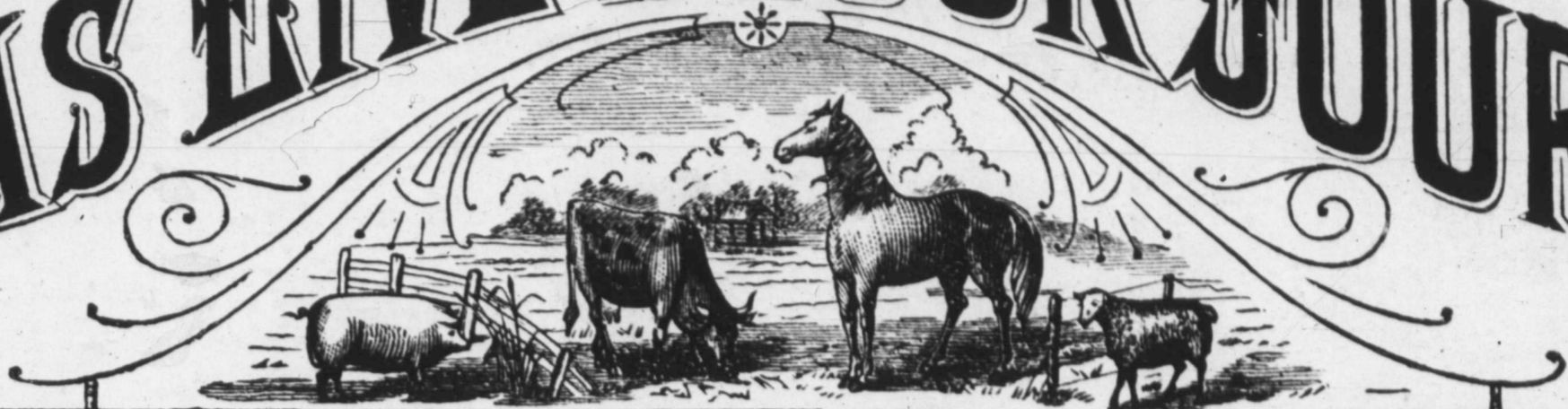


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head, a gain of 3313 over same time last week.

The market has been strong and active, values being 25@35c higher than the first half of last week. We quote good to choice 1050 to 1200-lb Texas and Indian steers, \$4@4.25; medium, 850 to 950-lb steers, \$3@3.90; common, \$2.40@2.90; cows, \$1.70@2.90

Sheep are 25c higher than last week. Receipts of cattle to-day 3900. Market slow and weak. \$4.75 has been paid for top grass Texans.

Following are representative sales:
BY FISH & KECK CO.

No.	Av.	Pr.
62 gr. Texas steers, S. J. Garvin, Indian Ter.	902	3 30
24 same	917	3 20
17 same	1124	3 90
55 calves	each	6 25
21 gr. Tex. steers, L. L. Stowe	911	3 00
53 same, cows, V. Herard	833	2 35
328 same, steers, Johnson & Hosmer, Caldwell, Ks.	1111	4 05
25 same, cows	966	2 50
24 same, steers, Wm. Lar-kin	1096	4 25
17 gr. H.B. str., A. Hance	1170	4 40
63 gr. Texas, steers, Over-all	1141	4 30
41 same	1168	4 30
67 same, H.B., J. A. Blair	1131	4 30
63 same, Tex., Terwilager	1007	3 70
31 same, Ben Garland	1175	4 30
31 same, cows	882	2 30
22 Texas cows, Heward	917	2 30
88 calves	each	6 50
99 same	each	7 00
41 gr. Texas steers, Cor-zine	1176	4 00
34 same, cows	893	2 50
22 same, Wm. Heward	917	2 30
102 gr. N. M. steers, Kirby & Cree, New Mex.	930	2 65
34 same	851	2 15
20 gr. Texas cows, M. J. Lane, Kiowa, Kansas	945	2 80
12 same, steers, Clark Bunton	1066	3 65
99 gr. N. M. steers, Millet Bros., Langley, Ks.	826	2 75
22 gr. Texas cows, J. P. Brown	990	2 75
26 same, steers, D. Warren, Arkansas City, Ks.	857	3 25

35 same, cows	718	2 00
13 same	805	2 75
23 same, heifers, J. Showalter	755	2 00
53 same, cows, F. H. Hawkins	884	2 00
BY HUNTER, EVANS & CO.		
390 Tex. steers, Fairmount, C. Co., Mendota, I. T.	1005	3 70
8 same, F. M. Dougherty, Ardmore, I. T.	931	2 85
10 same, cows	796	1 95
23 cows, J. R. Washington	635	1 25
40 cows, F. M. Daugherty	751	1 70
16 steers	770	2 30
51 sheep, M. Wolf, Washita, I. T.	80	2 00
122 same	76	3 40
30 cows	730	1 60
208 cows, J. V. Andrews, Woodward	856	2 25
26 cows, J. B. Pumphrey, Higgins, Texas	770	1 90
19 cows	761	1 70
24 steers	910	2 75
20 cows	581	1 60
36 cows	816	1 85
24 steers	805	2 75
66 yearlings	497	1 35
25 bulls	1093	1 25
264 calves	each	4 65
46 steers	1019	2 80
40 same	873	2 75
430 calves	each	4 40
133 same	each	4 60
26 steers, D. W. Blocker	955	2 90
BY JAMES H. CAMPBELL & CO.		
24 cows, Akers	835	2 25
71 calves, Fryback	each	5 40
28 cows	666	1 90
20 cows, Jones	991	2 40
20 cows	1022	2 65
100 calves, Helm	each	5 75
20 steers	1121	3 90
21 same	1006	3 90
19 same	1051	3 80
43 same	949	3 40
69 same	945	3 40
45 cows	705	2 37 1/2
39 cows, Kellam	968	2 30
37 steers, Conover	850	3 00
24 cows	885	2 15
22 cows	684	2 05
24 bulls, Pitchfork	1094	1 50
126 sheep, Adams	72	2 60
296 steers, Gregory	1131	4 05
23 same, Colson	1209	4 25
26 cows	970	2 40
446 sheep, Robinson	86	3 25
80 cows, Worley	882	2 00
37 steers	957	3 25
200 calves, Roff	each	6 00
57 cows and bulls	730	2 00
498 sheep	86	3 60
42 yearlings, Childress	485	1 75
71 cows	815	1 90
90 steers	969	3 35
318 steers, Gregory Eldred	1170	4 10
38 same, Walmer	862	2 10
90 same	880	2 90
24 cows, Norris	930	2 60
21 cows, Jones	940	2 65
BY D. C. PAXSON & CO.		
52 steers, L. W. Brown	1150	4 05
115 same, C. H. Gosling	1291	4 20
24 same, Hudson & Cowan, Arkansas City, Ks.	953	3 35
23 same	1115	3 75
27 cows	853	1 80
28 cows, H. C. Finley, Coldwater, Kas.	756	1 60
14 steers, C. S. Evans, Valley Mills, Texas	990	3 00

10 cows	797	1 70
18 cows, G. M. Holmes, Beatrice, Neb.	964	2 12 1/2
BY STEPHENS & DOBYNS.		
268 str., canners, J. J. Fisher, Prescott, A. T.	933	2 50
36 steers	1031	2 00
52 same, McBride Bros., Atoka, I. T.	934	3 15
14 same	800	2 30
51 same, J. M. Hodges, Lehigh, I. T.	929	3 15
30 same	847	3 00
46 same	818	2 30
BY WRIGHT & HANNAH.		
16 Indian steers, W. H. Blackwell, Purcell, I. T.	1054	3 00
17 same, cows, J. R. Ingram	900	1 85
47 Texas steers, J. V. Andrews	1043	3 15
15 Indian cows, T. A. Wilbourn, Eriu Sp'gs, I. T.	808	2 10
27 Indian cows and heifers, Daniel Harrison	731	1 85
4 same, steers	887	3 10
BY LARIMER, SMITH & BRIDGEFORD,		
161 Texas steers, Elgin C. Co.	1136	4 30

ST. LOUIS.
Special to the Live Stock Journal.
St. Louis, July 20.—The supply today was insignificantly small, while the demand for good fat Texas and Indian steers was very large and from all classes of buyers. Sales were made at \$3@4 for medium to good Texas steers, and \$1.37 1/2@2.25 for yearlings and cows; Indian steers, \$3@4.40.

Texas sheep sold at \$2.75@4.50, the first price for stockers and the last named for good 90-lb sheep. Market firm for good.

NEW ORLEANS.
Special to the Live Stock Journal.
New Orleans, July 20.—Market fairly supplied with beef cattle, calves and yearlings. Good fat stock fairly active and firm. Hog and sheep markets steady.
QUOTATIONS—Choice beeves, 3 1/4@3 1/2c; common to fair, 2@2 1/2c; good fat cows, 2@2 1/2c; common to fair, \$9@14 per head; calves, \$4@8 each; yearlings, \$7@10 per head; good corn-fed hogs, 5@6c; common to fair, 4 1/2c; good fat sheep, 2@3c; common to fair, \$1@1.50 each.

SAN ANTONIO.
The local market is reported quite bare of butcher stock generally, and a limited number would find ready sale at firm figures. Shipping stock is only fair, being ruled altogether by outside markets.

Quotations are as follows:
CATTLE—Steers, shippers and butchers, \$15@20; cows, fat, from \$10@12; light, at \$7@10; yearlings, \$4@5.50; calves, \$3@4.
SHEEP—Muttons, \$1.90@2.00. Goats, average stock 50c@1.25 per head.
Hogs—Natives \$3@3.50.

GALVESTON.
[Reported by Winfree, Norman & Pearson].
BEEVES AND Cows—Choice, per lb, gross, 2@2 1/4c; common, per head, \$8@10; 2-year-olds, choice, per head, \$8@10; common, per head, \$6@7; yearlings, choice, per head, \$6@7; common, per head, \$4@5; calves, choice, per lb, gross, 3@3 1/4c; common, per head, \$2.50@3.00.
SHEEP—Choice, per lb, gross, 3@3 1/4c.

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ROUND-UPS.

Marfa New Era:—Edward Seymour will ship a train-load of beeves to his ranch in Wyoming on or about the 17th instant.

Stock Grower:—The Prairie Cattle company has started north 1000 head of their LIT yearlings which were sold at \$11 per head. The lot is said to be only fair in quality.

Hoof and Horn, Prescott, Ari.:—Cattlemen are complaining that the present dry winds are bleaching out the grass, and making it hard for cattle to keep in good condition.

The associated press reported 15000 cattle at Chicago on Monday, which was an error. There were only 10,500 head on the market. On Monday there were 5,500 cattle at Kansas City.

San Angelo Enterprise:—Schwartz & Rass this week sold to the Leon & H. Blum Land company one-half of their one-half interest in the Cunningham & McGregor addition to San Angelo for \$15,500 cash.

San Angelo Enterprise:—W. H. Godair of the VP outfit returned this week from Hockley, and reports the country very dry, and actually suffering for want of rain. Hockley is the second county in Texas east of Lincoln on the New Mexico line.

Marfa New Era:—Excellent rains have fallen throughout this entire section, and an abundance of grass and plenty of fat cattle will be an early result. The general rains have not yet fairly set in, no fear now exists as to the welfare of stock in this section.

