tuesday morning was Bill Hunter, still rustling for his firm, Hunter. Evans & Co. He carried a valise so carefully the writer supposed he was toting gold to put up on beef cattle for some man who did not believe in checks or greenbacks. The Journal man came near asking for an advance on an imaginary "cattle or two," but William had such a strict collateral look about him he was allowed to slide without being robbed.

Major A. C. Irvine, of the Live. Stock Exchange of Dallas, C. W. Gano, secretary of the Estado Cattle company, and the office man of the Journal, were on the train bound a little way up the road, were no sconer seated than Major Irvine, Dallas like, began to villify Fort Worth. He kept it up so blithely for a time that the Journal man did almost cuss him out, when one of the ladies in the car handed the Fort's champion a copy of the daily Gazette and saying, "Here sir, is a Fort Worth paper," as much as said "read it to the brute," and while the Major was transfixed with her piercing gaze, he was inflicted with several paragraphs about the defunct Dalias and Northwestern, and the "Dallas end of the newsless News," and not until thorenghly cowed and limp as a rag was he permitted to retire to the smoker to hide his diminished head in the box of the train butcher.

At Hereford ranch Mr. Gano purchased twenty-three head Texas raised grade Hereford bulls, all two-years-old. The party also saw one of the best jacks in the state, recently sold by Mr. Houts to Mr. Dan Waggoner for one thousand dollars. Here the party increased to five by the arrival of Mr. Scott Gordon and Milt Shoemaker from Decatur dined. Four dined and Mr. Shoemaker simply provided himself. We who dined left him at the enjoy the hospitality of Hereford ranch we hope that Milt Shoemaker has quit

In vicinity of Decatur few cattle sales of any moment are taking place, yearlings and twos, both steers and heifers, are being gathered in by local buyers at low prices, and will cost bunched, full ages, in lots of a thousand about 39 50 for ones and \$13 00 for twos. Some little lots are secured by advances at less than these figures, but the supply of this section, good, nice, thrifty stock are going too cheap.

On the return trip the JOURNAL office man conversed with Will Curtis of Curtis & Atkinson. He said that it re quired no news from the ranch to say cattle were doing well, everybody knew Horse stock, is not quotable just now. it, the stocks are in better condition now than in July, and with good grass and water, and plenty of it, cattle could Messrs. Curtis & Atkinson sold 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 11,000 cattle last year at fairly good 10 loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers, Polled 15th or 17th of January several car loads of choice bulls and heifers are loads of choice bulls and heifers are loads of choice bulls are prices, and so far this year have sold 2000 yearlings, to be delivered in the spring for \$15.00 around, the delivery and sold spring for \$15.00 around, the delivery and sold sold spring for \$15.00 around, the delivery around the delivery and sold spring for \$15.00 around, the delivery around the delivery are impossible.

Angus and Shorthorns, and will offer calves are impossible.

We need them and we need good spring knife, and brutal V. S.'s the ones. Northern or foreign raised bulls of the calves are impossible.

miles from the Diamond Tail ranch. This firm do not expect to experience any difficulty in marketing all the

cattle they have for sale. Major Irvine was very peacable or the return trip. His lady friend was on board and as she gracefully descended from the car on one side, he hastily stepped off on the other.

FORT WORTH

And General Range Notes.

Will Curtis will make one of the Ter as delegation to Denver.

Mules are in strong supply at Fort Worth to the tune of several thousand, Dr. Prentice, late of New Orleans. and formerly of London, England, is you can name, have had a substantial in the city.

D. Boaz of Boaz & Hatcheris in St. Louis, Mo., negotiating some large cattle ranch transaction.

Missouri during the week and wil bring back more stock. A. P. Moore, representing the Rio

Cattle Co., Fisher Co., Texas, was in the city during the week. Immediately after this cold shap

over will be a good time to examine the stock of bulls at Ft. Worth. Captain J. C. Delaney of Fort Stan

from recovering cattle at Toyah.

bulls 1 to 2 year olds—a fine lot. have to report this as the first serious cold spell of the season.

Texas will send about one hundred delegates to the Denver convention and Tuck Boaz will represent the other fifty who remain at home to chop ice.

rive in town with several car loads of are sure to come. Stockmen should not graded bulls and heifers, Polled Angus be in any special haste to contract their and Shorthorns. He expects to be here by the 15th

W. T. Wagoner, of Decatur, Wise Co., sold to M. O. Lynn of Palo Pinto Co. (53,000) fifty-three thousand acres prices, both in the beef pens and for of grazing land in Haskell and Stone- spring delivery to go up the trail. The wall counties.

S. Andrews & Co. will leave for the southwest in a few days to purchase some stock eattle and yearlings on his own account.

Mr. S. B. Burnett, just down from his ranch, reports his animals in good condition and thinks the present cold courage and put up the price of cattle tive, while the native grasses yield weather will not materially injure cat- to correspond with the advance of other tle and horses.

> county, was in town during the week He reports cattle on the range and in mand for Texas stock cattle for next the pen as doing well.

> week but thinks time has about come prosperity as well as any of her sister to go out and pick up the cheap cattle for the spring market.

Thirty days from date the blooded bulls of Texas offered for sale, will be sold. Those who have such stock and will sell at reasonable prices should communicate with dealers at the Fort.

W. G. Martin of Abilene, of Martin and Milliken, ranching in Taylor county breeders of horses and cattle, reports range short and dry but in good condition but water supply short in all the

The stock yards of Polk Bros. at Ft. Worth, contain a very handsome lot of Jersey heifers some just ready to calve, Several of our leading merchants and family cows.

few cattle are now selling and those who do sell sell low; also, that cattle are wintering much better than was a n-

Nave-McCord company writes from Garza county that while the range is very dry cattle are doing well and up to it was the fault of the clumsy mechan-January 1st there had been no winter. ic who put it up, while not infrequently Mr. Burns says further that the beeves the owner failed to oil the joints and do on the range are fat.

Mr. J. H. Matthews, of Matthews & Reynolds, Shackelford county, came in on Friday, and says cattle are doing remarkably well. He will go to Denver. The Monroe Cattle company, Reynolds Bros., and Matthews & Reynolds will drive 10,000 cattle.

in Texas, we may as well state that He has stopped trying to keep up with considerable Montana, Dakota and the land board, preferring to read their Canadian weather arrived here on acts when they have peeped into his-Thursday morning before noon, it tory. There is one item however we seems to be in good quantity and stiff stop to correct. in quality. Here such goods are not wanted or appreciated.

Mr. H. T. Keenan, of the C. B. & Q. R. R., has returned from the north; he returned to the state in search of dry weather and not for the purpose of assisting in directing grass beef over his favorite route. Of course he came after corn fed cattle, but although fresh from Chicago he did not have a ghost of an idea when the market would advance.

table. As we hope some time again to Kansas, was a recent visitor at the Jour- out a single truth in it. NAL, and is prospecting in the state. This gentleman is what in Texas would be called a "Nester," as his farming domain in Donophan county right across to his laurels. There seems to be a disthe river from St. Joe Missouri amounts position among these land board hireto ten thousand acres. The JOURNAL lings to refuse common justice to peohas profound respect for a farm of ple living in Western Texas. Howev-

Northern Texas horses are not selling at this time to any extent. Most of the horsemen are shaping up the three and four year old geldings for the spring trade in cow horses. Prices last spring ranged from \$45 to \$65 for firstclass broke cow horses corn fed and ready for work. Mares are only selling occasionally where parties desire to start breeding to good and large, stallions and prices then range from \$30 to \$45 around. Some of the better class of mares and horses are broke to harness and sell in teams at \$100 to \$150.

