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San Angelo Enterprise:—D. McKie sold to Kennon & Lyell 3178 head of stock cattle at \$5 for ones, \$6 for twos and \$8 for cows.

San Angelo Standard:—Jefferson, Miller & Ellis of Kickapoo Springs, sold 600 steer yearlings for \$7.50 and 100 twos for \$11.50, to S. J. Blocker of North Concho, to be delivered on the 26th inst.

Tascosa Pioneer:—The Capitol company shipped from Rivers this week another batch of beeves, numbering two thousand and eighty head and loading five trains. They go to Chicago, to Nelse Morris. This makes nearly ten thousand head of beeves shipped out by this company, and they will send nearly as many more. Nothing but fours and upward are being sent, and this is the first season when they have sold any of any age.

Tascosa Pioneer:—Rucker Tanner left for the South Sunday night, his destination being in Cottle county. He had been appointed to the management of the Half Moon ranch, just purchased by W. Maud, and will hold down his new field for awhile, at least. This is something of a rise, from the position of outfit boss to the superintendency of ten thousand cattle, and fifteen or twenty or twenty-five men, but there is no question about Ruck being equal to it and deserving of it. The boys will miss him from these ranges, for he was one of the most genial among them.

N. M. Stock Grower:—The 100 head of cattle sold by order of the court at Las Vegas on Wednesday, known as the Sparks herd of Mora, San Miguel county, were knocked down at an average of \$11.50 for cows and calves; \$9.50 for dry cows, \$7 for two-year-olds and \$4 for yearlings. The tendency of the range cattle business in the Southwest is indicated by the fact that the most successful cattle owners are making preparations to mature as many beef steers as possible. We learn from our Arizona exchanges that H. C. Hooker of the Sierra Bonita Cattle company, has bought 2000 tons of alfalfa hay with which to fatten a portion of his steer herd, and that Wm. Aichley, a large cattle grower of San Pedro, is looking up pasturage for a large number of beef cattle. The Malaley cattle recently sold at sheriff's sale at Endee, comprising about 1400 head of graded stock cattle, were knocked down at an average of \$5.50 per head. The C. A. outfit of Lincoln county will ship from Las Vegas on October 1st, 1500 head of steers to Missouri, where they will be distributed among the feeders there.

The Arizona Kicker:—On Tuesday of last week, as we were preparing to go to bed after a hard evening's work, some murderous peon of the Big Four hurled a brick through the only window in our office. It was intended for our destruction, but providence willed otherwise. It struck and knocked our bedstead to pieces, pied three dead ads on the stone, and then glanced off and ripped up several feet of flooring, but left our person untouched. We were out of the office within ten minutes, but the damnable fiend who sells rotted beef had made good his escape. We have been warned by this imp who is bringing disease and death into this happy community, by means of the ice-box product, that we must go, and this is the seventh emphatic hint to stir

our stumps. But here we squat. We don't vacate our editorial course one jot. We hereby offer \$10,000 reward for his body, dead or alive, and hereafter we warn him and his liver-hued friends we shall sleep with a double-barreled shotgun across the foot of our bed. Any one coming to this office to ask us to play poker should stop at Scott's corner and whistle four times as a necessary signal. Checks don't go.

An Open Letter.

CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS R. R. CO.
OFFICE GEN'L LIVE STOCK AGT.,
ST. LOUIS, July 20, 1888.

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I sincerely thank live stock shippers for the large patronage given our line in the past, and ask for their friendship and support in the future.

Shippers desiring any information or favors, by addressing me at St. Louis, will receive prompt replies.

JNO. NESBITT,

Gen. Live Stock Agent.

About Vicious Jerseys.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal;

I very often see it stated in agricultural papers not well posted on the subject and, I think sometimes, a little prejudiced against the Jersey, that they are very vicious especially the bulls. A few days ago I had the pleasure of entertaining a minister from a distant city, and he was much surprised at seeing my wife and two little boys, aged five and seven years, out in the cow pen petting the Jerseys. I have in the pen a large 1500-pounds four-year-old bull, he expected to see the little ones run when the bull was turned into the pen, as nearly every one is afraid of a large bull, but instead of running

away they both went up behind him and commenced to rub him, which caused him to stand perfectly still, as he always enjoys being rubbed. I have never owned a vicious Jersey nor heard of but one or two bulls that were the least vicious, and am satisfied they became so more likely from the way they were handled than from any other cause. Twelve years ago I had a young 'A. J. C. C. bull, and at the same time kept an old man to attend to my stock. Before I found it out he had got pranking with my young bull, knocking him in the head with his fist and playing with his head. He got the bull so he would paw up dirt and shake his head. I at once dismissed the man and hired a young man, and told him how I wanted him to treat the bull. I attended closely to my cattle for about one month and broke the bull completely from his bad habits; kept him for two years in my herd and never knew him to show signs of viciousness. As for Jersey cows, do not know how you would have to treat one such as we have to make her vicious. A few months ago I sold one to a German family in the city; when I sent her in the lady of the house asked my man very particularly if the cow was gentle and if the children could handle her. He told her the whole family might go into the lot with impunity, and four could milk her at once if they liked. They gave the cow some hay and then two little girls, one on each side of the cow, began to milk her. The cow paid no attention to their milking, and the lady remarked that that was the very cow she wanted.

For the benefit of those who have blooded bulls and do not know how to handle them I will give a few hints. If possible allow your bull to run with the herd, as it will make him contented to have company and plenty of room; never feed him too much, just enough to keep him in good order and not too fat; feed but little corn or meal, would prefer none if you have wheat bran, cottonseed or plenty of hay. Never pet him about the head or stand before him, always rub him if you wish to gentle him, high up on his tail. You will find him after a few rubbings very fond of such treatment, and this will gentle him quicker than anything else you can do to him. Never allow bad boys to tease him by jobbing him through the fence and then running away from him, etc., etc, it will be fun for the boys but the owner will soon find that he has a troublesome animal on his hands. If you have one that is the least inclined to be vicious by all means never have any one attend to your cattle that is afraid of him, for he will surely find it out and conclude if one person is afraid of him all ought to be. If your bull shows any disposition to fight never go about him without a good stick or club of some kind and use it freely if he should show signs of fight. You will soon teach him that you are boss and not he; a lesson he will never forget.

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Ed. J. Early

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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
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The Mutton Merino.

Dr. H. M. Reynolds, who is well known in sheep circles of Western Texas as one who has made a careful study of all that pertains to sheep industry, has just returned to the state after an absence of three years. He has been traveling from state to state and farm to farm to collect information for a work to be entitled the Universal History of Sheep. He visited nearly every noted flock on the continent, gaining points for the modern department of his work, and has gathered great numbers of wool samples.

Conversation with Dr. Reynolds at the JOURNAL office, brought out the opinion that there now existed a Merino sheep that can be depended upon to furnish a mutton carcass of good weight and quality combined with the best long staple fine fleece without excess of oil, a sheep that in all requirements will fill the demand for Western and Southwestern ranges.

The sheep referred to are nearly related and of Spanish Merino blood, are bred and improved in Pennsylvania and are known as Black Top Merinos, Delaine Merinos and Dickinson Merinos. Some of these sheep produce a good average four-inch staple, the rams are easily made to weigh 175 to 200 pounds, and ewes weigh from 110 to 130 pounds.