Drovers' Journal:—A cattleman from Texas, named John Everts, fell from a cable car at Forty-seventh and State streets yesterday. He was running along the footboard, and missing his footing fell off and was badly shaken up. The Hyde Park patrol cart took him away.

Hoof and Horn:—S. F. Atkinson, who has been ranging his herd in the vicinity of the American valley in the western part Socorro county, has contracted to deliver to Arizona parties on his range 1600 head of stock cattle at \$13.50 per head. The cattle are to be taken to St. Johns, Arizona.

N. M. Stock Grower:—Cattlemen are enthusiastic over the good shipping facilities offered them at the new point, Clayton, on the Denver & Fort Worth railway. The trail to that place is claimed to be much better than to Springer and the grass about Clayton is excellent in every direction, thus making of it a desirable point for holding cattle while shipments are going on.

Aurora Gazette:—One of the curiosities of the miners is the white mule used in running the hoister at the Fitz McCoy shaft on the valley ground. The mule was originally a dark gray and is thirty years old. It did service all through the war in carrying Tom Woodson, a brother of the ex-governor of the state, but is seemingly as young as ever and can readily leap over a barbed wire fence.

Raton Range:—The "big jaw," which is on the increase among cattle in this country, is becoming a subject of considerable importance. In the recent purchases by the Maxwell grant company, big jawed were rejected and their numbers are therefore brought more prominently to light. Out of 680 head already gathered by Pat Lyons, 10 were found to be indisputably inoculated with the disease.

Messrs. Wheeler, James & Co. of the Union stock yards, St. Louis, Mo., the only firm at that yard soliciting Texas business, say that good butcher cattle are in demand and will sell well in comparison with any other market. They quote good choice Indian and Texas steers at \$3-20@4. This is strictly a butcher market and canners are not wanted. All good muttons and lambs sell easily.

Tascosa Pioneer:—Beef cattle, per car from Tascosa to Kansas City, \$57.50; to St. Louis, \$82.50; to Chicago, \$100. Same rates given to Kansas City from Panhandle City, Washburn, Amarillo, \$60 between Clarendon and Childress, and from Cheyenne and Hartley, \$62.50 between Kirkland and Chillicothe, and \$65 from Matlock. Same to St. Louis between Chillicothe and Cheyenne, and \$85 from Hartley and Matlock. Same to Chicago between Chillicothe and Tascosa—including Panhandle City—and \$102.50 from Cheyenne and Hartley, and \$105 from Matlock.

Stock Grower, Las Vegas:—J. A. LaRue returned home from an overland trip to Clayton, where he delivered to the purchaser 1000 steers which are to be matured in Montana. Mr. LaRue is favorably impressed with Clayton as a shipping point, and particularly so with the many facilities placed at the shippers' command by the Fort Worth & Denver road, which he says is now doing an enormous cattle carrying trade. Mr. LaRue found the range in Northwestern New Mexico generally in a somewhat precarious condition, owing to the heavy overstocking and the present dry weather.

Stock Grower:—An enthusiastic cattleman from Texas, while passing through Las Vegas this week, made prediction concerning Judge Thurman in the coming political race in language of pure Texan eloquence as follows: 'The old Roman is a man from way up where the creek forks the last time. He will snap onto the canvass like a dog onto a rabbit skin, and he'll fight 'em like a wildcat in a tin oven. When Thurman gets up and cracks his heels together and goes at it red-eyed, they'll find that he's a humper from Humper's junction, and that he'll sweep the country from Maine to sundown. In my opinion he has the elements of success in him bigger than a woodchuck.'

Northern Pacific Rural Breeder:—The Carrizo cattle in Lincoln county, N. M., have swelled from a bunch of 1500 in 1880 to 25,000 in 1888. The company that owns the vast herd pays taxes on 3000 acres; but though the feed is furnished free of charge and free of taxes, the manager gets in a lusty kick if anyone tries to run cattle on their range. A pure-bred as well as a thoroughbred is an animal in which adherence to a type has been fixed or established by in-and-in breeding back to an admitted time or base of origin agreed upon by the breeders. But by usage and common consent the name thoroughbred is only used to apply to the English running horse and his descendants, and which is really the name of the breed.

Taylor Texan:—J. S. Miles of San Angelo came to Taylor the early part of the week to make a purchase of the fine blooded cattle for which Williamson county is noted. After examining several herds he closed a trade with Mr. John A. Gano of the Willow Springs stock farm, buying a beautiful herd of seventeen Hereford-Short-horn yearlings, bulls and heifers, for which he paid about \$1200. This is not the first instance where parties

from a distance have come to Taylor to look at the fine stock of our county, and seeing them they generally make a purchase. Mr. Gano left on Wednesday's night train, to accompany Mr. Miles to Whitesboro, Texas, for the purpose of buying some fine jacks. Mr. Miles is purchasing stock for his father, Mr. Jonathan Miles, who is a wealthy and prominent stockman of San Angelo.

New Mexico Stock Grower:—It has been reported to the cattle sanitary board that owners of numerous small bunches of cattle coming from the quarantine proscribed district of Texas, have brought their herds up to the New Mexico line and let them loose to drift across the border into the territory. Where evident violation of the quarantine law is noticed, the cattlemen should at once report the case to the inspector of their district. The cattle will then be rounded up and held for damages as provided by the New Mexico law of quarantine. The cattlemen along the eastern boundary line of the territory should give such assistance to the inspector in this matter as he may require to properly discharge his duties. The admirable manner in which cattle sanitary matters have been handled by the cattle sanitary board should not now be allowed to deteriorate through the cunning of nomadic Texans. The law is ample to protect our industry from any threatened evil. This the Texas razzoop should understand promptly.

B. F. Johnson & Co. of Richmond, Va., have an advertisement in another column that may interest you. Read it.

Struck by Lightning.

San Angelo Standard.

About 11 o'clock last Saturday, seven miles above the Berrendo ranch on Pecan, a most thrilling event happened to three men. While J. B. Russell of Bonham, partner of the late J. B. Holt, and Messrs. Porter and Caskey, two of his employees, were cow hunting, a storm blew up, and they sought refuge under the protecting branches of a neighboring mesquite. They unsaddled their horses, tied them close by, wrapped themselves up in the saddle blankets and sat down under the tree. They remained in that position about ten minutes, the rain continued to pour down, when a flash of lightning struck the tree, splitting it to the ground, stunning the men and killing two of the horses. The men lay prostrate for 15 or 20 minutes, when Caskey, who was the least injured of the three, managed after a great effort to stagger to his feet, saddle the remaining horse and started to the Berrendo ranch for assistance. Bob Lowe and C. T. Spraul, a few hours afterwards arrived on the scene with a hack and carried the helpless men back to the ranch where they were kindly attended to. At five o'clock that afternoon the men had sufficiently recovered so as to be able to ride on horseback to their ranch on South Concho. The escape from instant death by these three men was indeed miraculous. In Mr. Russell's case the lightning burned through the blanket and his clothes, and scorched and blistered the skin on his back and leg.

Farmers, Ranchmen and Hotels, Sending their address to Turner & McClure, wholesale and retail grocers, Fort Worth, Texas, will receive by return mail their very low price list.

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"We do hereby certify that we supervise the arrangements for all the Monthly and quarterly Drawings of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, and in person manage and control the drawings themselves, and that the same are conducted with honesty, fairness, and in good faith toward all parties, and we authorize the company to use this certificate, with fac-similes of our signatures attached, in its advertisements."

Ed. B. B. B. B.
J. F. B. B.

Commissioners.

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GRAND MONTHLY DRAWING

In the Academy of Music, New Orleans,
Tuesday, August 7, 1888.

Capital Prize, \$300,000

100,000 Tickets at Twenty Dollars each. Halves \$10; Quarters \$5; Tenths \$2; Twentieths \$1.

LIST OF PRIZES.
1 PRIZE OF \$300,000 is \$300,000
1 PRIZE OF 100,000 is 100,000
1 PRIZE OF 50,000 is 50,000
1 PRIZE OF 25,000 is 25,000
2 PRIZES OF 10,000 are 20,000
5 PRIZES OF 5,000 are 25,000
25 PRIZES OF 1,000 are 25,000
100 PRIZES OF 500 are 50,000
200 PRIZES OF 300 are 60,000
500 PRIZES OF 200 are 100,000
APPROXIMATION PRIZES.
100 Prizes of \$500 are 50,000
100 Prizes of \$300 are 30,000
100 Prizes of \$200 are 20,000
TERMINAL PRIZES.
999 Prizes of \$100 are 99,900
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3134 Prizes, amounting to \$1,054,800

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THE CLIP.

Some 90 and 99-lb corn-fed Texas sheep sold at \$4.25 per hundred at Chicago last week, but the corn was not fed in Texas.

The Nolan County Record says: Clear the scab from your flock of sheep before you commence to cry out that "free trade" will ruin you.

Mr. Al Knollin, sheep buyer for Swift, is reported by the Denver Telegram as having returned to Kansas City. He purchased 50,500 fat sheep in Texas.

Valparaiso wool is coming into American ports and so are Valparaiso hides. Great Britain supplies the Valparaiso markets and the United States furnishes the money.

On Monday last the combined receipts of muttons at New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City did not amount in numbers to the cattle receipts of Chicago, which amounted to 10,500 head.

Stock sheep can be roughly quoted at one dollar per head. The sales of stock sheep are not very frequent, and there are some transactions on record at \$1.50 per head. These are few and far between.

Mr. J. H. Puthuff of Duncan, I. T. in the Chickasaw nation was in Fort Worth, he sold his wool at 18 cents at Bowie some time ago and reached the top of the market. Mr. Puthuff wants to take a few thousand sheep on shares.

Sheepmen would like to know what they have to contend with. Free trade cannot be much worse than this state of uncertainty, but one consolation is that less numbers of sheep men worry over the tariff every year. The sheep interest is declining.

The latest Texas live stock freight tariff contains the following, which is in keeping with the usual programme: Double-decks calves to Kansas City, \$91.25; double-deck sheep to Kansas City, \$100.50. The railroads persist in discriminating against the sheep trade.

A letter from Galveston states that Adoue & Lobit have sold 800,000 pounds of wool during the season, at prices ranging from 15½ to 19 cents. As the entire sales of wool at Galveston amounts to very little in excess of this quantity, other houses must have sold very little wool.

One hundred and sixty-one head of 59-lb sheep and 293 head of 60-lb sheep sold at Chicago at \$1.90 per head and did not much more than pay the freight. If such sheep are held for the feeders next fall the JOURNAL will guarantee \$1 per head for them, provided they are not scabby.

Stock Grower:—The Barth live stock of Apache county, Arizona, sold at sheriff's sale at Los Luna on the 6th instant, were knocked down to Picido Romero of Paralta; the sheep about 3,600 head selling at 50 cents each, 309 head of stock cattle at \$5.50 per head, and 18 horses at an average of \$12.25

San Angelo Standard:—Geo. Richardson, at present at Lampasas Springs, writes that he has received lots of offers for his sheep-shearing machine, but as the offers have scarcely been as high as he considers the invention worth he has not sold yet. Should he sell it he will go to South America or Australia in the fall.

Sales reported by the Boston Advertiser: 7500 lbs fine No. 1 spring Texas, 20c; 2700 lbs Texas, 16½c; 2000 lbs medium spring Texas, 22c; 100,000 lbs spring Texas, basis 48@50c scoured, 100,000 lbs do do, basis 50@52c scoured; 20,000 lbs Ga. on p. t.; 10,000 lbs Texas on p. t. Total, 242,200 lbs.