## NEW ARRIVALS.

Choice Bulls and Heifers.

Better Days Dawning. Special Correspondence Texas Live Stock

From quite an extended trip North and northwest, your correspondent can safely say that business wears a more hopeful outlook-times are positively much better than they were a year ago. That tidal-wave of prosperity which we have all been looking for these many days, has at last been set in motion, and we confidently expect to see dashing against Texas hard-times before many months. Confidence in values has been restored in the great monied centers, and men have at last consented to unlock their coffers, and make some investments. Stock and bonds of almost everything advance during the past summer. Business men generally at the North and East have had a good year's trade. Manufacturers have made money-the Mr. N. R. Powell, bull dealer, left for iron industries have, without scarcely Mansfield, Ohio. an exception, shown a marked improvment, during 1885, and the last two months proved the best of any in the year, contrary to their expectations.

Now it is but fair to conclude, that this steady and positive improvement will be gradually felt all over the country. If one portion of this country prospers ton, New Mexico, is in town just back the whole must in a measure, receive a benefit-therefore we say, take fresh Jno. S. Andrews & Co. are in receipt courage, live hopefully, yet economicalof one car load high grade Shorthorn ly, and when times do improve in Texas, continue to study economy just the The thermometer was at about Zero same as we have been compelled to do before sunrise Friday morning. We for the past year. The trouble with Americans generally is, that they cannot bear prosperity, and they have no special relish for adversity.

We must all learn the hard lesson to lay aside something during prosperous J. B. Silver, Lexington, Mo., will ar- days, to bridge over the dark ones that stock at 1885 prices. With a pronounced improvement in other things, cattle certainly ought to command higher demoralization created by the quaran-Tobe Johnson of the firm of Jno. tine, and the presidents 40-day order, ought to have spent itself by this time and stockmen should now brace up a little, and take off their old weeds of mourning and wear a more hopeful front. They should screw up their things. There is nothing more tooth-Mr. O. J. Wood, ranching in some than a good juicy beefsteak. Throckmorton and feeding in Ellis Unquestionably there will be a fair de-Unquestionably there will be a fair deseason's delivery, and this will proba-Jerry Beauchamp says no one has bly be felt during the coming month. bought or sold anything during the We think Texas could enjoy a little states, and we trust that tidal-wave may not be long delayed. "Rio."

> LADIES' WATCHES, A. BAHN, JEWEL-ER, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

> FINE GOLD WATCHES, A. BAHN, JEW ELER, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

FROM COLORADO CITY.

The Weather-Windmills-Land Matters-Another Denial-About Bulls.

COLORADO, TEX., Jan. 6th, 1886. Stock people were never more hopebankers have purchased of these elegant ful. We have not had a single bad day either in the fall months or thus far in the winter. Water and grass are Mr. F. E. Cleveland, writing from not overly abundant but the quality of Thornton, Limestone county, says that the former is better than for years, while much of the water is raised by cially do we not want these various windmills and is better than stagnant breeds mixed. The value of a herd of pools. We have experimented with nearly every kind of mill known, and Rowley Burns, ranch manager of the but very few have given entire satisfaction. Sometimes it has been that the mill was worthless and sometimes other acts of kindnesses necessary same opportunity. He can select and called for by the aforesaid mill. The mate from his own herd and improve mill of the period is not here yet. The his cattle. Now we favor improvement, man or company who is lucky enough but much that is written is impracticato have the proper mill and will locate a ble. Were we in the great agricultural central supply depot will have plenty districts we would take the Shorthorn orders to fill before this "fine large against the world. We know what he

country" is entirely filled up. So far as your correspondent has ob-For the benefit of those not present served, there is a lull in land matters.

We noticed some days since in one of the Ft. Worth dailies a list of names who had school lands illegally enclosed There is but one man living here whose name is in the list that one Grass Commissioner Baines gave out for publicacation. It is stated by Mr. Baines

which he is paying no lease. Your scribe interviewed Mr. Beale and is authorized to say that the state-ment is an unabridged fabrication, with-

If other statements from the same source are not better authenticated. Joseph Mulhatton had better look well brief authority, their names will pass into a forgetfulness unequaled since the carth was no bigger than a very small

Bulis-The subject of bulls is agitating the cow-man. Posters, newspapers advertisement, slick tongued sale-

being used to sell bulls. Bulls with horns and bulls without horns, bulls black and bulls red, and every other color, bulls with breeding offered for sale and a Texas constituency fleeced. Now we are not going to write a chapter on bulls, though we have seen as many good ones and as many different kinds as the average citizen who has been around over the world, but whisper

spring for \$15 00 around, the delivery quality of stock raised, and may bring do not acclimate readily. A large per better."

The editor of the Farmer's Review superior stock to this market.

PRENTICE.

The Specialist of Eye, Ear and Business at the Hotel Pickwick, Fort Worth, for Two Weeks.

The president of the State Board of Health Dr. J. C. Anderson determined to ascertain for himself and the good of humanity if the reports concerning Dr. Prentice were true. So accompanied by a number of physicians he went to Dr. Prentice office. He says "I was simply astounded; in 30 minutes Dr. Prentice straightened eleven cross eyes. Not a moan or cry of pain was heard. Each case took the Dr. no more than a minute. He is a wonder. I cannot say too much of Dr. Prentice as a gentleman and thorough physician. We as a profession look upon Catarrh as incurable. But I am convinced that Dr. Prentice can cure any case. I am acquainted with many that his treatment has snatched from the grave. DR. J. C. ANDERSON,

Pres State Board of Surgery.

Two Blind Sisters.

Dr. Prentice, the oculist, who has done a great deal of skillful work in our city, is now in Lima again, for a few days before leaving for Europe for his wife's health. To-day, in his office, we saw a scene, the like of which may never be again. Two sisters, the daughters of Harrison Hay, have both been blind respectively five and seven years. Yesterday about 4 o'clock P. M. he removed the cataracts from the eyes of both sisters in about the space of five minutes, and both were able to see immediately after the operation.

Fire Bells.

I have been told by high authority that my daughter Kittle was incurably deaf, so I sadly gave up all hope that my darling child could ever be restored. She had been deaf seven years, which was caused by catarrh. Dr. Prentice treated her only one week. Then, for the first time in seven years, she heard the fire-bells of Shreveport. Two weeks only has Dr. Prentice treated my child, and she can now hear a MARGARET E. CLARK. whisper. Shreveport, La.

Great Diamond Gift of Dr. Pren-

Two magnificent diamonds that

INVESTIGATION OF DOCTOR | weigh 141 karats can be seen in the show-window at Tully's jewelry store. They belong to Dr. Prentice, who will give them as a present to any person who finds any of his testimonials to be Chronic Diseases, Who is Doing untrue. This offer is made that people may search for the truth.