Dr. Reynolds has promised the JOURNAL a short article giving the special characteristics of these types of sheep, to show wherein they excel the strict Spanish Merino or the mutton breeds as a sheep for our range country. Dr. Reynolds does not believe the sheep above mentioned are dependent upon a wool tariff for their profitable existence.

THE CLIP.

San Angelo Enterprise:—J. R. Nasworthy sold 800 stock sheep to Vincent Vincent of Midland at \$1.50 per head.

The sales of Texas wool in Boston as reported by the Commercial Bulletin amounted to 163,000 pounds spring clip at 16@21c.

Colorado Clipper:—Lucas & Parks bought 600 sheep from Williams & Spear this week at \$1.50 per head. Considerable fall wool has been coming in this week, and is remarkably clean and light. Several clips have sold at 12c and 12½c. Starkey Bros. of Hannibal, Mo., bought 2500 head of sheep from J. B. Lucas, this week, at \$1.85 per head, and 500 from E. B. Weaver at \$1.60 per head. They will feed the sheep awhile before putting them on the market.

San Angelo Standard:—J. A. Caldwell says that in his opinion the price of wool will range this fall from 10 to 16c per pound. He sold 4500 lbs of this season's wool for Lapowski & Bro. at 13c. Bird & Mertz received this week for the Las Moras ranch in Menard county, 80 head of Cotswold rams. Wethers from this ranch sold in Chicago last fall for a top price and weighed 122 pounds. On the 18th inst. Capt. Wm. Turner traded 1020 ewes to P. B. Irvine, for 204 head of stock cattle.

New York wool sales reported by the U. S. Economist:—40,000 lbs fall California (the last lot in market) at 13c; 21,000 lbs Texas spring (omitted in our last) at 13 to 18c; 20,000 lbs spring Texas at 17 to 19c; 30,000 lbs spring

California at 17 to 19c; 10,000 lbs fine Texas at 13 to 17c; 40,000 lbs fine medium Territory at 18 to 19c; 10,000 lbs low grade wool at 11 to 12½c; 15,000 lbs fall Texas at 14 to 15c; 12,000 lbs coarse do at 13 to 14c; 3000 lbs coarse Colorado at 14 to 15c; 30,000 lbs years' growth Texas, on private terms.

Colorado Chieftain:—This year's wool clip is about all sold and shipped. It has been lighter than heretofore, and a good many are going out of the business, discouraged by the democratic advocacy of free wool and lower tariff. The price this season has been in the neighborhood of fourteen cents, which is a considerable advance over what it was a few years ago. This is due mostly to the fact that the grade of Colorado wool has in that time been greatly improved. Formerly wool from this region was not considered worth anything except for carpets. Now the Mexicans bring in wool so improved by breeding that it is often superior to that from the flocks of the Americans.

Weekly Advertiser, Boston, Mass:—While fleece wools are firm, and staple wools especially so, the general condition of the market on Territory wools is, if anything, easier. Dealers have been showing their stocks and holding firm on prices, but they find that in order to move their wools they are obliged to give way some. The scoured basis is quoted by some houses up to 55c for fine wools, but with the exception of Montana it would be hard work to sell fine Territories above 52@53c for choice lots. Montana wools are cleaned up well, and some of the best wools are quoted up to 55@57c scoured, although as a rule the buyers would rather take Michigan fleeces than to pay this extreme for Montana. Texas wools hold about steady, but the tone on these is about the same as with common Territory lots, they sell better at a little off from the top views of holders.

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Angora Goat-Breeders' Meeting.

The fourth annual meeting of the Angora Goat-Breeders' association of California was called to order on Thursday, Sept. 14, 1888, at 8 o'clock p. m., at Pioneer hall, in Sacramento, President C. P. Bailey in the chair, Julius Weyand, secretary.

After calling the roll of members, the minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

In election of officers the old board, C. P. Bailey, pres., T. H. Harlan, v. ce. pres., and Julius Weyand, sec'y and treas., were re-elected. On motion the report of the secretary was ordered accepted and placed on file.

The following was adopted: Resolved, That each member of this association is hereby requested to ascertain the weights of live animals during the month of October or November next, as follows: Of 5 head of each 1, 2 and 3-year-old does of average size, and 1 head each of bucks of different ages, and report such weights to the secretary, with a statement of the kind of pasture, location and altitude wherein said animals were kept during the year, so that a uniform standard of

weight of body can be established by this association, securing a correct registry for goats.

No further business on hand, on motion adjourned to meet on the last Thursday of the state fair in 1889, or at the call of the president.

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SAN ANTONIO.

THE second crop of figs this year are now in the San Antonio market.

THE banana crop this year is the largest ever known in San Antonio. People are beginning to "catch on," to raising bananas in this section.

No yellow fever in Texas, notwithstanding reports. A telegram from Laredo to San Antonio a few days ago wanted to know if safe to ship horses on account of yellow fever.

WHEN our ranchmen pay the interest promptly on their loans and the principal on maturity, the competition of loan companies for their patronage will be so great that the question of cheap money will have solved itself.

THE idea of going back to the old butcher methods is just as practical as it would be to tear up the railroads and return to stage coach and prairie schooner transportation. Build more refrigerators, just like fighting railroads by building competing lines.

THE yellow fever panic has already had a depressing effect on the horse and mule market of San Antonio, as this time of year the market is mostly in the Eastern cotton states. It will undoubtedly cause a slow and low market till after frost, and those who have good grass had better keep their stock at home as the market is already overcrowded.

A BEE COUNTY ranchero offers to fence 100 acres, furnish lumber to build a house, and give the use of it to any immigrant for one-eighth of what he can produce on it. Here is a man who wants immigration. With more such men, and a sufficient spread of printers' ink to let the people know of it, the coast country would soon be known as a rich farming country.

THE way to fight the "Big Four" is not by cursing them while continuing to play into their hands by sending them all our beeves to be appraised and appropriated, but by quietly evolving some practical means of slaughtering our beef supply at home and marketing the same in a prepared condition. In other words fight the Big Four by creating a Big Five.

GILLESPIE county will hold a fair this year, October 13, 14 and 15, at Fredericksburg. Our German citizens are not so slow as some would believe, although isolated from all railroad communications, and in what has been considered the frontier, they have enough enterprise to hold a fair. The STOCK JOURNAL wishes them all the success that they deserve.

WHILE the ranchmen of the Southwest will not feed as much as last year, on account of the abundance of grass and the assurance of good early grass beeves, the farmers will feed more than ever before, as the abundant crop of corn and fodder can be utilized in that way more profitably than in any

other. From present prospects Texas will turn out a larger and better beef crop in 1889 than ever before in her history. In many counties everything will be fed for market, including young steers and cows.

Now is the time to inaugurate the weight system of selling stock from yearlings up, and thus get pay for your big grass crop. Why should not a yearling weighing 600 pounds be worth a third more at least than one only weighing 400 pounds, and so on according to weight till they are beeves in the shambles? If you put on the extra 200 pounds by good feeding you should be paid for it, and if the buyer does not want to pay for it, he will readily see that you will not take any pains to put flesh on your yearlings, which will cost him just that amount extra feed to put it on himself. It is strictly business and nothing more, to sell all classes of beef stock by weight.