Mr. E. Wm. Gruendler of Galveston, well known in the Texas wool trade,

and recently traveling for a Galveston house, is displaying a shingle of his own, and will do a commission business in wool and sheepskins. Mr. Gruendler is thoroughly conversant with the wool trade, and will do full justice to his customers.

Chicago Wool Journal:—Nothing can be plainer than that the pending possibilities of action on the Mills tariff bill in congress is just now depressing the price of wool at least a few cents below what it would otherwise be. It is believed that the bill will fail of passage, but there is just enough uncertainty about it to leave it in bad shape.

U. S. Economist:—If tariff meddling did not loom up at every session of congress we would have many more millions of sheep browsing upon our mountains and headlands; and our woolen and worsted industry would be more stable, animated and prosperous than it is. But capital is ever timid and apt to go under cover or hide away where security or shelter is not promised.

U. S. Economist:—Under brighter hopes we have been trying to keep sheep from the butchers, until the day when we can raise 1,000 million pounds of wool and be free in peace and in war from all foreign intermeddling in the laws of our country concerning tariff issues. In free trade England to-day we find a duty of 75 to 88 cents a pound placed upon our tobacco, while she admits our flour and cotton free, and yet we know of no effort being made to ask any foreign power to admit our tobacco like our cotton free into its ports.

Mark Lane Express:—The valuation of sheep stock on the farm of Kintaw, Craigish, has taken place. Admiral Campbell, the proprietor, is taking the farm into his own hand. Mr. Craig is the outgoing tenant. 2231 sheep were delivered. The arbiters did not agree, and the oversman fixed the prices as follows: Milk ewes and lambs, £43 10s. per 21, casting 2 per 20 at one-third less; three-year-old widders at £28 10s. per 21, cast as above; yell ewes at £29 per 21 cast as above; two-year-old widders at £25 10s. per 21, cast as above; ewe hoggs at £32 per 21, cast as above; wedder hoggs at £22 per 21, casting 24 per 20 at one-third less.

A Southern Texas sheepman writes for information as to the cause and cure of a disease which has afflicted some of his sheep. He says: Altogether, four of my best ewes have at different times since lambing, been affected with a disease of the udder, commencing by a solid matter forming in the milk glands and gradually getting worse, ending in one case in death, and in another by the whole udder rotting away. Two more are following suit in spite of all my efforts, and I shall be greatly obliged if some of your readers can give cause of, and remedy for the disease.

I had one ewe affected in the same way some time since, and although she recovered, was, of course, useless for breeding.

Apache Review:—News comes that Arthur Ashton, Sam Carson and Elisha Averett were driving a bunch of cattle to the White mountains above Springerville, when they met a band of sheep camped on the road, on Sunday afternoon. Some words arose between the sheep-herders and the cowmen which resulted in shots being exchanged killing a horse belonging to Averett. Ashton and his men rode to Springerville at once, for assistance, being forced to leave the cattle. Warrants were sworn out and a posse of men started in pursuit of the sheep-herders Monday morning. Trouble was expected, the sheepmen being armed and numbering seven or eight. It is said that the sheep belong to the Candelaria family at Concho.

Boston Advertiser:—The market has been more active during the past week, but no improvement can be noted in prices. Values are still on a very low basis, and there is nothing in all the immediate future that would indicate any improvement for some time to come. The mills are very lightly stocked as a rule, but with the present weak condition of woolen goods they did not want to have any supply of wool to carry. The market here at present is lower for a manufacturer to buy than any other place in the country, and from the larger business done last week it would look as if they were aware of the fact. Many instances are reported where manufacturers who have been in the habit of getting their stocks in the country, have been here during the week and purchased, although, as a rule, they will not operate except on a moderate scale. The larger receipts of domestic wools make better assortments to offer, and even those buyers who are not purchasing are looking about pretty sharp, in anticipation of future wants.

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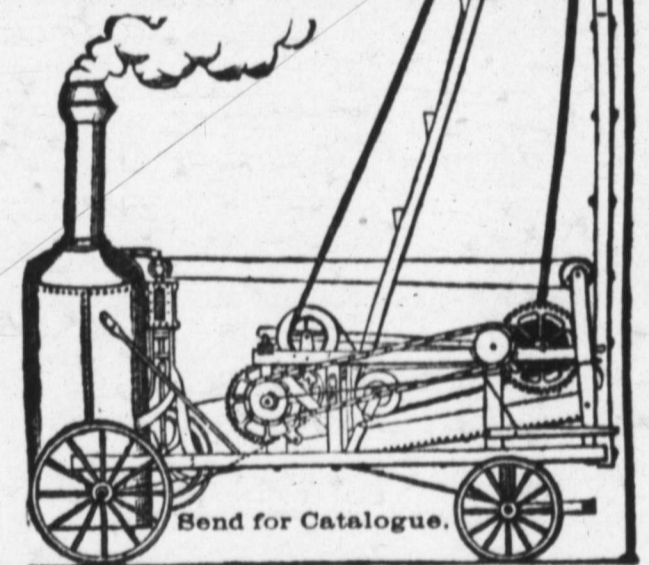
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SAN ANTONIO.

A SALE of several hundred yearling mare colts, branded, at \$10 per head, is reported in this market. It is hard to beat this with raising cattle, or any other class of stock.

THERE is a ranch in the state of Durango, Mexico that has 18,000 head of horses, but as the mares' tails are nearly all shaved there is very little of it marketable in an American market.

THE dry spell is hardening the grass and stock is fattening faster than ever. The season of 1888 will be a memorable one in Southwest Texas, and a few more like it would make this the richest country in America.

UNLESS it is actually necessary to realize on them, this is a good time for Southwest Texas ranchmen to keep their cattle at home to grow on the luxuriant grasses. From all indications beef cattle will be beef cattle more than ever next winter and spring and then the big grass of this summer and fall will insure fat cattle and big interest on the money from now till the stock is sold.

THE union stock yards question has again been sprung in this city. The live stock commission men and shippers are almost a unit against it, but a company of outsiders and ranchmen have organized and propose to build the yards at the crossing of the Sunset and International railroads, and about 2½ miles from the main plaza. It is understood that all the roads have agreed to deliver and take away stock without extra charges, but as the I. & G. N. railroad does not propose to abandon its present shipping pens, which are centrally located, and which do nine-tenths of the business of the town, the present system of doing business here will not be affected much. The private yards, of which there are many, and some of the best in the South, will continue to do the business, as they charge no yardage, and only cost price for hay, getting their pay out of the commissions, and the stock will be loaded at the railroad shipping pens as they have been always heretofore. Just where the dividends to the stockholders of the proposed union stock yards are to come from is a mystery, but the matter does not materially interest anyone except the investors. The STOCK JOURNAL has always held that San Antonio was not favorably located for union stock yards until a refrigerator or other consuming market could be established. The stock yard facilities are at present ample for four times the volume of business done, and cheaper to the seller than union yards could possibly be.

THE most active and determined opposition has been developed against the establishment of union stock yards here. Nearly all of the stock dealers and commission men, together with the proprietors of the leading stock yards in this city, have signed a protest which sets forth their reasons in detail. They contend that the stock

handled here is mainly of a cheap class of stock that cannot stand union stock yards charges and that any attempt to force such stock into the union yards will drive the trade to other points. They also contend that the promoters of the union stock yards are land speculators and not identified with the stock interests of this city or section of the country, that they have cheap land which they desire to enhance in value by locating the union yards on it; that the location is remote, out of the way and unsuitable for the purpose, and the whole scheme is a speculation devised for the benefit of a few outsiders at the expense of the regular stockmen and the stock dealers who have built up the stock trade of San Antonio. Furthermore they allege it is a trick to divert the shipping trade at present controlled by the International & Great Northern railway to the Southern Pacific railway. This remonstrance, signed by nearly all the leading stockmen and stock dealers, etc., of this city has been forwarded to Mr. J. N. Eddy of the I. & G. N. railway at Palestine. What reply the union stock yards people will make and what further action they will take in the matter remains to be seen.

San Antonio Wool Market.

The market drags along slowly, with continued light transactions at quotation prices. Two Eastern buyers are still here, picking up clips occasionally, while the local buyers are also yet in the market. Never before has the season dragged so late, as usually heretofore by July 1 a very correct semi-annual report could be made, while it may be September before it can be made this year. The receipts have been light but have not entirely ceased, although it is now conceded that the wool tributary to this market is all in. The stock on hand is estimated to be from 2000 to 2500 sacks. San Antonio quotations are as follows:

TWELVE-MONTHS WOOL.	
Medium bright and light.....	17 @18
Medium dark and heavy.....	15 @16
Fine bright and light.....	15½ @17
Fine dark and heavy.....	13 @14
Coarse.....	11 @13
SIX-MONTHS WOOL.	
Medium bright and light.....	15 @16½
Medium dark and heavy.....	13 @14
Fine bright and light.....	15 @16
Fine dark and heavy.....	12½ @14
Coarse.....	8 @11

San Antonio Horse Market.

The market for the past week has been fairly active, good stock going readily at fair figures with sacrifices on thin and scrubby stock. The demand for both horse and mule colts is on the increase, and the tendency is that it will pay better to sell unbranded common colts than to raise them. Mules are only nominal, the demand being more for speculative purposes than for actual use. The shipments for the past week were 1205 head.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands.....	\$10 @ \$14
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands.....	12 @ 17
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.....	20 @ 25
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.....	15 @ 17
Yearling fillies, branded.....	7 @ 8
Yearling fillies, unbranded.....	10 @ 12
Two-year-old fillies, branded.....	10 @ 13
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded.....	12 @ 14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.....	30 @ 40
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½ hands.....	75 @ 200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands.....	22 @ 35
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands.....	20 @ 28
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands.....	16 @ 25
Weaned, unbranded colts.....	4.50 @ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands.....	27 @ 48
Mules, improved, 13½ to 14 hands.....	45 @ 65
Yearling mule colts, improved.....	25 @ 30
Two-year mule colts, improved.....	30 @ 40
Yearling mule colts, Mexican.....	15 @ 20
Two-year mule colts, Mexican.....	20 @ 30

HORNS AND HOOFES.

R. W. Dowe of Eagle Pass in spending a few days in town.

C. B. Team of Mississippi was in the city after horse stock this week.

S. M. Williams of Washington county is here after some horse stock.

B. F. Darlington shipped three carloads of mules to Memphis this week.

D. H. Ainsworth shipped another train-load of steers to Chicago on Friday.

Jesse H. Pressnal has just returned from his ranch at Fort Stockton, from where he started a train-load of cattle for Chicago.

Two train-loads of cattle belonging to the Texas Land & Cattle company passed through here Sunday, en route to Chicago.

Col. R. G. Head of Denver, Col., and head of the R. G. Head Brokerage & Investment company, is in the city for a few days.

John R. Mahone of Marshall, Texas, came down on Wednesday and left for Corpus Christi, where he bought a bunch of mares.

Pearsall News:—There seems to have been a lull in stock shipments as but few have been shipped this week compared with others of this season.

John W. Noble is back from a couple of months' absence on his ranch in Mexico, and say that stock looks remarkably well in all the Santa Rosa district.

Major Half left for a summer trip through the North to enjoy himself, while his longhorns are continually chewing their cud on the green hills beyond the Pecos.