#### STAMMERING OR STUTTERING

I am 19 years of age and have been troubled with stammering or stuttering nearly all my life, at least since I can remember. It became so annoying to me that I recently went to New Orleans to see if I could find relief. I was recommended to Dr. Prentice, No. 18 Dryades street, New Orleans. I was under the management of the Doctor the first time for thirty minutes, and I have never stuttered on a word or had the least difficulty in articulation since.

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## SAN ANTONIO.

Leasing Land in Mexico. The well-known cattle ranchmen, Messrs. Dewees & Strickland, have just closed a lease for 100,000 acres of grazing lands situated on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, opposite the mouth of the Pecos river and opposite the ranch on this side owned by the same firm. The lease is made from Col. Garcia, one of the largest landowners in Northern Mexico, but the terms are private. While the ground is considerably broken in places, the grazing is excellent, and Messrs. Dewees & Strickland will proceed to stock the ranch from their several pastures.

The South Texas Association. On Wednesday the 6th inst. the annual session of the Southern Texas Live Stock association was held in this eity, presided over by Capt. John T. Lytle, the president. After the admission of three new members the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year John T. Lytle, president B. F. Buzard, vice-president; A. E. Carothers, secretary; Louis Oge, treasurer; executive committee, H. E. Barnard of Bexar county, chairman, J. A Dewess of Kinney, E. R. Rachal of Dimmit, J. S. Woodhull of Kinney, John E Wilson of Gonzales, E. R. Lane or La-Salle, S. Tuttle of Frio, T. M. Coleman of Aransas, S. G. Speed of Frio, Jesse H. Presnall of Pecos, George T. Williamson of Bexar, James F. Scott of Bexar, John F. Camp of Bexar, Meyer Halff of Bexar, George W. West of Live Oak, J. O. Dewess of Bexar and Dr. Johnson of Bexar.

George S. Williamson moved that the president appoint ten delegates to Denver convention, including himself. President-"There will be delegates sent by the state convention."

Williamson-"There might be some here who want to go are not members of the state convention. I understand that associations will be allowed to send delegates to the extent of one delegate for each 50,000 head of stock represented by such association."

The motion was carried, with the understanding that the delegates who go will be empowered to cast the full vote to which this association is entitled.

The president announced the following delegates: J. T. Lytle, B. F. Buzard, George S. Williamson, M. Halff, Jesse H. Preshall, Jno. Camp, Louis Oge, Jno. J. Rhodes, Sidney Tuttle and gathered to his fathers, viz: Col. Icha-J. A. Dewees.

In response to a question, Major D. W. Hinkle stated that the association represented about 700,000 head of cattle and 250,000 head of horses, or about 1 000, head of cattle, horses, sheep and other animals. This would make the association entitled to twenty votes at Denver. The association has on its rolls 105 members, about twenty-five of whom were present at this annual

### HORNS AND HOOFS.

No cattle trades yet. Everybody going to Austin. "Hans Mickle" to the front; Tom Pettus of Goliad is with us. After the Denver meeting, what? Cattle are in mighty good shape: D. R. Fant was in Santone this

Jesse H. Pressnall is smiling around

Major Alex. Moore has been in th

Alamo city. Capt. Jim David will shortly visit

is old Kentucky home. We would be glad to see Col. "Bar-

The officers of the Southern Texas

assoc tion were complimented by re-Col. Frank P. Hord, John J. Rhodes

ern Texas Live Stock Association. John F. Camp this week bought 600 mares from Starr county rancheros.

and A. A. Maher have joined the south-

Mr. Camp is pushing his business ahead in splendid style. Alderman Mackey is no mere figure head in the city council. He transacts his public business with the same spir-

it and success as characterizes his private affairs. Angle & Maddox, those wide-awake land and mining dealers, have moved into the sumptuous office next to the Lockwood & Kampman bank. They ad to have more room for their large

AUSTIN.

State Convention of Stockmen. The convention meets in Austin on uesday the 12th inst., and will connue in session till Thursday afternoon he citizens of Austin have arranged r a grand supper and ball on Thursday vening to the members of the state asociation. We believe the meeting will

e a large enthusiastic and representare meeting. No stone has been left turned to have all the members prest. The stockmen of the Southwestn portion of the state have to face the et that they must battle with all their lited energy and strength to secure a sedom and a right which their more ortherly situated brethren enjoy by e fact of geographical position. very stockman of the South and West ust therefore be up and doing, and om this point form a line. The attennce of all members at the Austin conation is absolutely a necessity, and issue of this convention must be ked forward to by every stockman outh and West Texas as all impor-

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#### BROWNWOOD.

The Coming Western Town.-Its Growth During the Past Ten Years .- Importance as a Trading Point .- Its Business Men. and Other Items.

[Special Correspondence Texas Live Stock

Journal.] It was my pleasure to spend a few days of last week in the above town which is now the present terminus of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railway. Ten long years had elapsed since I last visited the place, hence few can imagine my surprise when leaving the railroad depot I was within five minutes landed in the center of a live, bustling and substantial city of 3000 people. The changed condition of things now from what they were ten years ago affords such a strange contrast that I could hardly realize that things were real. I remember that ten years ago, where now stands the magnificent brown stone court house, which reflects so much honor upon Brown county, there was a vacant spot with here and there a stray mesquite bush, which was used by the cowboys as a hitching post, and that the plaza which now surrounds the courthouse with solid blocks of stone was then only marked here and there by the true type of frontier houses, viz: rough boards. The growth of Brownwood, permanent, has been such as to stamp the place as one of solid and conservative growth, keeping even pace with the growth and material development of the fine section of country which surrounds the place. When I first visited the town of Brownwood it was then the headquarters for many of the wealthy cattlemen whose herds could be counted upon a thousand hills, but as the rich and alluvial valleys become used for agricultural purposes, these herds were driven westward, until now the stock interest of the county embraces but few large herds, and the county will ultimately become a stock farming county for which it is so well

But I have made a digression, as I only desire in this letter to speak of the city of Brownwood and its brave and warm hearted people. The town has a splendid location in the beautiful valley of Adam's creek, and right here I must refer to an old friend of mine, who was several years ago bod Adams, after whom the creek was named. Col. Adams lived to see Brownwood, which he had assisted in founding, emerge from the rawhide period and take her place in the line of progress. No one could know him as the writer did without loving him. He was indeed one of natures noblemen. Peace be to his ashes. George Adams, a son of Col. Adams, is now one of the wealthy and influential citizens of Brown county. The city of Brownwood, besides her fine courthouse, has several fine churches and a splendid system of public schools, which under the able management of Prof. Coleman, offers as many advantages as any town in Western Texas. The town which was once noted for the number and desperate character of its desperadoes is now as noted for the moral tone of its people. Brownwood is destined to become one of the most important trading points in Western Texas. The Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railway, which is now running its cars to the town can not fail to add greatly to the material development of the country surrounding the town, and in this way the place will be largely benefitted, yet the most important railroad the city B-Q" Campbell down this way this can secure is the Fort Worth and Rio-Grande railroad. This road would not only give the town a competing line with the Santa Fe, but it would shorten the distance by rail between two cities 125 miles. The merchants are all anxious for the road to Fort Worth, and just so soon as the projectors of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande railroad convince the people of Brownwood that the road will be built, they can command the money of her wealthy men in aid of the enterprise. In this connection I desire to say that many ci the merchants of that place expressed to me a decided preference for Fort Worth as a market over any other city in'the state.