BE practical. If you are a horse raiser for the general market, get good bodied farm stallions, which can be had in Texas from \$100 to \$200 apiece. Select the best of your mares both as to size, shape and color, and you will raise a colt that will sell in the San Antonio market at present prices, from \$30 to \$50 per head at three years old, unbroke. The product of this breed will sell for as much in the open market as that of a fine high-bred pedigreed horse. If you are a sporting man, then you want only well pedigreed horses on both sides, and a liberal and constant use of printer's ink to keep up the reputation of yourself and stock. There is only one man out of thousands that can make money raising race horses, while anyone can make money raising good horses for the general market. If you want to raise mules it will pay to get good American jacks, and then select your mares of good and stocky body, and you can raise as good mules in Texas as in Kentucky or Missouri. It will surprise you to see the improvement in your horse stock if you only select the best colts for stallions, keep them up and give them the same care you would a Northern horse, and then only breed to the best mares you have, selling all the off colors, ewe-necked, etc., when young. In a few years people will give you credit for enterprise in improving your horses with imported blood. One thing must be kept in view, and that is your horse stock must never want for plenty of feed, water and salt, for even a day. Good feeding and care is what makes Northern stock superior to ours more than any other one cause. If you have not enough pasture or feed for what you have, sell off a part of it, and feed what is left. You will make money at it.

San Antonio Horse Market.

The trade continues dull although quite a number of buyers are in from the cotton states, but they are only willing to take hold at very low figures owing to the uncertainty of the opening of traffic throughout the South. The stock also continues to accumulate until there is now some 2500 head directly on the market, and fully that

many more in the hands of pasture men and local speculators who will only sell at a profit over original cost. But owing to the excellent condition of the grass there will always be buyers in for stock at some figures. The retail trade, owing to the settled condition of the weather has been a decided improvement of that of the preceding week. Although no change is made this week in quotations, it may be said to be weak at figures given, with the advantage of the sale on buyers. Shipments were 231 as against 1069 for week previous.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands, \$ 8@12
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands, \$11@ 14
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat, 17@ 20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin, 14@ 16
Yearling fillies, branded, 8@ 9
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, 75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands, 20@ 30
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands, 16@ 22
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands, 15@ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts, 4.50@ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13½ hands, 27@ 46
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.

G. W. Fulton of Aransas county was in town Wednesday.

W. H. Knalle of Industry, was here last week after horseflesh.

Robt. Driscoll is back from a visit to St. Louis and other northern points.

Seldom has this horse market been fuller of common horses than at the present time.

A man was in the market this week for some 5000 head of two and three-year-old steers.

W. T. Searight of Kinney county is here. Mr. Searight has large stock interests in that county.

W. A. Nations, ranchero of Brewster county, was in town last week. He says it is quite dry in his section.

James H. David came up from the lower country about the middle of the week quite sick, and had to remain confined to the house.

Capt. Henry Scott passed through the first of the week going home from the San Lucas springs in Mexico, much improved in health.

J. B. and A. C. Majors of Kansas City, who some time ago purchased the Tuttle ranch in LaSalle county, went down to their property the first of the week.

Cotulla Ledger:—W. S. Carothers has purchased the stock of cattle, 2000 head, bought by Smith & Majors of Mr. Tuttle, and has leased the land of Tuttle ranch.

J. D. Houston of Gonzales, left for Fort Stockton on Saturday to turn over the remainder of the steers that he sold to Presnall & Ragland a couple of months ago.

C. A. Hoover came in Friday week with a bunch of horses and mules from Mexico. The former went like hot cakes, but the latter were kind o'heavy on the market.

Mrs. H. M. King of the Santa Gertrudis ranch, Nueces county, sold all her stags and cows fit for market till next spring to J. E. Lee. Prices are yet unobtainable.

J. H. Presnall went to Pecos county Saturday to receive the last of the steers that he and Ragland bought of Houston Bros., and will ship to Chicago, probably via Midland.

Humphrey of Presidio county, had a fine bunch of 70 mules the first of the week. They were as fine as have been seen here for many a day, and were sold at satisfactory prices.

Taylor Texan:—J. F. Black has been out on his ranch for several weeks putting up hay, and informs us that he has saved 300 tons. He is looking out for beef cattle to buy to feed this winter.

J. L. Harris (Long Jim) representing Gregory, Cooley & Co., dropped in on us the first of the week, but dodged out again before anything could be got out of him. He must have been on a hot trail.

Adam Postert of Atascosa, came up last Saturday and said howdy to the STOCK JOURNAL. He sold some calves, and says that old Atascosa is to the front this year with a big F, both with crops and cattle.

E. R. Raha's pleasant face illuminated the corridors of the Southern last Sunday. "Newt" is still on deck for McIlhany & Co., and has sailed in for a big business when shipping begins again from this section.

Morin Bros. recently sold about 300 head of stock horses held in Wilson county, belonging to the estate of Jose Flores, for \$8 per head. They were classed as ordinary, and this is a very good sale under the circumstances.

H. B. Clarke & Co., 76 Union street, Memphis, Tenn., are prepared to feed horse stock in any numbers at reasonable prices. All stock transferred free of charge. They solicit the patronage of all who ship by way of Memphis.

H. E. Tom is back from a several month's travel in Mexico, much improved in health. He visited Monterey, Saltillo and San Luis Potosi. He goes home to Atascosa county in good time to round-up and market fat steers.

Marfa New Era:—Otho Durant's herd of about 800 head, left Tuesday morning for Toyah, from whence he will ship them, partly to Colorado City and partly to Chicago. Mr. Durant will leave in a day or two to join the outfit.

Shippers of horse stock and mules to the Southern market will do well to call on Ben Darlington at the Southern hotel, San Antonio, Texas, who is a member of the firm of H. B. Clarke & Co., Memphis, Tenn., live stock commission merchants.

O. H. Rominger was here, and not finding horses to suit his fastidious tastes, bought several car-loads of cattle and left for the northern market. Mr. Rominger has a well established reputation here as a man who means business, and any one who wants to trade with him has to talk up promptly, as he stands no monkeying around.

Ike Stephens will soon receive the 400 head of steers that he bought of Colin Campbell of Karnes county a couple of days ago, paying \$16 per head. They were three-year-olds, and only a few days ago Mr. Campbell was offered \$18 per head for them, proving the upward tendency that cattle have in this section.

James E. Lee, so well-known in Southern Texas as an extensive beef buyer, is back from a prolonged visit north and a short trip to the coast. Mr. Lee will make San Antonio his winter headquarters, as he has been appointed southern live stock agent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway, and will see the boys about shipping over this new candidate for public patronage.

So far the grass has been too soft generally throughout Southwest Texas to put big fat on the steers, but with a little dry weather now to mature the luxuriant growth of mesquite grass that now covers the face of the land, the prospects for a large crop of fat winter grass beeves were never better than at present writing. Nothing but a severe wet winter can prevent the maturing of the largest beef crop the

coming winter and spring that ever has been known in this section.