Tom Dewees of Wilson county was up last Tuesday and reports stock doing finely, and getting fat on the cured grass. He will not ship till winter, or until cattle get up again in prices.

Will Jacobs of Atascosa county, an enterprising young ranchman, left for a vacation to the Northern summer resorts, feeling perfectly secure that his cattle will have grown finely during his absence.

The run of stock to market is rather light from Southwest Texas just now. Grass is good, and market low, our cattle therefore can stay at home till next winter and spring, when they will be in demand.

Capt. E. N. Gray of Duval county paid the city a flying visit the latter part of last week. Since the Aransas Pass railway has got to Kleberg the rancheros of that section can come in on short order.

The presence in the city and caucusing of such cattle kings as John T. Lytle, R. G. Head, B. F. Buzard, H. E. Barnard, Hilliard, Jesse H. Pressnal, etc., puts a news gatherer on qui vive for a first-class item.

Hy Roach of Brackett has just returned from Nebraska, where he sold a bunch of horses that he had wintered there. His face wore its accustomed smile, and it is therefore surmised that from a business point he did well.

Jesse H. Pressnal has associated himself with the firm of Clark & Scott of Collins, and it is now Pressnal, Clark & Scott, live stock commission merchants. This is a strong team and is bound to make itself felt in the trade of the Southwest.

A correspondent writes for information as to where to get millo maize seed. Any of the readers who can give the address of a person having said seed will please write to L. A. Heil, manager, San Antonio, Texas,

branch office TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL.

Hart Mussy of Pressnal & Mussy, rancheros at Fort Stockton, came down last week, and goes on to Hot Springs, Ark., to boil out some rheumatic pains. He says that wheat has suffered somewhat from rust, but alfalfa is doing fine, and has been cut several times this season already.

Capt. John R. Blocker is back from Colorado, where he was with the herds of Howard & Stoddard. He was corraled in the the Neutral Strip by the Colorado quarantine officers for a few days, but soon was permitted to proceed. It is thought that the Wyoming authorities will not oppose the entrance of the herds, as they are the property of their own ranchmen.

Morin Bros. report the following sales for the week past: 84 horses, \$14.50; 25 mares and 4 mules, \$18; 53 horses, mares and mules, \$14.50; 64 horses, \$15.25; 27 horses and 1 mares, \$11; 41 mares and colts, \$18.75; 25 horses and mules, \$13; 67 horses and mules, 13; 77 horses and mares, \$16.50; 50 horses, \$17.25; 49 horses and mares, \$18.50; 50 mares, \$15; 50 mares, \$15.25; 26 mares and horses, \$10.

Horse commission-men complain that it is difficult to get sellers to take fair offers for their stock immediately on arrival. Country shippers come here with their ideas far above this market and decline to sell at any price until the second or third day after they arrive here. The stock get accustomed to their new surroundings after the first day and show the fatigue from their trip, consequently prices that are offered immediately on arrival cannot be duplicated on the second or third day. As a case in point, a bunch of scrub ponies arrived here the other day and as soon as they came in the owner was offered \$13.50 per head for the lot. The owner refused the offer, and the next day the stock looked all fagged out, and the best offer he could get was \$10, at which figure he sold out.

THE WOOL SACK.

J. J. Burke, a prominent sheep man of Eagle Pass, is looking about the city.

The wool season is prolonged far beyond any time before known in this section.

C. W. Wilkins of Wilkins Bros., Langtry, came down Sunday and left for Bandera. Cy is after something, sure.

Geo. W. Ames of Del Rio, a live wool man of Val Verde county, was on a visit to the big wool market this week.

J. P. Inskeep, a prominent wool grower of Gillespie county, passed through the city Tuesday on his way to Austin.

A. Symes of Taylor made a flying visit to the great wool center the early part of the week. Mr. Symes has one of the best bred flocks of sheep in the state.

The A. G. Anderson wool clip of Colorado City amounting to 42,000 lbs, was sold to a New York buyer at 14c. The same clip of wool sold last year for 17½c.

Ike Gronski of Mitchell county has just bought 1062 sheep from Coman & Shear at \$1.70. Mr. Gronski now has a flock of about 10,000 sheep and intends buying at least 2000 more.

Major B. F. Buzard of the Nueces Land & Cattle company came down from the ranch the first of the week. The major has recently returned from a visit to his old home in St. Joe, Mo.

Maria New Era:—H. L. Piaget of Haymond paid the Era office a pleasant call last week. This gentleman is

one of the largest sheep owners in Texas, and has by far handled more sheep than any other dealer in the state. He says his range is good and his sheep in good condition. His pastures embrace fifty sections, all well and sufficiently watered. His sheep are all improved.

Mr. T. W. Scollard of Albany bought for Messrs. Dupee & Nichols of Boston the J. R. Friend & Co. clip of wool. It made 10 car-loads and amounted to 60,000 pounds. This closes the Albany wool market for this season. Over 300,000 pounds have been handled by one firm alone, 700,000 pounds were sold here, the balance being consigned to various commission houses. The prices paid are a shade better than any other market in the state, making Albany the first market in price and second in quantity in the state. Prices have ranged from 15 to 17c.

Uvalde News:—The biggest sheep trade of the season in this county was consummated this week, Mr. John Weymiller selling all his sheep to Mr. M. B. Pulliam. The number delivered to Mr. Pulliam is a little over 14,000 and the price paid was \$1 per head for everything, including lambs. This is considered an excellent bargain as they are a fine lot of sheep, and worth more than the price paid. Mr. Pulliam will run them on Mr. Weymiller's range for several months, and during the fall and winter will fatten as many as possible and ship them to market. The remainder will then be moved to Mr. Pulliam's range.

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Frozen beef is now being shipped to this country in small quantities from the Argentine Confederation. The cattle there as well as in the Banda Oriental (Uruguay), on the other side of LaPlata, are being improved very fast, and the day will come when the mutton and beef of the countries tributary to that river will come into serious competition with the Australian colonies. But it is important to bear in mind that no country south of the equator can compete with the United States in the dead meat trade with this country, because their meat has to be frozen, whereas the United States has only to be chilled and kept in cold chambers. The difference is of kind and not merely of degree, directly affecting the vital principles of the trade. Frozen mutton has proved a commercial success, whereas frozen beef has not; and south of the equator there is any amount of mutton to send. On the other hand United States chilled beef has proved a far more important commercial success in our markets, while their export trade is practically nil.

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AT MONTREAL, CANADA, experts on cattle show a decrease of 8000 head exported compared with supply of last year. This is the smallest amount exported in four years, and confirms the opinion advanced at the beginning of the season, that the supply of cattle would run lighter by a good deal. The paper containing the above says in conclusion that trade has not suffered in consequence. Here in Texas we are looking for a shortage to help our suffering trade.

A REPORT is current that a cattle syndicate of Western men has been formed with the view of operating on a large scale in South America. A representative of the combination is now in Washington for the purpose of negotiating with the Brazilian government, through its minister, for a grant of 3,000,000 acres of land in the valley of the Amazon. Application is also to be made to the Argentine Republic for a large range. The syndicate embraces individuals representing \$50,000,000 of capital. The leading spirits believe that the range business has a short lease of life in the United States, and that South America is destined to become the great source of profitable beef production. Only a week ago a foreman of one of the Western outfits was arrested in New York on his way to Brazil, and he had money in his possession, given him to pay the hands

who had been employed under him. Let us hope that he was not the advance guard of the South American syndicate.

Texas Cattle Fever.

Every year about this time the country is full of reports of Texas or splenic fever among cattle. The reports come from states where Texas cattle are not permitted to enter, and it is often alleged that native cattle contract the disease from other native cattle which have been transferred from stock yards to feed lots. So varied are the reports and alleged causes that the presumption is that nearly all cattle diseases are called Texas cattle fever.

The JOURNAL does not fail to recognize that the uncertainty and mystery surrounding these cases has exaggerated the evil of disease, and the lack of knowledge on the part of cattlemen as to the actual facts in such cases, together with the diverse opinions of scientists concerning the summer cattle diseases, all cause restrictions to be placed on trade and prevent the sale of Southern cattle, when possibly if the worst was known a few regulations would be sufficient to cause removal of some unnecessary restrictions, and as a consequence trade in young cattle might rapidly increase, when protected by sanitary safeguards.

The necessity of experiments to be conducted on a large scale, in order to ascertain something definite and reliable concerning splenic fever, has long been apparent, and it is with pleasure we notice that the management of the Union stock yards of Chicago has offered every facility to the live stock associations of the country to make thorough tests, the offer including the cattle, pens, grass lots, etc. The offer has been accepted in behalf of many associations and state sanitary boards, and the tests will soon commence. The result will be looked forward to with great interest by all stockmen of Texas and the range country. Western and Southern interests should be represented at Chicago during the progress of the experiments.

The Street Stable Cars.

The Street stable cars are a familiar sight in Northern Texas now that the grass cattle shipments have commenced, just the same as they continue to be in the southern portion of the state. The car is making important converts and strong friends by reason of the valuable service rendered, and shippers are making permanent arrangements with the company for regular return of the cars used, to be loaded again and again.

The first train-load shipment from this section reached Chicago last week from Albany, the train being made up by Reynolds Bros. and other stockmen. The result is announced as satisfactory in every respect, and the same train is returning to receive the second load.

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shipment sent by Dr. A. E. Carothers from Southern Texas, wherein two shipments were made in competition, one going in Street stable cars.

They were of the same lot of cattle and those in the common cars were of the first cut. On their arrival in market those in the common cars averaged 858 pounds, and sold for \$3.20 per 100 pounds, while those in the stable cars averaged 908 pounds and sold for \$3.40 per 100 pounds. The freight of those in the stable cars cost 50 cents per head more, which still leaves a balance of \$2.92 per head in their favor, which amounts to \$70.08 per car, \$1001.20 for a train-load of 15 cars.

The stockmen of Texas can be furnished still more reliable data than the above, if some split shipments are made, the actual weights being ascertained before shipment and again after arrival in market. Such tests would be conclusive and convince the entire cattle interest of the country of the utility and benefit of the improved car and not leave one particle of ground upon which to base doubt or denial.

The Texas Fever Tests.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for conducting the Texas cattle fever tests at the Union stock yards, Chicago, made the following report, which is taken from the Chicago Drovers' Journal:

That five head of native and Northern cattle known to be entirely healthy, and to have never been exposed to Texan or other Southern cattle, be placed in the Union stock yards for the season, to be transferred from time to time from one pen to another in which Texans or other Southern cattle have been fed and watered; and that said native cattle be allowed no feed or water save such as are to be had in the lots in which such Southern cattle have been yarded.

That five healthy native Northern cattle be placed in a yard with a drove of Texans, and kept in actual contact with them for a period of not less than seven days. That the said native cattle be then kept in the same yard without further contact until such time as it may be apparent that said natives either have or have not been infected by such contact, then turned into an uninfected grass lot, and to be allowed to graze therein for a future period of seven days, and, after removed, five other native Northern cattle to be turned in upon the grass, and these main-

tained until it should be clear that they have or have not contracted the fever.

That a series of exposures of native Northern cattle with Texans be made with a view of determining as to whether or not there is any fixed period of time after which the Southern cattle cannot convey the fever to Northern cattle.

That if any of these lots of native cattle contract the Texas fever, they be at once placed in contact with five other healthy native cattle with a view towards determining as to whether or not cattle so diseased can reconvey it to native stock.