> who have just opened a large family grocery store, informed me that in making their purchases they bought from J. H. Brown of Fort Worth, about \$2500 worth of goods, which was by far the most satisfactory purchase made. This is not only a compliment to Mr. Brown, but also to Fort Worth as a market. The readers of the STOCK JOURNAL will find the card of the above Brownwood house in this paper, and when in that city you should call and examine the goods of this new house before making purchases, as I feel justified in saying that it will be to your interest to do so. Besides this firm I had the pleasure of meeting the gentlemen composing the firm of Brewer, Parker and Malone, wholesale and retail dealers in dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, hats and notions. This firm stands at the head in their lines, and keep in store one of the largest stocks to be found in Western Texas. Stockmen of the West and all other readers of the STOCK JOURNAL will find it to their advantage to trade with this house when in need of goods Bair, manufacturers and dealers in saddlery &c., is another prominent and refair dealing built up a large trade in
> Western Texas. This is the house worth, Texas.

Messrs. Brumley & Latimer,

where stockmen should go to purchase their outfits for the Spring round-ups. See their card in this issue of the STOCK JOURNAL. Brownwood has two banks. I had the pleasure of meeting Messrs. Ford & Martin, of the banking house of Coggin, Ford & Martin, who are both gentlemen of large wealth, and fully alive to the interest of their town and section. The banking firm, of which these gentlemen are members, is one of the solid banking houses of Western Texas. Besides the large paid up capital and undivided dividends of this bank, the firm represents in the aggregate property subject to liabilities worth nearly a half million dollars. The business of the bank is conducted upon the most safe and conservative principles. The card of this bank will be found in this issue. I also met Mr. C. N. Klauber in Brownwood. This gentleman is the proprietor of several remedies which he is now offering to the public, prominent among which is the Siberian Frost Cure, which is an excellent remedy for chaped hands and lips. Read his advertisement in this paper and send for a box. Dr. J. N. Goolsbee, a dentist of large experience, has recently located in Brownwood, which will be his future home. This gentleman comes strongly recommended, and we feel justified in saying that the public will find him complete master of his profession. We had the pleasure of meeting Messrs. Noel & Evans, real estate and live stock agents. These gentlemen have during the past few years built up an extensive business, especially in real estate. This firm is composed of gentlemen of large experience, and possess a vast fund of information about Western Texas lands, and also own and control much land in Brown county, as well as a large amount of city property. They also have fine facilities for purchasing or selling cattle for immediate or spring delivery. Persons in need of either land or cattle would do well to write this firm who are capable and trustworthy. We also had the pleasure of meeting our old friend Maj. Jno. T. Rankin, proprieter of the Rankin House, Brownwood, Texas. Maj. R. has spent many years in that town where he has ever since becoming a citizen labored for its advancement. The public will FORT WORTH, for its advancement. The public will find him a genial host and a most excellent gentlemen. Maj. Rankin and Mr. W. C. Morgan have placed us under many obligations for courtesies received at their hands. Mr. W. C. Morgan, who is at the head of the Morgan Land and Cattle company, has done more for this section than perhaps any other man in Brownwood, where he has resided for many years, and who has by dint of energy and fair dealing built up a large business and fortune, The city of Brownwood owes Mr. Morgan a debt of gratitute which few others could rightfully claim. We omitted at the proper time to mention two fine roller mills which the city of Brownwood now has in operation, which manufacture a fine grade of flour. Space will not permit us to mention many other interesting features in and about the town which we hope to speak of in some future letter. On our return home we

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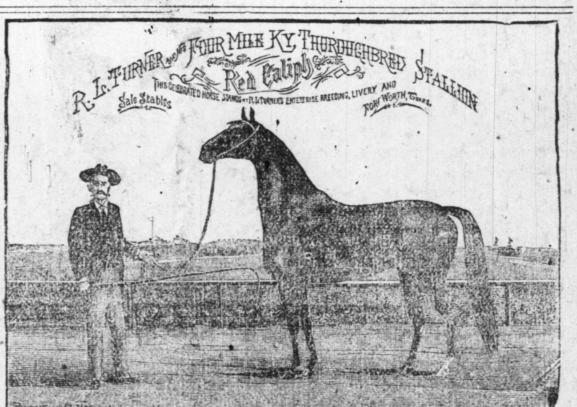
Russian circulars, fur collar and richly ornamented in back, \$6.50; our price early in th Silk Russian circulars, autumn value \$25.00, closing value \$18.50 Ottoman silk circulars that sold readily at the beginning of the season at \$20,00, we now Elegant silk circulars, that were noted all the season for elegance, style, finish, above all it, that were in demand at \$30.00, we offer to close at \$19.00.

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## The Year 1886.

Sheep go up, and sheep go down as sheep are going up. When wool, in wool and woolens. Croakers, therebrings a fair price, the people who own for with a population of 60 millions of sheep begin to show themselves, and progressive people within our borders, not only acknowledge the corn, when all must be fed and clothed." taxed with ownership, but actually glory in it.

scratched many a cattle man on the benefit of the exposures of importers back, to find a sheepman, and many who rob the government by smuggling have held on through thick and thin, in wools that are used for clothing purhigh and low figures, and will yet real- poses at the carpet tariff, and even the handsomely.

made by a sheep raiser in August 1882, counts for the condition of the wool who said. "I know of no other busi- market to an appreciable extent, and ness in which there is a greater legit- we hope that as the matter is investiimate profit than in sheep raising, and gated the manufacturers and importers of land to support all the sheep in this mone in which the intelligent man is so who are not smugglers, and the govmone in which the intelligent man is so | who are not smugglers, and the govfree from care," We know that dur- ernment, and the wool growers will ing the past two years, during the time each receive their due, and that the the sheep trade has been demoralized, general revival of trade will be strongthat several hundred flockmasters in er. At present the wool trade stands Texas have not only obtained interest | well and promises well. on their money, but have obtained, pay for their labor also.

The year 1886 will make a grand showing for sheep husbandry in the west, Sheep are wintering well to commence on, and the lamb crop cannot be less than a good one. Wool will bring good money, and, with a long pull a strong pull and a pull altogether the sheep interest could obtain double deck transportation or an equivalent in a reduced rate for single decks.

Then let sheep raisers attend to their flocks and not let them run all the flesh off during the winter so that spring will find them in good condition and then the year 1886 will be one of the bright years in sheep husbandry.