At 3 a. m. Monday, Sept. 24, the office of the San Antonio stock yards, one of the most extensive yards in the city, was discovered on fire. The loss was complete, together with the Shedd horse breaking machinery, including patent harness, stalls, etc. The damage foots up to some \$2200, with \$1200 insurance. This was the only horse breaking machine in the state, with the exception of that on the Laureles ranch in Nueces county. Mr. Geo. Saunders will immediately rebuild the office, but the horse breaking machine will have to await the return of Mr. Shedd. The yards were not otherwise damaged, and are doing business the same as ever.

THE WOOL SACK.

J. F. Hillard, LaSalle county, bought 50 head of bucks of Henry Burns.

Peter Corbett of Jeff Davis county will shear about 4000 pounds of wool this fall.

J. L. Landrum, who has charge of the Angora goats on the Cloete ranch in Mexico, is here for a few days.

The buck trade continues dull with no very flattering prospects for much improvement in the near future.

I. Efron of this city has gone to the lower country to take a hand in opening the wool market in that section.

C. W. Wilkins of Wilkins Bros., Val Verde county, came down the first of the week and bought 25 fine rams of Henry Burns.

With a sorting and grading house, and the scouring mills again at work San Antonio again assumes to be a full-fledged wool market in which any class of wool can find sale.

C. G. Hubbard, representing Denny, Rice & Co., Boston, came back from a trip through Northern Texas, and declares himself gorged on the barbecued beef and mutton at San Angelo.

E. W. Gruendler of Galveston was in town the first of the week. Mr. Gruendler has been on the road looking to the interests of the Galveston market, and from the results he does not travel in vain.

Harry Francis is down the road about Laredo and the Texas-Mexican railroad laying for soft snaps in fall wool. The market usually opens in Laredo or San Diego, and will probably do so this fall.

Henry Burns sold 100 head of Vermont and 100 head of Michigan bucks to Santiago Sanchez of Mexico. The improvement of the flocks of Mexico is expected to be pretty general in the near future, and will offer a good market for our fine breeds, especially the Merinos.

Laredo Daily Gate City:—The Calahan wool clip, belonging to Messrs. Macdonnell and Urbahn of Laredo, was sold yesterday to Caden, Murphy & Co. for 15 cents per pound. The clip amounted to 455 bags, and was a five month clip. The total value of the clip will amount to over \$20,000.

M. C. McDonnell, one of the owners of the extensive sheep ranch in Encinal county, known as the Callaghan ranch, died in Laredo on Monday. Mr. McDonnell was also a prominent merchant of that city, and an old and highly respected citizen. He was unmarried, his nearest relative, a brother living in Ireland.

The wool comes in slowly owing to interference with shearing by the rains, but some 2000 sacks are now said to be in warehouses in this city. Few of the most prominent clips are yet complete and ready for market. No new buyers have put in appearance since arrival

of Harry Francis, but local buyers are here and on the alert to open the market when the occasion is ripe.

Eagle Pass Guide:—James Stone came in from his little sheep pasture of 50,000 acres, on Monday. He has been engaged there for the last two weeks. He says his sheep have sheared fairly well, and that he will ship about 30,000 pounds of wool to San Antonio. The Stone estate is one of the largest in Maverick county, having an extended river frontage and being otherwise well watered.

Now that the rush of the summer work is somewhat over, we desire to call attention to some matters looking forward to profitable work for the fall months, and through the winter. Write to B. F. Johnson & Co., 1009 Main St., Richmond, Va., and they will show you how to do a grand work, which can be made a permanent thing.

COLORADO CITY, TEX., Sept. 27.—O. J. Wiren's big ranch and herd of cattle, the well-known circle bar outfit, was sold to-day at trustee's sale to satisfy mortgages for over \$300,000. The ranch comprised over 160 sections of land, some owned and part leased from the state and railroad. The entire ranch, stock and work horses, cattle, etc., were bought in by L. O. Rumery of Wisconsin, one of the principal mortgage holders for \$214,360.

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"THE coming winter promises much more for the beef industry than any cold season for several years." So says the National Stockman and Farmer.

THE cattlemen of Texas who sell yearlings and two-year-olds may as well understand that the blooded stock sells the highest. The prices of cattle are never so low as to lose this distinction.

THE seventy-two thousand cattle on the Chicago market last week consisted largely of cows. The proportion of choice or ordinary beef steers was not any greater than usual, but the intermingling of the classes brought down the beef cattle prices fully a half cent. The cut rate in cattle transportation from Kansas points was responsible for the decline.

SINCE we know with an absolute certainty that the number of cattle in the United States is not so large as it was in 1884, we can afford to remain quiet until the deficiency is greater than it now is. Every cow butchered decreases the supply for coming years, and while there is no danger of breeding cattle becoming alarmingly short, the beef supply may become short

enough to cause a big run on cows. The practice of selling the calves and afterwards fattening and selling the cows cuts almost as clean as the spaying knife and makes a big hole in the range herds.

THE grand boost in the cattle business dated 1882 was brought about by an active foreign beef market, drouth in the corn feeding states, healthy home demand for beef, and lastly by reason of the cowmen stocking up new ranges. When the next reaction comes it will be due primarily to the shortness of supplies, and some of the old ranges now barren will be once more restocked.

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A Butter Nation.

The Dairyman's Manual, published by the Orange Judd Co., 751 Broadway, New York, contains the following: "The mixture of two pounds bran and three pounds of fine yellow cornmeal, bolted, in every case turned out the best and cheapest feed and made the finest quality of butter." An experiment occupying three years, during which period the feed was changed many times, resulted in giving this information. The ration was assisted by grass in summer and hay and clover in winter and was fed twice a day.

Chicago Cattle Receipts.

On Saturday last the Chicago Drovers' Journal reports the cattle receipts as follows:

The banner week for cattle, and over 8000 to spare. Receipts of cattle this week 11,000 larger than last week, and nearly 20,000 larger than one year ago. Hogs,—receipts 10,000 larger than last week, 12,000 less than one year ago. Receipts of sheep, 3,800 larger than last week and the corresponding week last year. The cattle market declined 50@75c this week; hogs compared with last week are steady on mixed, 10c. higher on best heavy and 10@15c. lower on light. The sheep market is unchanged. Total receipts of cattle this week, 71,026. Previous week, 60,301. Same week 1887, 51,927.

The Cut Rate.

The demoralization of cattle shipping rates to Kansas City and Chicago from the Cherokee Strip and Kansas was injurious to the cattle trade. The immense runs of cattle piled upon the markets soon cut down prices so that even the man who got into Chicago with his cattle for \$36 per car was a loser. In Texas the old rates were held stiffly, and the unfortunate shippers who were paying full rates had

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Although it is generally conceded that cut rates do no good to any one the conclusion is an error. Some one must be benefited; and the same interest is served every time. The railroads make no money, and the cattlemen as a rule, which permits a few exceptions, lose some money, but it is all gathered in by the cattle buyers at the great markets, and there the benefit remains, for it is not on record that the cut rates reach the retail butcher or the consuming public.

The JOURNAL is an advocate of fair rates and square dealing to all shippers, but is no advocate of cut rates to a favored few.

Range Cattle Quotations.