We would recommend that in the conduct of these tests accurate records be kept throughout as to the exact dates of the various exposures, and as to the locality from which the Southern cattle (with which contact is had) were shipped.

We would further recommend that some disinterested party be appointed to closely observe each and every detail of such experiments, and note all the facts relating to the conduct and management of the tests when completed.

That a committee of five be chosen by this meeting whose duty it shall be to supervise the conduct of the tests and arrange all necessary details of carrying out the provisions of the above recommendations.

The committee thus appointed comprises: B. H. Hind, Michigan; Adam Earl, Lafayette, Indiana; Dr. Stalker, Iowa; H. M. Chesney, Chicago, and Dr. Casewell, Illinois.

The appointment of the supervisor of the tests was left to the National association of cattle growers, and in the event of their declining the nomination the chairman was authorized to confer with the various interested associations throughout the country and find a suitable man to carry out the proposed work.

Live Stock Sanitary Laws.

Texas is without any live stock sanitary laws on her statute books for the protection of her great stock interests from the contagious diseases which are prevalent in Europe and which exist to some extent in the Eastern states of our own country.

It is a well known fact that cattle in pleuro-pneumonia infected districts are cheaper than similar cattle in districts free from all suspicion of disease, which

affords an opportunity to unscrupulous traders to buy these dangerous cattle and bring them to Texas for sale. Experience has demonstrated the fact that an animal may be infected with contagious pleuro-pneumonia without indicating by its appearance in any manner that it is infected with this terrible scourge. The disease may break out months after the animal's exposure to the disease, and if only the outward appearance as to health was taken into consideration unsuspecting buyers might purchase Eastern cattle and turn them in their herds and would spread disease which it would be impossible to eradicate and cause the entire destruction of the herd.

The only protection afforded Texas at the present time is owing to the observance on the part of Southwestern railways of the regulations thoughtfully issued by the commissioner of agriculture placing restrictions on the movement of cattle from pleuro-pneumonia infected districts. These regulations require cattle sought to be moved from districts indicated to be accompanied by affidavits establishing the fact that they are free from disease and that they come from districts free from disease and that they have not been exposed to disease.

The bureau of animal industry has been especially zealous in protecting and promoting the live stock interests of Texas, and Texas has shown her appreciation by manfully sustaining the bureau against all efforts to cripple its usefulness.

While the bureau has done and is doing with limited means at its command all that is possible to do in the premises the bureau has never done better work than it is now doing in directing attention to the defenceless condition of the state in the lack of proper live stock sanitary laws.

What is needed is a law establishing a state live stock commission with authority to employ a competent veterinary surgeon, which commission should be clothed with all necessary powers to enable them to put in force such regulations as experience has demonstrated as being necessary to protect the live stock interests of the state from all possible danger. This could be done at nominal expense, for the commission could be composed of practical cattlemen whose larger interests would cause them to undertake the duties without other compensation than the expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties.

The veterinary surgeon should be a permanent salaried officer who could act as secretary of the board and when not otherwise engaged make scientific investigations for the benefit of the public which would prove of incalculable good.

The importance of this proposed action cannot be overestimated and in addition to securing protection for Texas live stock interests it would tend to secure modifications of the quarantine laws affecting Texas cattle, because Texas would be enabled to demonstrate the healthiness of her cattle and secure such regulations on

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The butcher trade of Fort Worth is very dull, butchers buying in small lots of local operators.

Mr. John Nesbitt, live stock agent of the Chicago & Alton railroad, passed one night in Fort Worth, going south to San Antonio.

Messrs. Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger sold to W. H. Sprinkle of Alton, Ill. 25 head of North Texas mares at \$35 around. The firm will receive another consignment of horses Saturday and will hold them for sale in a pasture near the city.

D. B. Gardner of the Pitchfork company says the ranch and the railroad compare greatly over and above the condition of the country last year, and he hopes to be able to send some fat cattle to market.

Messrs. Young, Andrews & Kuhen sold 50 head of horses and a few mares to Scarborough & Minter of Louisiana. They sold 10 mares to go to West Virginia. The firm reports having on hand in town and in pasture a good supply of horses, mares and mules.

Mr. W. H. Jolly of Wichita Falls came down from his ranch on land business, and reports that very few fat cattle will be ready for market before the middle of August. Some cattle have gone to market lacking the flesh necessary to place them in good fix, but the run will not be heavy for some time.

John K. Rosson, who represents Stephens & Dobyns, live stock commission merchants of Kansas City, informs the JOURNAL of the establishment of a branch house at the Chicago markets so that the customers of S. & D. can have all shipments billed through and obtain benefit of both markets.

New Mexico stockmen are now using Texas railroad facilities in order to get their cattle to market, actually driving New Mexico cattle into the Texas Panhandle without paying ten cents per head inspection fee. It is just a little better treatment than they deserve, but Texas stockmen will consider their difficulties and graciously permit them to pass.

Mr. Sterrett of Sterrett & Sons, breeders of French draft horses and Hereford cattle, ranch in Shackelford county, called on the STOCK JOURNAL while in Fort Worth. Mr. Sterrett says stock of all kinds are in better condition than he has known them to be in for five years, and he is very sanguine of an early upward movement in values.

Having some mares with young colts and desiring to fatten the mares and put them in suitable condition before the shipping season was over, Messrs. Hatcher, Woods & Coppinger of Fort Worth have sold some colts at nominal figures just to get rid of them. As these colts are mostly unbranded and some of them are sired by extra good stallions there is very good prospect for the colt raiser to make some money out of them. Several thousand colts can be purchased annually at Fort Worth and San Antonio at very low figures.

Many of the ranchmen of Texas are improving upon the old style of cutting out dry cows for market promiscuously and leaving cows with calves to run upon the range. Ranchmen are now selling the calves belonging to old cows, disposing of them early in the season so as to permit the cows to fatten for later markets. One herd of cows and calves on the way to Cherokee Strip, so as to get a short run to market, and the cows will be ranged until fall. Another cattle company has

sold 2000 calves to a Nebraska feeder, and will drive cows and calves to the shipping point and after the calves are delivered the cows will be returned to the range.

The announcement of the Warren Female Institute appears in the JOURNAL, the fifth annual session of thirty-eight weeks commencing on September 3rd. The Warren institute is an institution of which Fort Worth is justly proud, it was commenced as a local establishment but has greatly outgrown the original limits and is now a boarding school of the first-class, employing ten teachers in addition to the lady principal, and the enrollment of scholars has increased since the year 1884 from 23 to 104. Mrs. Ed. F. Warren, principal, has a wide reputation for proficiency as a teacher, a trainer in methods, and the assistant teachers are all competent to conduct their various special departments. The numerous educational institutions in other states receiving scholars from Texas, are none of them better conducted or more thoroughly successful in the results of the course of study than the Warren institute, neither can a healthier location be found for any school. The JOURNAL would advise that heads of families who desire to give their girls every possible educational advantage to be attained in the higher order of schools, to communicate with the principal of the Warren institute of Fort Worth and learn the fullest particulars concerning its course of study and general management.

Death of Col. C. L. Carter.

Col. C. L. Carter, familiarly known as Uncle Kit, president of the Northwest Texas Cattle Raisers' association, and originator of that organization, has gone to his reward, passing away at Palo Pinto on Sunday, July 8th, surrounded by friends and relations. His death was not unexpected, as the old gentleman had been ailing for some time.

Colonel Carter was one of the pioneers of the cattle raising industry in Northwest Texas, having been identified with the business for over fifty years. He was president of the most important live stock association in Texas at the time of his death, having been elected to that office by unanimous vote thirteen times.

Few men who have lived in Texas have so greatly deserved the love and friendship of his fellow men, and none acquired greater hold upon the affections of persons with whom he came in contact. Colonel Carter was a cattleman at the time when the business was at its worst, when theft was legalized by circumstance, when the rough and tumble element was uppermost, but even then, before gray hairs added greater dignity to his manhood, his gentle and kindly nature had bound to him in friendship, love and reverence, thousands of men who were proud to know him and to work under his leadership. He was a good man and his influence was widely beneficial to his country.

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Mixed Farming.

Wm. Little of Hutchins, the typical representative of mixed farming, or, as the STOCK JOURNAL designates it, stock farming, called at our sanctum this week. Mr. Little raises horses, sheep, cattle and hogs, and the very best, mind you, the country grows. He is also a diligent student in the development of the grass kingdom. He says it is an omen of better days, a happy indication of a bountiful future in store for Texas, to see the stiffening tendency among the farmers generally to mixed farming. "I don't mean," said he, "that the farmers are beginning to realize the importance, indeed, absolute necessity of a diversity of crops only; not that alone, but the happy and certainly profitable medium that lies between extremes, that of mixing with the farming an intelligent and well-directed effort at stock raising, from the rooster up; a medium so aptly and properly designated by the STOCK JOURNAL as stock farming. It is a very healthy sign, and I am glad to see it. There is a general tendency among farmers to secure the best breeds of whatever they undertake to raise, let it be a chicken or a race horse."

Mr. Little is superintendent of the swine department of the State fair, and is very much encouraged at the great interest that is being awakened on the subject of the real hog, as is written and read of in the now-a-day profusely illustrated stock and agricultural papers. He thinks that the exhibit will be double what it was last year.

A Big Farmers' Day.

Wednesday, the 15th day of August, is to be a big day for the farmers in Dallas. It is the occasion of the regular annual rally of the State Alliance. Last year this body assembled at Cleburne, and was an occasion of much interest and enthusiasm.

The old Texas State Fair grounds have been selected for the meeting, in the exposition building, 90x160 feet in dimensions. It is here that the State Alliance has located its manufacturing establishment, including a large iron foundry, for manufacturing everything from a claw hammer to a steam engine.

The meeting will last four or five days, and will be characterized by speeches, brass bands, and an abundance to eat. It will be an enthusiastic gathering, embracing many of the best and brainiest farmers in the state.

Committeeman J. R. Johnson informs the STOCK JOURNAL that he has effected arrangements with the H. & T. C. Ry. company to run trains from the city out to the grounds every hour, for the accommodation of the public.

DALLAS DOGS.

Dr. J. R. Briggs of Dallas has something to say to our readers this week. The doctor is one of the leading physicians in his line in the state, as evinced by the many patients who daily come and go, and the indorsements of many of our leading business men who have been treated by him.

John W. Saunders.

We announce in this issue the name of John W. Saunders as a candidate for the office of assessor of taxes of Dallas county. Mr. Saunders is well known by the people of the county, having been raised among them, and is well qualified for the duties of the position. His extensive acquaintance with the people and experienced ideas of proper values adds much to his claims, which, coupled with his personal popularity among the tax-payers,

makes assurance almost doubly sure that he is the coming man for assessor.

At Hetherington & Nason's.

We found quite an assortment of well pumps and steam pumps of different kinds, with pipes and fixtures, at Hetherington & Nason's, 407 Elm street, Dallas, the other day. Their stock of pulleys, shafting, boxes, etc., is large, and they have as fine a stock of cotton, rubber and leather belting as you can find anywhere.

HEATHERINGTON & NASON.

Sales of Cattle at Carter & Son's Stock Yards, Dallas.