## Valuable Wool Figures.

The Boston Weekly Advertiser of January 1st, 1886, contains the follow- Terms private.-[Uvalde West Texan. ing important matter for sheepmen:

given in the table below, as also that tans Sons, commission merchants 3 for the preceding year. It may not be absolutely correct to a pound, for est in the growing of Mohair sufficient the stocks of one or two firms are esti- to solicit the trade. mated, but sufficient is known to establish the fact that stocks are less than a of Mr. C. G. Burbank of Menard counder, for instance, fails to give entire year ago, and for any year since 1882. ty, amongst the list of new year sub-The stock of fleece and territory is scribers. Mr. Burbank is one of the stock of California spring and Texas by practical articles of benefit to our because it is of full strength, absolutewools is also conspicuously less. Any fellow wool growers. small difference in the stock of any Col. H. L. Bentley, formerly of this description can possibly be accounted place, but now of Abilene, is spoken of Brown is in itself sufficient to make it for under "unclassified," but the outfor under "unclassified," but the outline is clearly defined in the eases of fleece and territory wools. The increase in foreign is to be traced to Australian.

In foreign is to be traced to Australian. combing. The decrease in the stock of domestic wool is 5,966,600 lbs; the inase in foreign is 1,224,700 lbs; the

year ago.

YEAR 1000.	
Dec. 31, '85. Lbs.	Dec. 27, '8 Lbs.
Fleece4,819,800	10,682,60
Domestic pulled 2,720,100	3,539,50
California pulled. 127,000	
Tub and scoured. 436,900	726,00
California spring.1,030,000	2,583,50
California fall 249,000	359,00
Oregon	1,071,40
Texas 21,213,000	1,859,00
Territory2,495,400	3,536,00
Ky., Ga. & Mo 435,500	652,00
Sundries5,018,000	690,80
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	19,72	2,700	25,689,30
THE PERSON	Foreign. Mediterranean 42	25,000	
1	Cape		120,00
-	Aus. and N. Z 1,19	5,000	652,10
1000	Mont. & B. Ayres. 64	9,000	
-		3,000	27,00
	1 5.		33,20
	Chilian		
1	Eng. & Ir'h comb. 41	8,000	
	Foreign scoured 2	0,000	
1	Cordova, Russia,		
	Smyrna, Bagdad 73	0,000	1,675,00
1	Mohair		
1		000	45 00

Sundries..... 20,000 Total foreign, 3,750,000 1,575,300 Total domestic, 19,722,700 25,689,300 Grand total...23,472,700 28,214,600 STOCKS OF WOOL IN BOSTON FOR PAST

STOCKS	01 1100	IL IN DODLOR	I TOTO TIME
	TI	EN YEARS.	
		Domestic.	Foreign.
1885		.19,722,700	3,750,000
		.25,689,300	2,525,300
		.20,426,600	3,476,200
		.18,067,000	1,172,500
		.19,097,000	3,808,500
		.17,608,000	7,156,000
		.13,495,492	3,450,424
		.13,990,201	· 2,989,000
		.12,647,480	2,847,900
		.14,847,700	3,193,000
1875		.14,150,000	336,000

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#### The Wool Trade.

The only development in the wool The TEXAS LIVE STOCK trade so far is the exhibit of the stock on hand in Boston, which amounts in round figures to five million pounds less than at the closing of the previous year. The stock of wool at Boston amounts to but twenty-three and onehalf millions of pounds. The quantity The TEXAS LIVE STOCK sold in Boston in the year 1885 amount-JOURNAL and the Monthly and ed to a trifle less than one hundred and Weekly National Live Stock seventy-one million pounds, fifty-three Journal for one year for three million pounds more than during the year 1884. The amount of stock on hand, coupled with the knowledge that there is not much wool in the country held back from market, is an assurance that by clipping time there will be a strong demand for select clips at possibly higher figures than now quoted. Send subscriptions by pub- These quotations now are carried in

Doston papers.
Texas spring medium, 12 mos. 24@26
Texas spring fine 22@24
Texas spring fine, 6 to 8 mos 18@22
Texas spring medium, 6 to 8 mos. 19@23
Texas fall fine
Texas fall medium 10@23
The New York market is not unfa-
vorable. The Economist says:

"At least the close of 1885 is much bad or worse than miscellaneous man- more cheerful than 1884. We hail 1886, nipulated railroad stocks. In 1886 and believe it will prove a banner year brings a satisfactory price and mutton fore, might as well get into back seats,

That paper, while in favor of free trade, is not in favor of smuggling In the boom of 1882, the writer wool, and wool growers will receive the then evading a portion of the carpet We are reminded of a statement duties. This kind of protection ac-

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## WEEKLY CLIP.

Congress would like to, but is afraid to handle the tariff question. The Chicago, sheep market for the

new year, opened up a little stronger

The domestic supply of Mohair, is exhausted. Clipping will commence soon, and realize good figures.

Edward Mellor & Co., of Philidelphia, ate in their circular of January 1st 1886 that the new year opens with brighter prospects for wool than for several years past.

We learn from Mr. L. D. Brashcar. who is at home in town for the holidays, that he has disposed of his entire stock of sheep over 2,000 head to Messrs. Mangum & Turman, of Muela.

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Richlier, constantly importuned, finally ordered the "madman" imprisoned. Even in jail he did not desist from declaring his "delusion," which one day attracted the attention of a British nobleman, who heard De Cause story, and developed his discovery of steam power!

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#### CINCINNATI.

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#### Coming Home to Die.

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Regular Correspondence TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL. ST. Louis, Mo., Jan. 4, '86.

Perhaps the best that can be done at the beginning of the new year is to give a summary of the proceedings of the previous year. The increase in receipts in 1885 over those of 1884 was some 75 per cent. If this is not doing well then prosperity "aint nowhere," as the Yankee would say. Wool dealers have made money if the flockmasbought heavily at the opening of the srs. Crow, Rudolph & Co., is under enseason and realized handsomely on the gagement to the new Falkland Island advances. St. Louis dealers and spec- Meat Company (Limited), to carry ulators had millions on millions of dol- fresh meat between that island and sheep than you have first-class arrangelars invested. The coming year will Liverpool. The Selembria is being ments for keeping-food and other necbe a much more prosperous one, that fitted with! four refrigerating engines, s certain, for our dealers and wool and is being prepared to carry 1000 salesmen have laid out plans and mon- tons of dead meat. The promoters of

agingly. Prices were the lowest known voyage under the arrangement in about and cautiously, anticipating a still fur- shepherds will also be going as passenther decline. The general business con- gers in the vessel, and altogether the ed, while such important articles as ing on the part of the new company to iron and sugar reached about the low- make the undertaking a success. The est point ever known. But it was only passage between the Falklands and the darkness preceeding the dawn. Liverpool is expected to occupy 28 to The first indication of a change for the 30 days, and the fresh meat is intended ber of large Eastern speculators and the Liverpool docks. be the case next year), receipts for 1885 while there are wild-cat ventures as duce. were over 70 per cent larger than those for the year 1884, as will be seen by the figures heading this column. To this amount should be added a number of large lots bought by St. Louis parties outside the city and shipped direct to manufacturers, as well as the large.