The JOURNAL would like to announce quotations of Texas range cattle as a guide to buyers and sellers, and finds itself in a quandary and unable to reach the figures. Range cattle trading of right ought to be very quiet and the feeding steers to be the only cattle in demand, yet the business is not confined to feeders because there is a strong demand for yearlings and two-year-olds to be matured in some of the empty pastures, and for a shipping demand. The long time which has elapsed since the trade showed any life and activity has permitted all regularity in trading to be abandoned, and for the JOURNAL to assume that any class of stock is quotable within two dollars per head is to go beyond the record.

Most of the sales made lately have been announced as on private terms, but if weights are considered, two-year-olds and threes are worth 2c. Good Western feeding steers are selling from 2 to 2½c, but to say that 2½c has been paid is not exactly so, because some very smooth steers have sold at \$2.12½, and no Western cattle of superior quality have been weighed up. Some feeders have gone into the Eastern districts and paid \$15 around for three and four-year-old steers, and are calculating that they can get them home for a fraction under 2c per pound. It would not surprise us if good Western feeders sold at 2½c.

Yearlings are in demand, and Fort Worth operators are going southward to look for them. In Western counties the best yearlings and two-year-olds are offered at \$10.50 and \$15 or there-

abouts. In and around Fort Worth yearlings and twos are talked of at \$8.50 and \$12.50 per head.

The trade is in rather an unsatisfactory state for the buying interest, because the demand appears to be more easily ascertained than the supply. The large owners of cattle in the West are acting somewhat offish with their cattle, and are indisposed to sell steers to feeders at prices they actually realize for some of the alleged beef shipped on Chicago. There is confidence in the beef trade, and there are very few overstocked ranges in Texas, consequently feeders will pay all that feeding steers are worth.

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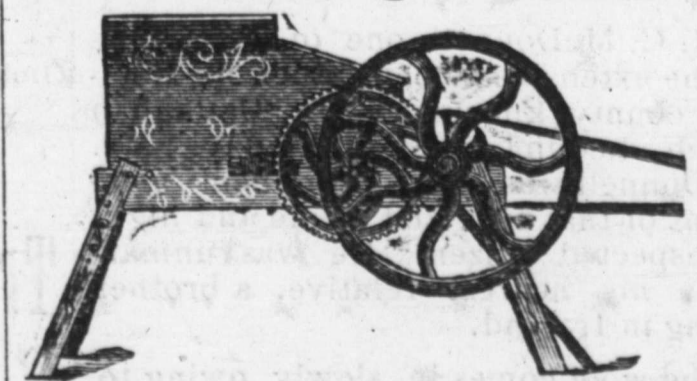
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FROM KENT COUNTY.

Trying to Fatten Cattle—A Talk on the Mills' Bill.

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Sept. 15, 1888. }

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

The good rains in the latter part of August put the range in fine condition and active work is going on branding the calves, and some are holding steers for shipment. Generally, however, the steers are handled as little as possible that they may get the full benefit of the present good grass, and later on, when a little cooler, we will have some good beeves, though the number for market is smaller than usual.

September is usually our rainy month, but none has fallen as yet. The thermometer yesterday and today, has been to 96 degrees, indicating a change soon. We would be pleased to see more rain, though there is as yet no urgent necessity for it.

There are very few sheep in this country, not exceeding two or three thousand, but as the Mills bill proposes to take off the 20 per cent. duty on stock, we keep an eye on the bill, its author and supporters, with a good many mental reservations for the future. If it does us up, like just the agitation of free wool did the sheepmen for a time, till most of the wool was out of the producers hands, we will use those mental reservations in time, with all the force in our power.

Of all the instruments ever made to catch votes with no merits to recommend it the Mills bill seems to take the lead. In the extract from Mills' speech, published in your issue of the 1st inst. Mills says the manufacturers asked only 25 per cent. protection, but his bill gives them 40 per cent., which he says is 5 per cent. better than the present law. He will crowd upon them more than they ask and take all from the producer, though he implores justice, (protection) which induced him to put his all in the business. He says there is little or no labor in producing wool. If he does not know this to be untrue and is attempting to deceive, he is not well enough informed to make laws for those who know that such statements mask their author either as a knave or a fool. In this connection it might be well to mention that Mr. Lanham sent his speech, and although the claim in putting wool on the free list is to make clothing cheaper, Mr. L. says it will enhance the price of American wool. If protection on the manufactured article is increased as Mr. Mills says it is and wool will go up as Mr. Lanham says it will, how will woolen clothes be cheapened? Or, are they telling the truth? Either way they cannot be. Many will walk up and swallow the Democratic medicine, false statements and all. I have never voted any other ticket, and with the remembrance of reconstruction days, the jailbirds and refugees from justice, and scoundrels generally, put in office over us, etc., etc., I am in no humor to vote the Republican ticket. There are thirty or forty thousand or more in Texas in this same predicament. What will come of it remains to be seen. STOCKMAN.

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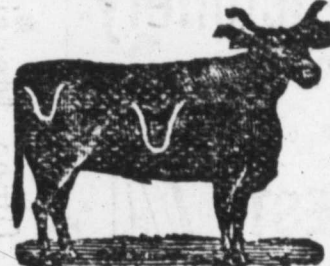
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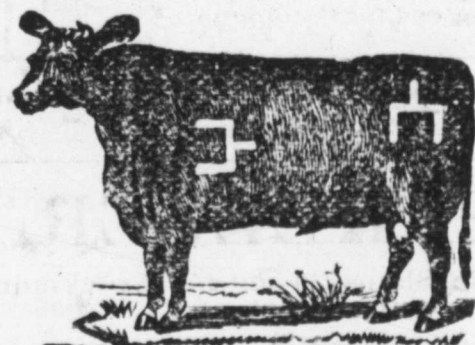
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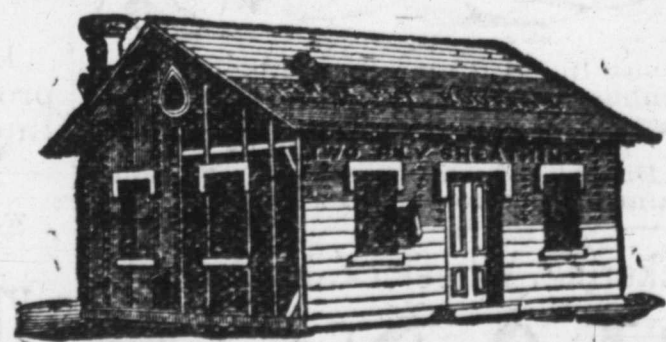
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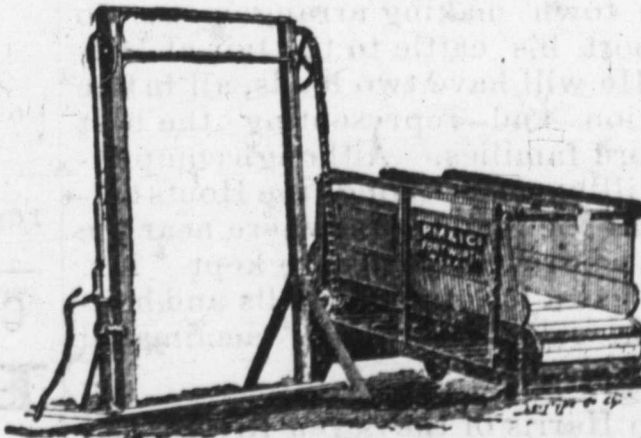
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FORT WORTH NOTES.