W. E. Burke of Wise county sold a bunch of fat grass cattle at \$12 per head.

J. E. Davis of Kaufman county sold 8 yearlings at \$7 per head, and 5 cows at \$10.50 per head.

A. W. Walden of Wise county sold a bunch of cattle for \$11.50 per head.

S. D. Jones of Ellis county sold 13 yearlings at \$5.50 per head.

Moss Miller of Mountain creek sold local butchers a bunch of 22 head for an average price of \$9.50.

E. Riley of Wise county sold a bunch of cattle on local market for an average price of \$10.

H. Hoffman of Ellis county sold 7 milch cows at \$22.50 per head.

Eagle & Wilson sold 1 car of fat cows and steers to Chas. Lutz at 2c, av. 825 lbs.

Mr. James sold 7 fat cows at \$13 per head.

Mansfield & Williams sold 1 car fat cows and steers at \$13.75 per head.

D. S. Graves sold 5 cows at \$15 per head; same 4 yearlings at \$7.50 per head.

Mr. Horan of Dallas county sold 21 mixed cattle at an average price of \$9.

Sam Morgan of Hill county sold 2 cows and calves at \$23 per head.

W. Wiley sold 9 heifer yearlings at \$7 per head.

There has been a better demand for stock this week than for the last month. Local butchers took this week 252 head and not a mutton on the market as yet.

There has not been a goat or sheep or a hog on the market for about two weeks. Fine hogs would bring a good price. Sheep indemand; also goats.

A Dallas, Texas, Winner of \$15,000.

Dallas (Tex.) News, May 20.

Mr. Frank Bergen was found at his saloon, corner of Akard and Marilla streets, and said that he has lived in Dallas for fifteen years. This was the second time he has bought a ticket in the Louisiana State Lottery. At hearing of his good luck he said, I was most completely inebriated by an exuberance of surprise. Now, however, I am fixed and intend investing in Dallas real estate. I received a check for the full amount, \$15,000, and got it cashed.

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Arkansas Farmer and Stockman:—Of all the cereals the oat crop is the most important as well as valuable to the stock raiser, especially to the horse raiser. Corn is not the best grain for horses, whether they be used on the road, on the farm, or for breeding. Oats make bone and muscle, corn makes fat and heat. Take a horse raised on oats, and put him to hard work in hot weather on a corn ration, and the chances are largely in favor of a falling-off in health if not sometimes worse. It is very seldom a horse is foundered on oats; and a horse fed on oats is not liable to become overheated like one fed on corn. For young stock oats are needed to make bone and muscle. In fact, we know of but one animal corn is fit for, and that is the hog intended for pork.

Construct Reservoirs.

Phoenix Herald.

The method of saving water in reservoirs for the purpose of irrigation and for household use is one that will eventually come into use in Arizona on an extensive scale. In parts of Africa where the rainfall is extremely light, splendid crops are raised by the use of water caught during the rainy season in immense reservoirs. During the rainy season in Arizona, particularly in Pima and Cochise counties, a great quantity of water pours down the mountain sides, causing freshets, injuring farms by washing soil away and wasting itself in the sea. This fact is one that should set people to thinking. If only a small part of this was saved in reservoirs the farmers in the driest uplands could have a plentiful supply the year round. Of course the construction of reservoirs of adequate size would require capital. This might be raised by the formation of companies among those who might be benefited by the water. No investment would yield more certain, and few more speedy returns. Those supplied with water in this way could laugh at the elements. The "dry season" would no longer be an object of apprehension. The irrigation question would be largely settled. Nothing is more certain than that a great part of the desert land of New Mexico and Arizona will in time be made productive by such means, and will in time be inhabited by populous farming communities.

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Candidate for
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THOMAS F. McENNIS,
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Tom Green Stock Notes.

San Angelo Standard.

Ben Van Tuyl of Colorado bought Pres and John Walling's yearlings at \$8 per head.

S. J. Blocker sold 74 heifer calves and 24 cows last week to D. W. Morris, at Ballinger, for \$5 and \$10 per head.

The H E W brand of cattle, about 2000 head, that range on the Colorado, are being gathered to move to Mexico.

Charles Chamberlain of Concho county, recently sold his 13,000 pound clip to Tom Scollard at 14 cents.

Ed. S. Lyell bought 50 head of fat Pecos cattle from Bud Littlepage and Walter Harris last Tuesday, at \$13 per head.

Bud Littlepage and Walter Harris returned last Saturday from a month's cow hunt on the Pecos. They report plenty of rain and fat cattle.

R. B. and Will Kennon, Tom and Mat Barfield and Willis Lawhorn sold 250 head of 1, 2 and 3-year-old steers to J. R. Frost at \$7, \$10 and \$15.

W. H. Godair returned from M. Z. Smizssen's steer ranch in Hockey county last Wednesday, where he delivered 1500 one, two and three-year old steers at \$8, \$12 and \$16. He says it's so dry up there that his outfit was without water for 65 miles.

C. C. Bradford of Round Rock, Williamson county, purchased the H W brand of cattle and ranch, on the Colorado river from A. H. Webb of Colorado City. The cattle sold at 9.50 per head, but we are unable to learn the price paid for the ranch.

Messrs. Smith & Bartlett are taking a new departure in the sheep business in this section. They have but recently purchased and received eleven head of fine Shropshire bucks from Geo. Allen & Son of Illinois at \$40 per head. This grade of sheep is highly valued for its mutton qualities, some of the wethers and ewes weighing as much as 250 and 300 pounds each.

Messrs. Brown & Rodgers of this city, bought 600 head of choice steers, 4-year-olds and up, from Philip C. Lee at \$22, making a total transaction of \$13,200. Three deliveries to be made at the nearest shipping point; the first 120 head, was made at Ballinger on the 27th ult. and the other two deliveries within seventy-five days of the first. The firm also shipped 44 head of steers, from 4 to 7 years old on the 4th that beat any grass-fed cattle ever shipped from Ballinger. They were bought from W. F. Whithead of Johnson Run, at \$20 per head.

A case of honesty in dealing with Mavericks that is worthy of publication and commendation was told us yesterday by Seaton Keith. The inspector of this county received a letter this week from J. B. Neill, county assessor of Taylor Co., asking if a certain brand belonged in this county. It turns out that this brand of cattle was bought from Jackson Bros. by Seaton Keith in 1882, and one of these cows was found by Neill in his neighborhood about 6 years ago and he has been branding its progeny ever since in the old cow brand, and thanks to a species of honesty that is rare in this country Seaton Keith has now six head of cattle that under other less favorable surroundings would be browsing around with six different illegal owner's brands on them.

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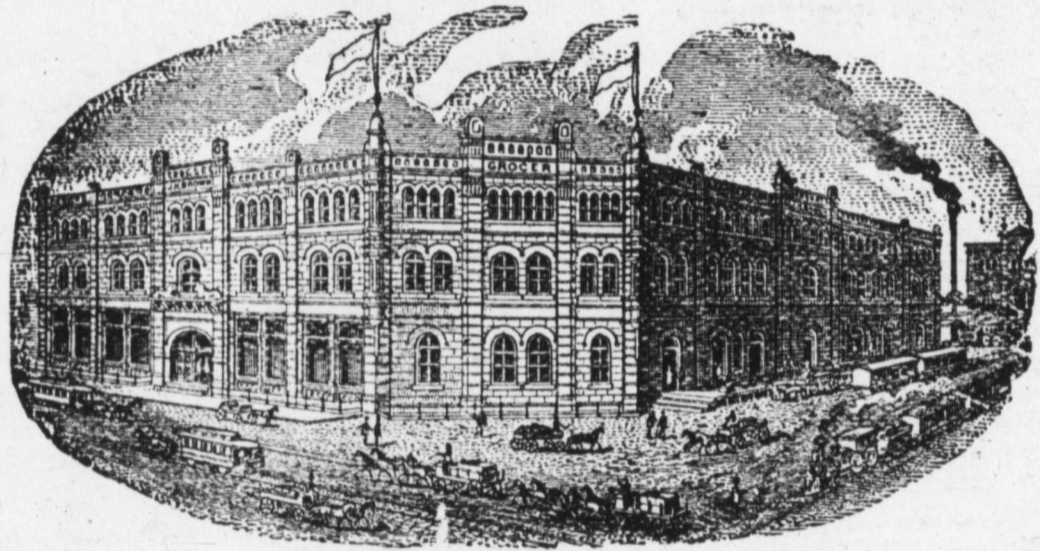
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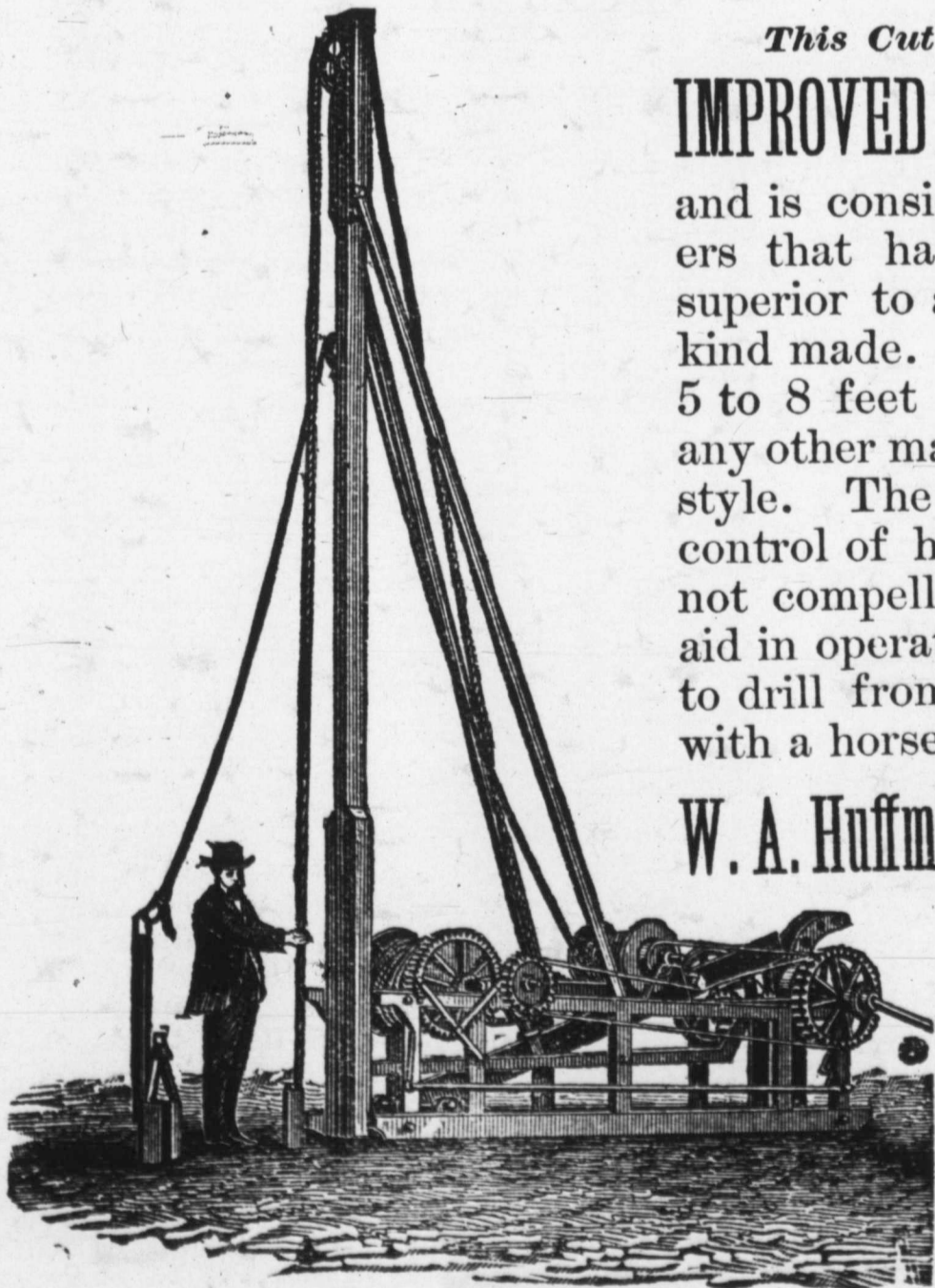
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Stock Growing in Mexico.