While there are wild-cat ventures as above described put on foot, that live in the beautiful visionary future, the belief of advising mohair growers to send their clips to Messrs. Wm. Machange the responsibility of advising mohair growers to send their clips to Messrs. Wm. Machange the figure the present daily, with two or three doses of Cuticura Resolvent, the New Send their clips to Messrs. Wm. Machange the proposition of advising mohair growers to send their clips to Messrs. Wm. Machange the proposition of the beautiful visionary future, the beautiful visionary future, the beautiful visionary future, the benefit of the industry at large. The clips should not be scattered. The whole clip of the United States amounts.

quantity of pulled wool made here in from Liverpool either. town, which does not figure in the "receipts" at all. Among the noteworthy events of the year were consignments from Vermont, Philadelphia, North Carolina and Old Mexico."

The sheep market has improved greatly all along the line, and prices are now \$1 00 per 100 lbs higher than a week ago. Fair to fancy native muttons now bring from \$3 00 to 4 00 per 100 lbs. Offerings were light and the larger. Common and medium sheep,

We quote wool as follows: Tubunwashed - choice medium clothing and combing 24c, fair 22@23c, low and heavy do 16@18; Kansas from 14c for man at some other place, is working low to 20@23c for choice; black and wonders with some other kind of the country to pick up little clips, but slightly cotted or burry 2@5e per lb less; hard burry quotable at 10c for Southern to 14@15 for Western; Texas and with your surroundings.

and sandy 12@16c, carpet stock 12

Sick or Bilious Headache.

Those who suffer from this complaint usually feel premonitory symptoms. By taking a dose of Hepatozone as soon | such harsh treatment. as it commences will soon find themselves entirely free from the diseases.

The steamer Selembria, now in the Queen's Dock, Liverpool, is being extensively prepared to adapt her for a new venture in connection with the able to produce 60,000 sheep annually, "The new clip opened very discour- and the steamer which sails on her first for years, while many of the leading a fortnight will take out about 30 butchmanufacturers bought very sparingly ers and carpenters. A number of dition of the country went far to justify venture is being conducted on a scale such views, for everything was depress- which shows that nothing will be want-

better came from Texas, where a num- to be sold direct from the steamer in manufacturers, having probably con- The above is from the Scottish Agricluded that the bottom had been reach- cultural Gazette. It is well headed ed, were buying up the choice clips at "Extraordinary" venture. The islands Ondinary, (4th cross) 35 " 40 prices above what any market in the are estimated to produce 60,000 sheep. country would justify. Those parties, At 60 pounds net per carcass, we have however, who resisted the temptation 3,600,000 pounds of meat, or 1800 tons, to sell and resolved to try St. Louis, of 2000 pounds each. According to which was then first attracting atten- this figuring the second trip will get a as a market, got the full benefit of the short load of only 800 tons. This subsequent advance in prices. The state bordering on the Gulf of Mexico, rise from the lowest point has averaged has nine millions of sheep, and mutton about 25 per cent, though certain kinds can be purchased at 2 to 3 cents per of wool advanced 40 per cent. Not- pound on foot in any quantity, and there withstanding the presence of specula- are 60,000 muttons tributary to six differtors at interior points (which will not ent railroad points in the state, and yet manufacturers, as well as the large Texas is not 28 to 30 days distance

> from nervous debility, loss of memory, ferent mills using the different qualipremature old age, as the result of bad habits, should send 10 cents in stamps for large illustrated treatise suggesting unfailing cure. Address World's Dis- growers require a steady and reliable pensary Medical Association, Buffalo, market to establish values and insure N. Y.

Why Failures Occur.

A large proportion of the failures among men making sheep-husbandry their leading business have resulted from indebtedness incurred for sheep and lands with the expectation that the Route from the Stock-rais \$2 00@2 75. Texas sheep, \$1 75@3 00 profits would soon wipe out both principal and interest. At any time then We quote wool as follows: Tub-washed—choice at 33½@34c, fair at 30 flock that has been paid for than from @32c, low or dingy and coarse 26@29c; a larger one from which the first returns belong to the creditor.

When once the mind is made up as to the kind and number of sheep-stick. world what you can do with your sheep

6 and 8 months' 18@21c; Western short purpeses be sure that it is better than immense commission business, give the best in your own flock in blood and physical development; and when you have bought it see that it is cared for cannot be exposed to all kinds of hardship without showing the effects of

Take off the wool as soon as the to admit of it with safety to the sheep, their last clip and consider it satisfac-Extraordinary Fresh Meat Ven- and put the fleeces in such order, that the buyer will readily give you the top

price for wools of similar grade. Breed so as to have every lamb an dard of the flock, and sell as soon they can be made ready all that come below such standard. When the time ters have not! Our dealers were par- fresh meat import into this country. comes for selling animals of any age do good reason to change. ticularly lucky, from the fact that they The Selembria, which belongs to Mes- the selecting yourself-always keeping the best. They are worth more to you than any one else, so long as you are

Do not be tempted into keeping more

Do not keep different breeds of sheep together. The conditions best suited to some are not the best for others, and ey. The following I extract from a re- the new company calculate that the when mixed the result will be that all lacking the element of competition in view by the Merchants' Exchange pastures of the Falkland Islands will be will come short of their highest possi-

Do not depend on tariffs, or anything outside of your own individual judgment and energy to increase your income from the flock.

Do not abandon sheep-husbandry be cause prices are temporarily unsatisfac tory, or be in a hurry to expand your business when a "boom" sets in. Wool and mutton, like everything else, the past year and some expected failwill vary in price will come faster than any man can change his business without sacrifice,-[Farmers Magazine.

Mohair Fleece:

The latest quotations of mohair i the New York market are as follows: DOMESTIC MOHAIR.

Choice (pure blood) 50 to 60 cts, lb Superior, (full blood) 45 " 50 " Fair, (high grade) 40 45 Inferior, (3rd cross) 20 " 35 " Trash, hair, (1st & 2d cross) 10 to 20.

Each fleece should be kept separate and carefully rolled up with pelt side folded out, so as to keep it intact. not put over 200 pounds in a bag.

We have lately received a communication from Messrs. Wm. Macnaughtan's Sons 79 & 85 Spring street, New York, that these values can be quickly realized for good lots and that there is ready sale for all the country can pro-

in the aggregate to less than half a million pounds and this must be concentrated so that the twenty-three different mills using the different qualities of the clip can have the opportunity of making selections. The mohair Young or middle-aged men suffering centrated so that the twenty-three difty of making selections. The mohair market to establish values and insure competition. As a general rule local wool dealers know nothing of mohair and care less. Of the wool houses not one in ten care anything about the trade and of the firms importing foreign mohair, the only one soliciting and working for the domestic clip is the one above mentioned. Later, when when a "boom" is on, more money will the clip assumes larger proportions it can be still concentrated in one city and need not be shipped to one house.