A. S. Nicholson has returned to town after a Western trip.

Mr. Wm. Ragland of San Antonio is in Fort Worth talking with the local ranchmen.

George Beggs came in from the Seymour ranges and reports the country as passably dry.

Richardson & Hackett of Fort Worth have for sale 1500 stock cattle at \$7.50 per head, half cash balance on time.

Mr. W. F. Sommerville, manager of the Matador Cattle company, has returned to Fort Worth from a visit to Scotland.

Col. J. S. Godwin recently purchased of Jno. Middleton, Santa Anna, Coleman county, some steer yearlings at \$7.25 and two-year-olds at \$10.50.

Captain C. F. Ikard has returned from a trip to California, Oregon, Alaska, etc. He was looking for a better country than Texas and failed to find it.

Col. C. H. Higbee of R. E. Maddox & Co. has returned from Kentucky and reports very good inquiry for feeders. He quotes good feeding steers at about 2 cents.

Mr. A. Y. Houston of Houstonia, Mo., is offering for sale a nice lot of grade Galloway bulls and heifers. The card will be found in the For Sale or Exchange column.

Young, Andrews & Kuhen are wanting 1500 yearling steers. Parties having any number for sale can find a purchaser by addressing the firm at Fort Worth.

Messrs. Holloway, Scoggins & Smokey Brown, who are ranching in the vicinity of the plains sold their beef to Geo. A. Sealing at \$22 around and delivered at Colorado City.

Mr. J. M. Brent of Chicago and Mr. Porter of Terrell have gone to Kansas to investigate the workings of the creamery system, with a view of establishing a plant at Terrell.

Wm. McGregor of Wichita Falls is writing insurance on valuable live stock. He is in the regular fire insurance business and represents one of the Live Stock Insurance companies.

Messrs. Maddox Bros. & Anderson of Austin, who have a fine band of sheep near Menardville, are offering for sale 5000 to 6000 head. The advertisement will be found in the For Sale column.

Richardson & Hackett sold to Mr. H. C. Edrington, 250 head of 2-year-old steers, raised in the vicinity of New Braunfels, at \$9 per head, delivered on the cars. The cattle will be shipped to Henrietta.

J. G. Witherspoon is buying cattle for an Indian Territory outfit up in the Seymour country; has bought something like 3000 head of steers paying \$13 for two-year-olds, \$16 for threes and \$20 for fours.

Messrs. Young, Andrews & Kuhen sold several single saddle and driving horses and a car of mares to go to Louisiana at \$30 around. They report inquiry for stock falling off since the yellow fever quarantines were instituted.

The International Traffic association has issued a tariff sheet which takes off the 15 per cent. charged on Texas cattle in stable or palace cars between St. Louis and Chicago. The extra charge still hangs on the run to St. Louis.

In a former issue we said that Mr. C. F. Estill of the Kentucky stock yards, Fort Worth, had for sale a car-load of unbranded mares, but we should have said GELDINGS. Mr. Estill has 40 un-

branded mule colts to dispose of at reasonable prices.

J. R. Jeter & Co. of Fort Worth, have for trade 176 head of 15 to 16-hand work mules, and 22 freight wagons, harness, etc. It is one of the largest and best freight outfits in the West. The whole thing is to be traded for Texas lands.

Col. J. S. Godwin sold to R. D. Benson of Midland, a few hundred head of stock cattle at \$9 for heifer yearlings, \$11 for dry cows or two-year-old heifers, and \$15 for cows and calves. Col. Godwin received steers in pay at \$8@12 for yearlings and twos.

D. B. Gardner returned from Pond Creek, Cherokee Nation, having shipped the Pitchfork steers under the cut rate. He thinks that the steers remaining in the Cherokee country are not so numerous. The ranges he was acquainted with had shipped out most of the beef.

S. B. Burnett is back to Fort Worth, having gone south to purchase steers. He paid \$6.50 per head for 1000 yearling steers and 9 per head for 1000 two-year-olds, to be delivered in pens at Kleburg, terminus of the San Antonio & A. P. roads, and purchased from Mrs. H. M. King and R. King Jr.

Jas. K. Milwee, manager of the Western Land & Live Stock company of Lubbock county, is advertising 2500 steers. The presumption is that he means two, three and four-year-olds, as none have been sold from the ranch this year. Milwee says these steers are the best in Western Texas.

Mr. Jerome F. Wares of the James H. Campbell Co. remained in Fort Worth several days. He is working just as hard to get the stable cars run by Texas roads at the common rate as the company did to introduce them to the Texas trade last spring. Mr. Wares learns that the run of cows will continue even if beef lets up.

Mr. Jot J. Smyth and Mr. Grounds, both cattle feeders, have determined to hunt the country over for gentle cattle, and are not so much disposed as they have been to put wild western steers in their feeding pens. Mr. Smyth says that he has lost money while his western purchases have starved themselves to gentleness, and Mr. Grounds simply says: "I have fed the last of them."

Mr. John H. Belcher sent an order to Major Sam Hunt for fifty-five Street stable cars to be used at once for beef cattle shipments to Chicago. As it is well-known that Mr. Belcher has a close contract on his hands, his continued use of the Street car is a sure indication that he regards them as greatly beneficial, although the railroads make him pay excessive prices for their use.

Mr. F. M. Houts of Hereford Ranch, was in town making arrangements to transport his cattle to the fair at Dallas. He will have two loads, all in fine condition and representing the best Hereford families. Although competition will be very strong, the Houts cattle will be found somewhere near the table where the ribbons are kept. Mr. Houts has a lot of grade bulls and heifers for sale, also some acclimated thoroughbreds.

John Harris of the Seven Rivers Cattle company was in town Thursday, coming from Cherokee Strip. He is of the opinion that all cattle shipped from Texas during the next six weeks will come in competition with heavy movement from the Cherokee Strip just the same as during the past three weeks. The advance in rates makes no difference in the run as the time has come for the Cherokee Strippers to ship their cattle or hold over until spring.

FROM LAMPASAS COUNTY.

LAMPASAS SPRINGS, TEXAS, }
Sept. 25, 1888. }

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

Thinking a word from a subscriber from this part of God's country might be of interest to you or some of your many readers of the JOURNAL, will give you a few items. The springs have just closed a very successful season, having been well patronized. Stock of all kinds are doing well, and prices looking up. Brown & Williamson and Capt. J. F. Skinner, leading stockmen of this county, have just put up and delivered to a party in Concho county about one thousand yearling steers at \$7 per head delivered at their ranches west of town.

They were a fine lot of yearlings; the same parties have about 500 twos, threes and fours for sale, good cattle, and would be glad to have a buyer come this way.

Business in our little city is good. Merchants all wearing smiles upon their faces. A fine pecan crop this season, that means fun for the boys.