CHIHUAHUA, MEXICO, July 8, '88.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

On June 26 your correspondent left the good old city of San Antonio, Texas, for a trip through Mexico via the new route, by Eagle Pass. Leaving at 12 m. we arrived at Eagle Pass at 6 p. m. For the past ten years I have passed over this road at different times, by rail and on horseback, but never have I seen the country look as well as now, with better prospects for crops and fat cattle. One day's stay in Eagle Pass and Piedras Negras, and I left on the Mexican International railway for the interior. As it was night I saw none of the country till next morning, at Monclova, 148 miles from Piedras Negras, but as I have been over it before I can describe it from memory. Until after you pass the Sabinas, 70 miles, the country is susceptible of a high state of cultivation, as water can be put on it by numerous everlasting springs and streams, and the pasturage is fine. In fact it is the longest unimproved tract of land lying idle that I ever saw in Mexico, after traveling over a good portion of that republic, and which is susceptible of cultivation. At Sabinas are located the only known coal mines in Mexico, and which promise to be a source of immense wealth both to the company and to the country at large, as coal and fuel have always been one of the greatest obstacles in developing the mineral and manufacturing interests of the republic. To the north of the railroad are a range of mountains known as the Santa Rosas, and here is where are located the ranges of the majority of the Americans who are now running stock in Northern Coahuila. Of this section I will speak later. Leaving Monclova the country becomes quite bare and dry, and capable of only sustaining a limited number of stock, and more especially adapted to sheep and goats than cattle. This character of country continues till you get nearly to the end of this day's journey and where you enter the far famed Laguna country, which is largely devoted to agriculture, and it is here where the majority of the cotton of the country is raised. The soil is sandy and not adapted to heavy pasturing. Besides cotton, which lives here several years without replanting, vast quantities of corn and wheat is raised. The train arrives at Torreon, the junction with the Mexican Central railway, and four miles from Lerdo, at 4:30 p. m. As I had three hours to wait we took a hack for Lerdo station on the Mexican Central, where I met the south-bound train, and which was boarded for the capital of Mexico. It was night, but as I returned over this portion of the road in the day time I shall continue the description of the country as if I saw it all the way down. The country continues barren, or with short grass like much of that in Western Texas, for several hundred miles, the road running usually through wide valleys and here and there a mountain pass with easy grades. You are never out of sight of mountains while you are in Mexico. After you pass Fresnillo, in

the state of Zacatecas, the improvement of the country is quite noticeable, and although you have been ascending since you left Torreon, from the next town, Calera, it becomes quite pronounced, and you are climbing the mountains of Zacatecas, reaching at the city of Zacatecas a point of over 8000 feet, having climbed nearly 5000 feet since you got on this train. The mountains here are much more smooth and regular in their contour and are covered with a good growth of grass to their very summit. At Zacatecas I saw wool sold by the pound. From Zacatecas the entire face of nature changes, as you descend into the basin valleys of Central Mexico. Vegetation is abundant, and the population thick; towns of from 5000 to 100,000 inhabitants are at short distances of other and the soil is generally cultivated in the slip-shod, wooden-plow fashion. I only saw two iron plows on my trip and they had one handle cut off. Oxen are almost exclusively used in plowing. The soil is exceedingly rich, and the climate admits of one crop after another the year around without interruption by frosts. I speak of the vast basin valleys where water is stored for the dry season. On the mountains only, in the summer, the rainy season, can any dependence be placed on crops. Your readers must have read of the extensive inundations in this region last month. I was on the second train that passed over the road for two weeks, and found much of the country under water. These extensive valleys are simply immense basins catching the drainage from the surrounding mountains, and water can only be drained by evaporation. There are numerous dams making artificial lakes where it is stored for the dry season. The streams that for months were dry beds of sand, were now raging torrents. These valleys of Lagos, Leon, Celaya, etc., have an average elevation of 5000 feet. At Queretaro you again ascend the mountains that border the northern boundaries of the valley of Mexico. I never saw finer stretches of pasture lands than are found on some of these high mountains, 6000 or 7000 feet high. As far as the eye could reach not a shrub could be seen on the solid swath of green grass, with immense herds of cattle almost everywhere. Of course they were in good order, and what struck the attention of an American stockman first was the fact that the great majority of males were bulls, very few steers being seen. At Marquez you reach the highest point of the line from El Paso to the City of Mexico, which is 8133 feet above sea level. Vegetation is rank and wood is abundant, the locomotives using it south of Silao, 200 miles north of Mexico. From here you drop into the valley of Mexico, which is also in a high state of cultivation. What struck me at once was that in this valley I saw no horned animals except the fine stock at the quarantine station in the city. Everything is dehorned here, and I saw no poor stock, the great majority of it being fat enough for beef, even milk cows. Alfalfa is extensively fed, and grows the year round. No stock or muttons will ever be shipped out of Mexico for beef from south of Zacatecas, as it can easily be consumed by the inhabitants of the country. The fences are quite numerous and are almost altogether of rock, except in the towns, where a variety of cactus that grows straight up and about six inches in diameter, is used for dividing the lots. In my next I will give you some of the resources of the country.

— HANS MICKLE.

Missouri Pacific Time.

The Missouri Pacific Railroad company furnish the following record of recent shipments of Texas cattle:

OFFICE SUPT. CAR SERVICE, }
St. Louis, Mo., July 9, 1888. }

O. G. Murray, Freight Traffic Manager:
Dear Sir—For your information I beg to state that a shipment of 18 cars of stock left Texarkana at 1:15 a. m. of the 6th, arrived at Lesperance Street yards at 3:45 a. m. of the 7th, crossed the bridge at 4:49 a. m. on the 7th, making time of 25 hours and 55 minutes to St. Louis, and 26 hours and 59 minutes from Texarkana to East St. Louis, which I believe is the first attempt to put stock from Texarkana to St. Louis for feed, and you will note that stock were gotten in within one hour of the limit. Three of these cars were shipped by T. H. Jones, Goldthwaite, Texas, destination East St. Louis; 11 cars by M. Corrigan, Kleberg, Texas; and 4 by Jno. Corrigan, Kleberg, Texas. Last 15 cars destined to Chicago, via the C. & A.

Yours truly, C. W. HEQUEMBOURG,
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Time on 22 cars of stock from Texarkana to St. Louis, destined to St. Louis, Chicago and Buffalo: Left Texarkana 8:30 a. m., July 8; arrived at St. Louis, 10:55 a. m., July 9—26 hours 25 minutes, 489.5 miles; average number of miles per hour, 18.5.

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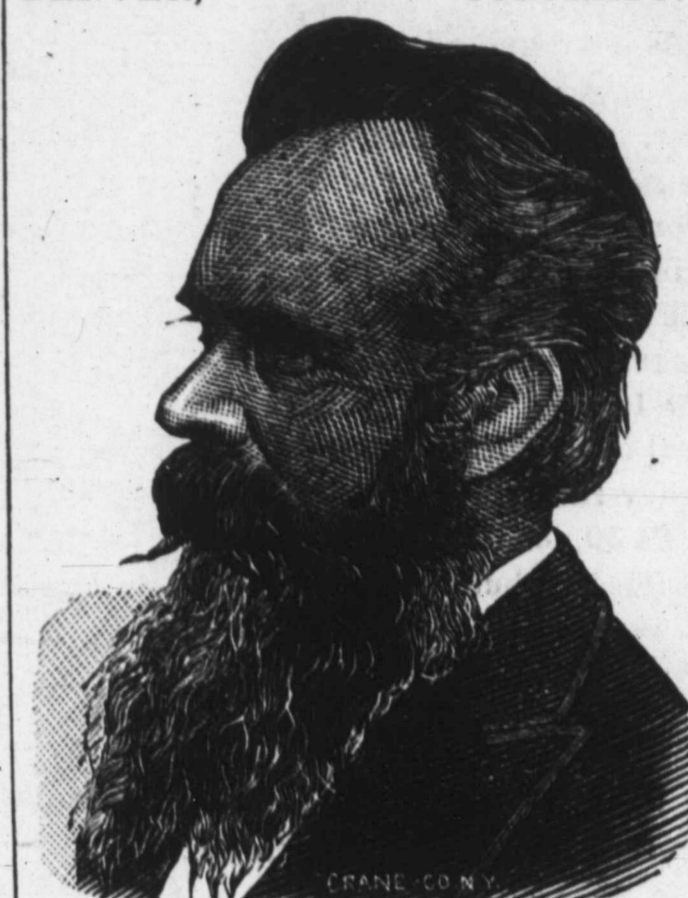


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Prices have advanced some on desirable grades of range cattle since my last. At the present writing good Texas steers of 800 to 950 lbs are bringing from \$3 to \$3.90 per 100 lbs, with the bulk of sales going at \$3.25@3.35 per 100 lbs. Of course there are some Texas steers bringing only \$2.25@2.50 per 100 lbs. The quality has a great deal to do with the prices paid. Good heavy Indian steers brought from \$4 to \$4.50 per 100 lbs. Light and thin cattle in abundance, dull and lower. Cows, yearlings, heifers, bulls, etc., brought \$1.40@2.25 per 100 lbs.