Now, if the clip is divided up in smaller parcels it amounts to a hatful here and there and cuts no figure in the trade. Mill men are not going through sheep, divert you from the road you the house above mentioned will handle have marked out. Work to show the any quantity, no matter how small or large, they are building up the trade -choice 12-months' growth 23c, choice When you buy a sheep for breeding and although it is only a part of their

like any other valuable piece of property. Good live stock, like good clothes, ceived prompt and satisfactory returns. The noted breeder Mr. Bailey, of San Jose, California, ships continually to the firm. Messrs. Wilderman & Morweather seems settled and warm enough gan of Palo Pinto have returns for tory. The Nelson Bros., lately arriving from Wyoming, and now near Wichita Falls with sixteen hundred improvement upon the average stan- goats have always shipped to this firm, as many others do, have done and will continue to do, until they find some

This position now taken by the JOUR-NAL could not be taken in regard to any other product. The Angora industry a few years since was like a ship at sea without a rudder. Not one in ten who had goats knew anything about the market and while they could ship to a mill owner who was more of a philanthropist than a business man, there was such transactions so necessary for the permanent stability of a market and the maintenance of values.

The Angora industry is now slowly but gradually becoming stronger in Texas, values are better than could have been expected, some changes and consolidations have taken place during ures to produce well graded goats by a cross of graded males on common females have caused men to see the necessity of using pure bred males, but on the whole the industry is looming up and the clip of 1886 will be a good one as compared with the product of for-

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Mr. J. E. Stafford bought of Joel C. Fenly, of Muela, for Mr. Guy Borden. of San Antonio, two cars, 40 head, of three and four year old beeves at \$18 and \$22, delivered at Uvalde depot, for shipment to Galveston or New Orleans .- [Uvalde West Texan.

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#### Change at Dallas.

DALLAS.

Mr. W. A. Garner, general manager of this company, will hereafter take personal charge of the advertising department of this paper in Dallas as well as in Fort Worth. Mr. Frank Powell assumes the duties of reporter, succeeding Mr. P. H. Shevlin in that capacity.

Important Sale. Special attention is invited to the advertisement of the public sale of Holstein Jersey and Hereford cattle to be held by James Arbuckle, proprietor of the his promotion. Rutherglen stock farm. The offerings will consist of 70 to 80 head of Texas raised and imported bulls and heifers of the above breeds. Of the Holsteins all the bulls are of registered stock, and some of the heifers; one bull to be sold was long at the head of the Ruth erglen Holstein herd. All the Here fords to be offered are superior animals and purely bred. The Jerseys consist interests in Mew Mexico. The Capof Herd Book and A. J. C. C. recorded animals, and some of the heifers also. Texas raised Jerseys are included in nity to purchase a valuable family cow, hope the sale will be a grand success. We learn from Mr. Arbuckle that sales will be made for cash, or will sell at reasonable terms for good bankable paper, and that the sale will be held within five blocks of the Texas & Pa- Berry, Menton, Ohio; A. W. Miers, eific railroad depot.

#### The Denver Meeting.

The cattlemen's convention which

meets in Denver on the 27th isnt. is accepted as a sort of peace congress and is generally looked upon as a wise step in the furtherance and permanancy of interstate traffic. The bitterness engendered heretofore upon the quarantine regulations is conceded by the of the question. That there is a common and mutual interest to be served in the maintenance of an exchange outand the law of political economy is self-evident, and if our stockman don't utilize the opportunity to restore the to Texas interests, much will be lost. It is the general understanding that a large delegation composed of prominent stockmen from all portions of the Dallas. The exact purpose and object of the meeting as stated by Major Johns of the Live Stock Exchange, who is perhaps the initial factor in its formation, is to wipe out all animosities which have hitherto existed between regions. The matter will be considered from a common-sense standpoint and reason will take the place of the talk of a year ago.

leavs Dallas about the 26d and spend a day in Kansas City where large ad- pany have about 13,000 head of mixed it as a pivotal period in the successful who stick to the range cattle business a ditions of prominent stockmen from Missouri, Illinois and Iowa will join the party and proceed to Denver, arriving on the morning of the 27th.

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## DALLAS DOTS.

A. Sauger, of Sanger Bros. in com-pany with his wife left for New York Thursday.

D. S. Donald, a stockman of Louisrille, was registered at the Live Stock Exchange this week. Mr. J. B. Johnson, a young stock-

man of Abilene, was registered at the Grand Windsor Wednesday. Mr. Jao. S. Andrews of Ft. Worth

came in to-day-the blizzard preceding him a few hours. How about it being

change returned Tuesday night from Kansas City, where he drifted on an important trade.

will yield one ton of hay to the acre, and good hay always has and will bring \$20 per ton. Three men with

much on the Pecos. He reports cattle Angelo Standard. doing nicely but the weather very dry. C. W. White, of Waco, well known all over the state, as an expert in the eattle business, has been in the city several days and guest at the Hotel

Dallas stockmen are pleased with the "four cents per acre" news received from Austin Wednesday, as evinced by

the significant smile when the subject is referred to. Major Irvine is in receipt of a letter from a friend in New Mexico conveying

the information, that the Indians had stolen all of the San Simon Cattle Company's cow horses.

Judge Carroll of Denton, a gentleman tho is always ready to "speak out in ectin" when Texas interests are beconsidered; was in the city Wedesday attending Federal court.

It is understood that a number of important transactions are on the tapis, and in which two-year-olds and pasnor lands figure prominently, but sothing is obtainable in the facts and

The pleasant face of W. R. Curtis o enricita was conspicuous in the the boys it is evident he has busines

Col. Geo. H. Goddard, President of ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER. the Valley National bank, St. Louis, and a large cattle owner on the Pecos, returned to our city from that country yesterday, where he has been on a sort of inspecting tour.

Our land men all read the STOCK JOURNAL, and in fact, there is a sort of kinship-a reciprocal turn and shaping of the events of the times, that renders the work of either incomplete in the absence of the other.

Clarence Gano is just home from Decatur, where he made a desirable purchase of Hereford bulls-23 in number. They will be shipped to Estado, Land & Cattle company ranch in Presidio county in Southwest Texas.

The worthy and popular Jas. M. Steere has recently been appointed assistant general freight agent of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railroad with headquarters at Dallas The at Dallas on Saturday the 23rd instant, Journal congratulates Mr. Steere on

Mr. Jesse Evans, a prominent cattle-man of Kansas City, is a guest at the Grand Windsor. The gentleman has large cattle interests near Big Springs, and madam rumor has it that he will figure as principal in a cattle transaction, before many suns.

The new Journal rustler for the Dallas Dep't. had the pleasure of meeting this week Capt. Mark Latimer who resides in Dallas and has large cattle tain removed to Dallas from Ennis, receipts. Texas, about a month since.

Berry Gatewood passed through Dallas this week en route to his home in the sale. This will be a fine opportue Eunis, from Colorado City, at which point he represents the popular comand the offering is sufficiently strong mission house of Gregory, Cooley & Co. in variety for a good selection, and we Chicago. Mr. Gatewood is feeding 1000 four year old steers in Ellis county below here, which he says will be fat and ready for market early.

> The following stockmen are registered at the Live Stock Exchange this week: C. W. White, Waco; J. E. Strawn, Texas; C. W. George, Lancaster; T. R. Cornell, Ennis; S. T. Babb, Ft. Worth; J. J. Collier, Fish Creek; D. S. Donald, Louisville, Texas; S. W. Wallace, Terrell, J. J. Hittson and J. solved and the new firm is C. C. Daly W. Milliken, Weatherford; W. G. & Co., Mr. E. A. Griffin being admit-Martin and J. B. Johnson, Abilene, W. R. Curtis, Henrietta.