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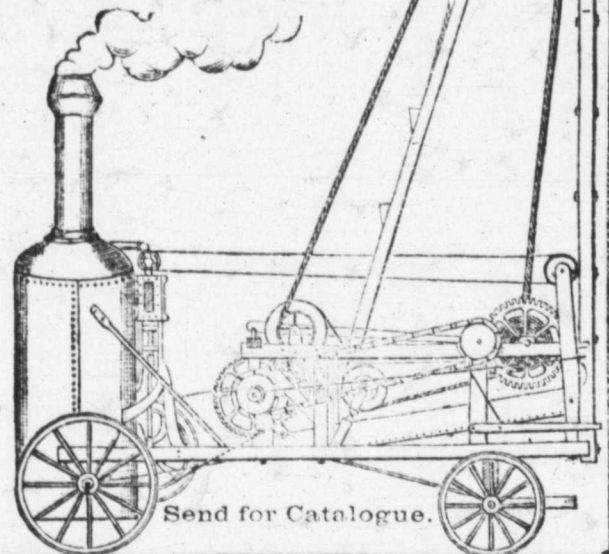
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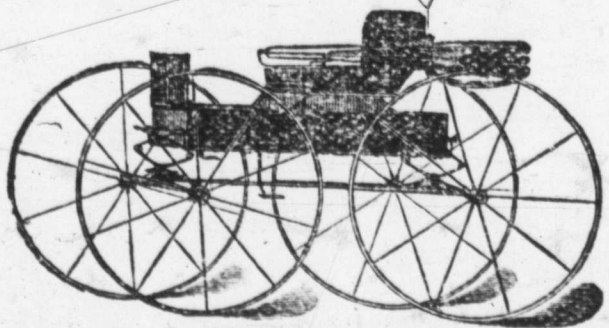


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THE Morning News quotes the stray paragraph: "Texas paid for pork last year \$18,000,000, and which she could have produced at home for \$6,000,000." The STOCK JOURNAL last week spoke upon this very question, and endeavored to show the fallacy of such methods of operation. The quotation is substantially true and appears as evidence of cause for "hard times." While raising corn and hauling it for miles and selling it at 25 and thirty cents a bushel has its inevitably unsatisfactory results, the man who raises cotton and sells it for 8 and 9 and even 10 cents a pound, is equally at sea in the rounding-up of the coveted margins. Two aged and successful farmers sitting at our elbow say to the STOCK JOURNAL that such methods of business will keep those who follow them up poor all their lives, whereas, if they would go into stock raising, the raising of grain and the proper grasses, and make their own meat and plenty to spare, as can be easily done, many a household would be made happy, mortgages, too, that otherwise go unsatisfied for years, would be knocked into smithereens.

One habitual cotton raiser up to two years ago, told the STOCK JOURNAL recently that he kept a close book account of the receipts and expenditures incurred on the last crop raised. He worked hard early and late and realized a profit of 20 cents a day to the hand, from the day it was pitched till it was marketed.

About Fruit Trees.

An exchange says: "If the leaves on your peach trees turn a little yellow prematurely, you may set it down that the borer is at work, and your attention is at once needed. Take some coal ashes and place them just under the surface of the soil next to the tree, and the worm will leave."

The advice given is good as far as it goes, but as to general information on the ills and remedies it isn't worth much. Divers and sundry irregularities will cause yellow leaves: First; if water is allowed to stand and settle around them, the leaves will yellow and the trees finally die. Second; an overpluss of weeds and grass will produce the same results. In these cases the hoe is the remedy. Again; the presence of the borer is effectual and means death to the tree. So, also, with bark or wood lice, a small fly resembling very much in size small ants, having a white or grayish color. The last two are more speedy in their work of destruction. Remedy: Perhaps you do not burn coal, but wood, therefore instead of coal ashes you have wood ashes; use them, but sparingly, for too many would produce harm. Another good remedy is soap suds. Take a quart of suds to the tree twice a year. Pour it on the body of the tree and let it run down into the roots, and the borer or bark lice will take to their heels. But you must work fast, for they do their work in a hurry and kill every pop. Pull away the surface soil down to the roots, and if bark lice proves to be the trouble, pour directly in around the roots as much as two quarts of the suds. It is of course too much for the good of the tree, and may of itself destroy it, but the chances are in your favor; but if the lice are not killed the tree hasn't a ghost of a

chance to live. The lice appear in swarms.

These are suggestions given to the writer by a distinguished nurseryman, grown old and gray in orchard culture. They are the results of practical experience, and our stockmen, many of whom are supplying themselves with fine orchards, might do well to consider them. The greatest obstacle to the preservation of the orchard is the possible lack of attention. Before you know it your tree is dead. So, if you would have fruit, remember the semi-annual use of soap suds. Do this in early spring and fall.

Eternal vigilance is the price of fruit in our climate, where the winters are too mild to forestall the raids of the insect kingdom.

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Fair Notes.

Instead of the half-rate fare heretofore extended from the different railroad companies from points without the state and west of the Mississippi river, arrangements have been effected for all points east as well as West of that line for half rate. From points within Texas the rate will be one-half the regular fare until it reaches \$5, which will include all points except some of the remote sections. Thus, for instance, Texarkana, Galveston, San Antonio, Houston and Colorado City, would come under the \$5 regulation.

It is certain that the live stock exhibit this year at the fair will be double that of last year, and the opportunity for Stockmen to see the finest display, perhaps, that many of them have ever looked upon in this line, will be presented. They should make sure to see it. It will make them better and more enthusiastic breeders. "Tell your people," said President Armstrong, to the STOCK JOURNAL, "that the stock exhibit will be a magnificent one."

Clarence Gano of the Estado Land & Cattle company has just returned from the Indian Territory where he had sold 1000 three and four-year-old steers, shipped from their Presidio ranch last February. Mr. Gano did not seem to know the price he received for the cattle, but he is now buying more steers.

Turnip Seed.

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[Reported by Wintree, Norman & Pearson].

BEEVES AND COWS—Choice, per lb, gross, 2@2½c; 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, 2@2½c; common, per head, \$3.00@3.50.

SHEEP—Choice, per lb. gross, 3@3½c.

REMARKS.—Receipts of all classes of stock during the past week have been in excess of the demand. Market weak and prices declining. There is some enquiry for hogs, car medium sized could bring 6c per lb. gross.

Sales of Cattle at Carter & Sons' Stock Yards, Dallas, Texas.

G. F. Dunn sold 27 cows at \$13.50 per head.

R. H. Gray sold to local butchers 87 sheep, av. 92 lbs, at 2½c.

Mr. Baxter of Collin county sold 50 sheep at 2½c.