Hunter, Evans & Co. sold for J. Cottulla, Cotulla, 26 head, 693 lbs, at \$2.15. For S. Johnson, 24 head, 886 lbs, at \$2.55. For M. H. Burris, Floresville, 45 yearlings, 393 lbs, at \$1.37½; 85 calves at \$4 per head. For L. W. Johnson, San Antonio, 14 head, 835 lbs, at \$2.40; 13 head, 759 lbs, at \$2.40; 10 head, 770 lbs, at \$2.12½; 12 head, 755 lbs, at \$2.12½. For John Scott, Corsicana, 23 head, 886 lbs, at \$2.65; 22 head, 750 lbs, at \$2.40. For J. W. Farley, steers, 829 lbs, at \$2.50. For E. Grimes, Blooming Grove, 25 head, 844 lbs, at \$2.10; 23 head, 877 lbs, at \$3. For W. G. Ross, Mexia, 23 head, 782 lbs, at \$2.65. For R. J. Reberg, Collins, 26 head, 585 lbs, at \$1.90.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for W. B. Worsham, Henrietta, 26 head, 733 lbs, at \$2.30; 26 head, 692 lbs, at \$2.30; 28 head, 813 lbs, at \$1.90; 139 head, 78 lbs, at \$2.05. For Bull & Biffle, Gainesville, 25 head, 964 lbs, at \$3.10; 23 head, 902 lbs, at \$3.12½. For Warren & Benton, Henrietta, 44 calves at \$4.50 per head; 24 yearlings, 516 lbs, at \$1.75. For Wm. Warren, Henrietta, 19 head, 906 lbs, at \$3. For Warren & Benton, Henrietta, 27 head, 796 lbs, at \$2.35. 18 head, 1104 lbs, at \$2.75. For J. P. Utt, Farnsworth, 25 head, 760 lbs, at \$2.40; 24 head, 819 lbs, at \$2.20.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for J. L. Huggins, Doss, 45 head, 1063 lbs, at \$3.60; 28 cows, 824 lbs, at \$2.25. For J. O. Hall, Adair, I. T., 48 head, 966 lbs, at \$3.60. For Foley & Davis, Seymour, 175 head, 900 lbs, at \$3.20; 24 head, 926 lbs, at \$3.20. For D. Waggoner & Son, Harrold, 71 calves at \$6.25 per head; 76 calves at \$6.50 per head. For Enos Bohl & Co., Hondo City, 40 head, 859 lbs, at \$2.25; 21 head, 750 lbs, at \$1.75; 20 head, 882 lbs, at \$2.80. For J. R. Gaudin, Honey Grove, 20 head, 868 lbs, at \$2.75. For J. T. Holt, Honey Grove, 15 head, 905 lbs, at \$3. For Geo. C. Peck, Abilene, 69 head, 994 lbs, at \$3. For T. K. Stroud, Groesbeck, 72 head, 837 lbs, at \$2.80. For J. D. Washington, Dexter, 25 head, 761 lbs, at \$2. For John W. Dobkins, Gainesville, 25 head, 824 lbs, at \$2.25.

James H. Campbell & Co. sold 24 cows, 746 lbs, at \$2.15; 16 cows, 731 lbs, at \$2; 23 steers, 855 lbs, at \$2.55; 23 steers, 880 lbs, at \$2.50; 11 cows, 689 lbs, at \$1.85; 22 Indian steers, 895 lbs, at \$3.60; 23 same, 896 lbs, at \$3.10; 24 Texas steers, 889 lbs, at \$2.80; 15 cows, 773 lbs, at \$2.35; 10 cows, 768 lbs, at \$1.65; 183 Indian steers, 1053 lbs, at \$3.65; 12 same, 972 lbs, at \$3.25; 24 same, 1000 lbs, at \$3.75; 18 Texas steers, 939 lbs, at \$2.85; 17 cows, 821

lbs, at \$2.12½; 25 steers, 801 lbs, at \$2.40; 20 yearlings, 582 lbs, at \$1.50; 25 steers, 865 lbs, at \$2.62½; 10 steers, 858 lbs, at \$2.30; 22 cows, 802 lbs, at \$1.85; 10 Indian steers, 816 lbs, at \$3.15; 11 do, cows, 857 lbs, at \$2.25; 23 do, steers, 1000 lbs, at \$3.50; 23 Texas steers, 775 lbs, at \$2.80; 27 mixed, 712 lbs, at \$1.65; 121 calves, per head, \$4.35; 52 steers, 810 lbs, at \$3.15.

The sheep market ruled active the past week to the extent of the supply. Good fat Texas sheep were in steady demand from all classes of buyers, while the supply was very moderate. Common and medium sheep dull of disposal at low prices, the range in extremes being from \$2@3.75 to \$4.25 per 100 lbs for common to good and choice Texas sheep.

Hunter, Evans & Co. sold for W. H. Carmichael, Bandera, 803 sheep of 77 lbs at \$2.80. For M. C. V. Crider, Austin, 251 sheep, 82 lbs, at \$3.12½.

There is no change whatever to note in wool. Offerings fair, but the demand moderate and mainly for bright medium.

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There is a better demand now for fair to good Texas horses, and more are selling, that is good stock. Prices range from \$18 to \$25 per head. Common and thin stock dull and neglected at very low prices. This is all Sam A. White of the National stock yards can say concerning the market.

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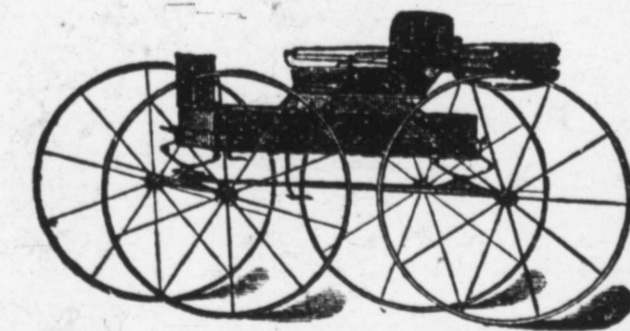
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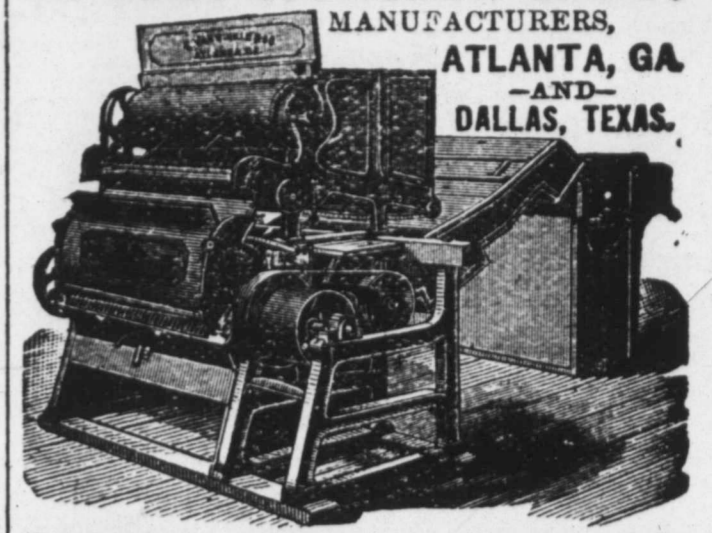


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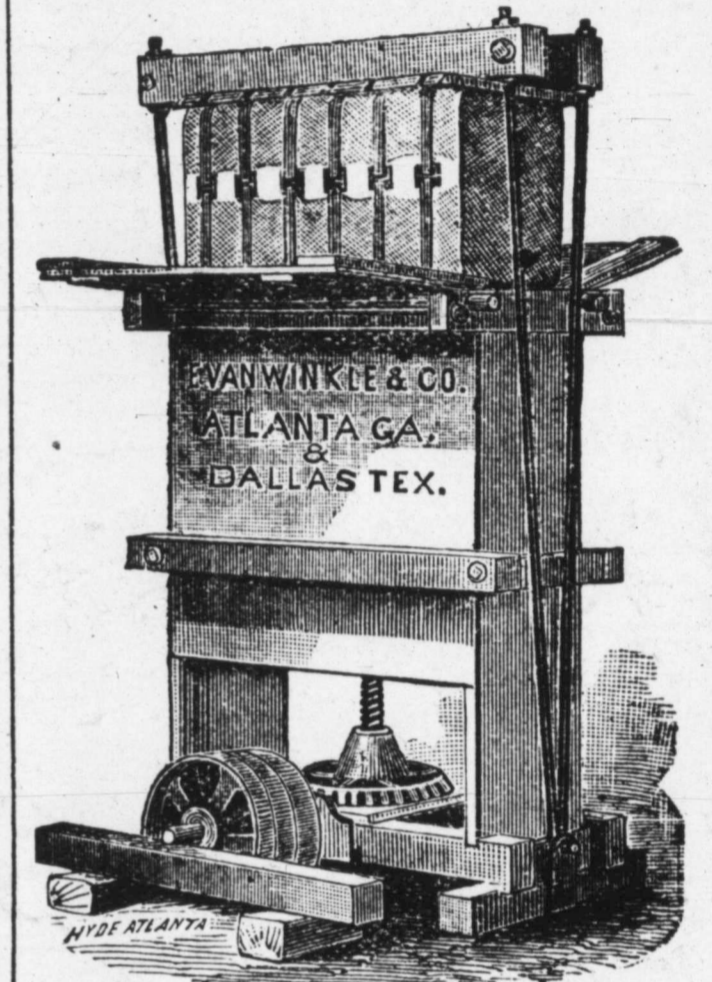
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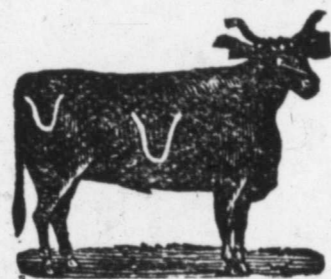
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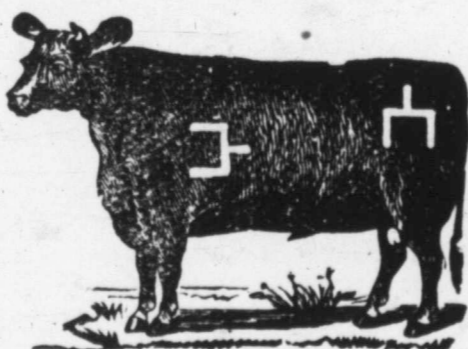
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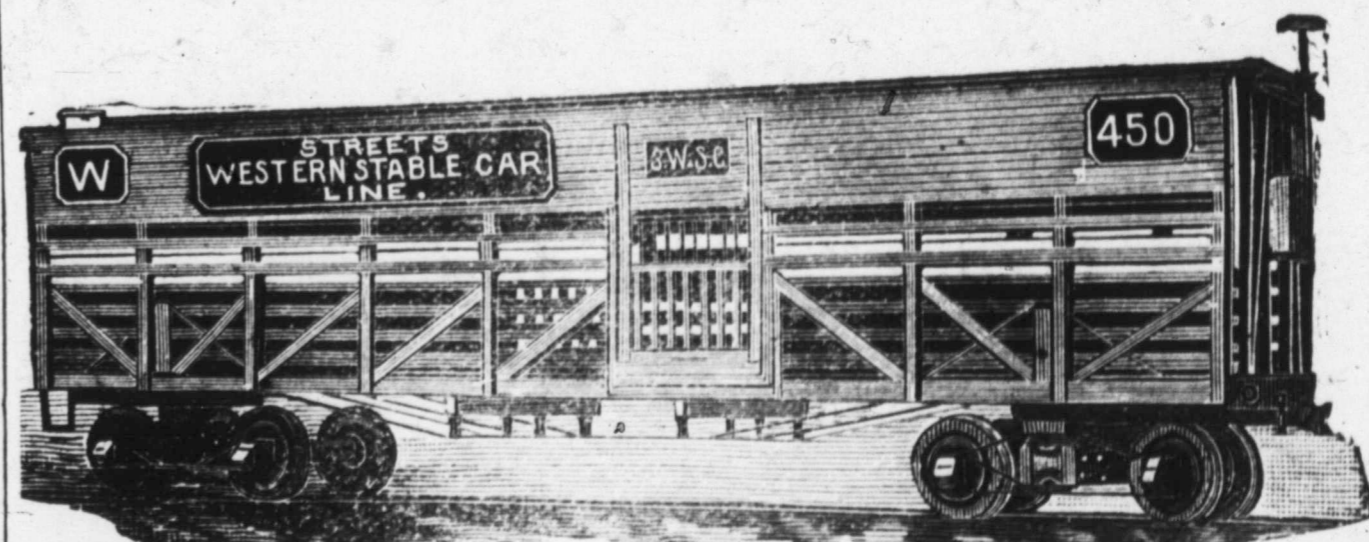
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