"Uncle Billy" Martin, the horse man of Abilene, has been in the city for several days, and though reticent on the Lancaster & Co., Hunter, Evans & Co. subject of a trade, it is evident that, and Cassidy Bros. & Co. get out elaborfrom "the company he kept," he had more candid and thinking stockmen to holds about 3800 head of improved arise in a great measure from a lack of horses west of Abilene, and perhaps understanding of the real existing state | the same number of cattle. He is not an enthusiast in the maintenance of cattlemen's conventions, and upon a personal rendering of the avoirdupois, he is far above the average. He is had some Texas cattle on the market lined by the geography of the situation thoroughy equipped at all times and yesterday: They obtained \$3.30 for under all circumstances with data from 100 lbs on steers of 868 lbs. a practical standpoint upon the subject of stock raising.

The name of a new organization engoveted relationship so indispensable titled: "The Dallas State Fair and Exposition Association" is soon to be ushered upon the carpet. Frank Holland of the Farm and Ranch, is agitating the subject and it can be very safely argured that the Journal will constate, will take through passage from tribute its mite in the same direction. It is evident that an annual exhibition of the kind will be the incentive to will be very general. As a rule I have many new comers to look and examine our material worth and progress, an introduction as it were to the wonderful resources of our state. A directory has been appointed to take the initial steps, secure the charter &c., and the cattlemen of the two great range which is composed of the following gentlemen: W. H. Gaston, Thomas Field, O. P. Bowser, J. M. Wendelken, J. S. Armstrong, J. B. Simpson, C. A. indispensible to harmonious and desir-Keating, J. E. Schneider and Alex. able interchange of business. It is to be

> "Jim" Simpson of the Astec Cattle Co., Arizona, is in the city. This comcattle, a number of which were driven development of the range interests. from Texas last spring. He reports an abundance of grass but a scarcity of water. Steps are, however, being taken for the testing of the artesian plan, and to the exact amount of interest he exall indications point to the conclusion pected to bestow on the occasion, and that the scheme will work to the de- to which, in substance he replied, that mand. Mr. Simpson has decided to make Dallas his future home, but will none the less interest himself in the tive committee of his association to and lucrative practice. Dr. Wasserzug furtherance of his extensive ranch in- meet on the 15th instant to formulate is from Russian Poland and a regular box 176, DENISON TEXAS, (mention this terests. Major Irvine of the Live action in the matter. "I look upon the Stock Exchange is responsible for the statement that just now the gentleman is not wholly absorbed in the development of his western interests, as con- mit, and I think the attendance will be His special work is the treatment of clusive proof is in store to the effect good from the state. The entire interthat he has a girl away off toward the rising sun, and, for certain, his splendid ranch properties are in a fair way to have to look out for themselves, for perhaps, more than anything else, of complaint, dyspepsia, asthma, dysenawhile. He is booked for the conven that friendly commingling and extion in Denver on the 27th and will most likely make a general swing around

SILVER PLATEDWARE, A. BAHN, JEW-LER, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

There is money to be made on these fertile prairies without investing in stock or handling a plow . What's to hinder a settler from fencing as much good prairie land as he can and letting the grass mature and then cut it for hay? The greater part of these prairies Col Johns of the Live Stock Ex- will yield one ton of hay to the acre, three teams can easily cut and haul the Col Ino. N. Simpson is home again hay off a section in a summer, and that from the Continental Cattle Company's at \$20 per ton would be \$12,800 .- San

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Lower Prices But Active Dealings in Cattle-Texas Hogs in Demand-About Commission Houses.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Jan 5, 1886.

In the fore part of the past week the market was slow on scant receipts and sellers put up prices roundly. Yesterday (Monday) the run was large, over one hundred and fifty car loads, and consisted almost wholly of native steers of common to fair quality although there was a fair run of good corn fed Texas. Declines of 20@35c per 100 lbs on all grades were in order from the start and the market was active. This reduction may appear big to some of the readers of the JOURNAL. but it must be remembered sellers put up prices handsomely a few days previous and of course they could afford to come the same range as those of Chicago.

Local speculators, the dressed beef company, Eastern and Interior shippers operated quite freely. To say the least the market was active. To-day the market steady and unchanged on fair

The run of hogs continues large and prices remain steady, the range being from \$3.25@\$3.90 for light to extra

Texas and Indian hogs in light supply and bring from \$3.40@\$3.75 per 100 In

No Texas horses offered. Sam A. White, for the stock yards, is at work planning for the coming season and says he will largely inrease the re-

There were but few firm changes on

The firm of Daly, Miller & Co., is dissolved and the new firm is C. C. Dalv ted. Mr. Carter, the cashier, and Mr. George N. Henchman, the head agent, remaining. The firm of Campbell, ate annual reviews. These two firms are very enterprising.

Hall, Brown & Hunt report doing a large business in 1885.

B. F. Maddox, R. L. Bowen, and D M. Crager all of Whitwright, Texas, had

RATTLER. About The Denver Convention. In response to the question as to the importance attached to the coming convention at Denver Colorado, Jno. N. Jimpson, substantially states to your reporter: I contemplate attending the convention and think the attendance always been favorable to any movement that would bring stockmen together in counsel. It is prolific of good, even in the absence of any formulated policy for consideration, in that it begets and permeates friendships and confidence between the sections, factors able interchange of business. It is to be of course a meeting principally in the from the manner in which breeding interest of range men and I look upon

Col. Slaughter was met at his desk in the bank and queried in like manner as he had called a meeting of the execu- residence, and established a splendid convention as an important one and sulting room is 734 Elm street, Dallas, shall attend if business will at all per- and office hours as given in this paper. ests of the range are more or less hampered and embarrassed from a lack, change of courtesy necessary to a successful working of a common interest. In the general round up, the grand terminal there is a kinship and unity of purpose that trivial and mistaken differences should not being permanently located will devote be allowed to overshadow, and I am his knowledge and skill to this section satisfied, that intelligence and friendly greeting will characterize the meeting and much good will result."

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER

Belated Grass Cattle and Corn Fed Stock-The Number of Feeding Cattle-Must Have Meat.

Regular Correspondence TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOERNAL. UNION STOCK YARDS,

CHICAGO. Ill., Jan. 4, '85. ) Outside of a few belated grass cattle from Arizona and Southern Texas we have lately had no cattle from the range country. The receipts of cattle from all quarters have been somewhat on the decrease and it begins to look as if there would be less "nervousness" in the trade than has been experienced

Good to choice corn fed native cattle do not seem to be very plentiful; at least not in excessive supply. Prices lately have not been very encouraging to feeders and some of them have seemed to feel very much discouraged at the outlook, but there is a more set-

SILVERWARE OF A. BAHN, THE RELI- high prices have been disappointed and may continue to be, but there seems to be good reason to believe that the probable supply of beef to be produced and marketed during the coming year will not be in excess of the demand. But the impression that the beef crop in the country is too large has prevailed to a large extent for more than a year and such an impression is hard to eradicate when it once gains a

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