D. J. Newsom sold 18 cows at \$11.75 per head.

H. F. Osborn sold 13 veal calves averaging 169 lbs, at 3c.

F. M. Melton sold 11 cows at \$12.25 per head.

H. R. Knight of Kautman county sold 29 steers at \$18.75 per head.

R. S. Spalding sold 28 sheep, av. 82 lbs, at 2½c.

T. M. Jones sold 4 milch cows at \$29 per head.

G. C. Williams sold 21 yearlings at \$6.30 per head.

L. J. Myres sold 7 veal calves at \$5 @5.50 per head, and 4 cows at \$13.50 per head.

L. B. Simmonds sold 8 steers at \$20 per head.

S. J. Mathews of Lebanon, Collin county, sold a bunch of first-class butcher cattle on local market.

J. D. Gross sold 5 milch cows at \$22 @27 per head.

S. D. Gray sold 14 cows at \$11.50 per head.

R. B. Kayhe sold 11 cows at \$16 per head, and 5 steers at \$18.25 per head.

J. D. Maddox sold 11 cows at \$12 per head.

J. B. Wisdom sold 13 yearlings at \$4 @6 per head.

E. P. Cowan sold 12 yearlings at \$5 @7 per head, and 3 milch cows at \$27 @30 each.

S. S. Harkins sold 23 cows at \$11 @ \$14 each.

J. E. Lilard of Ellis county sold 18 cows at \$17.50 per head, and 14 steers at \$15.50 per head.

J. E. Labatt of Mexia arrived with 3 cars of mixed cattle.

B. S. Stokes sold to feeders 87 steers at \$18.40 per head.

J. K. Mills of Ellis county sold 44 cows on local market, price not known.

M. T. Burns sold 22 yearlings at \$5 @7.50 per head.

J. A. Robert arrived on market with one car of hogs.

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The JOURNAL is authorized to announce
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HENRY H. SMITH,
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Candidate or re-election.
Election Nov. 6, 1888.]

About Laps and Wool.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 20, 1888.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

In your issue of September 15th, you quote from "Sheep and Wool" Edinburgh, Scotland, "Laps to America." These "laps" have been imported at 10c per pound duty, and should pay 30c as scoured wool instead of 20c as quoted by them.

"Lap" waste is made purposely to evade the duty, and there is probably no state that is more affected than Texas by this evasion, as it is used by knitting mills who formerly used scoured 6 and 8 months Texas wool exclusively.

Texas wools are now worth 44 to 48c, while scoured Ohio of the same quality, but longer staple is worth 68c. Before the importation of "laps" the difference was about 10c per pound, therefore Texas wool has been reduced by this fraud at least 10c per scoured pound as it should bring 58c to-day.

"Sheep and Wool" says, "there is, however, an off chance that the party exigencies might induce the Republican party to pass the (Mills) bill in some form." The chance is decidedly off.

They also say "the Mills bill would no doubt stimulate trade in English wools." They are right there but it would be at the expense of the American wool grower.

They also state that English "manufacturers would receive no benefit as the (Mills) bill maintains duties at something like 42 per cent. On some class of worsteds in fact its effect will be to increase duties."

The duty on worsted in the Mills bill is 40 per cent. and in no instance equal to the present which is as follows:

Value 30c per lb. 10c per pound, 25 per cent. advalorum or 68 1/2 per cent.; 40c per lb 12c per lb, 35 per cent. advalorum or 65 per cent.; 60c per lb. 18c per pound, 35 per cent. advalorum or 65 per cent.; 80c per lbs 24c per lb, 25 per cent. advalorum or 65 per cent.; above 80c per per lb 35c per lb, 35 per cent. advalorum.

The Mills bill reduces duties on worsted below 80c per lb in value 25 to 28 1/2 per cent. above 80c per pound 35c per pound. The present duties do not compensate for difference in labor, hence the enormous importation of worsteds that should be made by American wool. Other English papers can be quoted from, taking the same ground as "Wool and Sheep" and all are anxious to see the Mills bill pass to get the American trade at the expense of the wool growers and workmen of our country, as manufacturers would not pay any more for wool than English prices, and would reduce labor to same basis, which is about 45 per cent. of what we pay.

We are receiving inquiries as to values of fall wool which are difficult to answer, all we can say now is that manufacturers want to buy it at 44 to 45c per pound scoured. If the senate bill becomes a law 56 to 59c will be the value of it with the Mills bill 32 to 34c. Growers through their representatives in congress can make their choice.

To do this it is necessary to keep at home every member of congress who will not pledge themselves to vote for the senate tariff bill, which will be presented in a few days. Respectfully,
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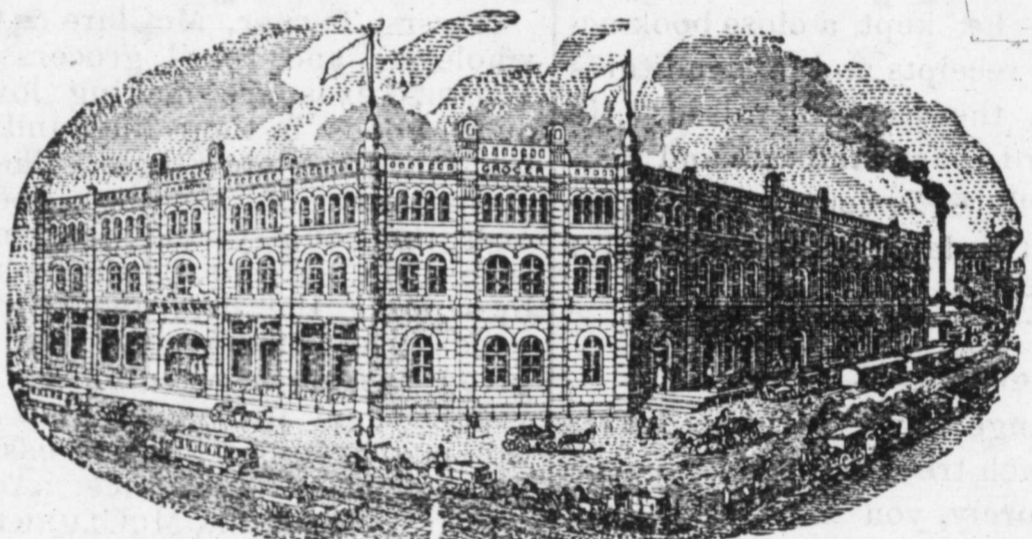
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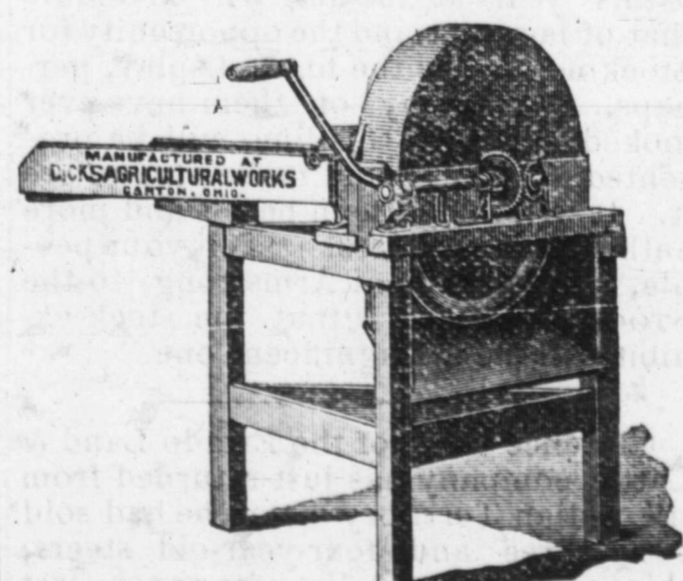
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A Pennsylvania Creamery.

Country Gentleman.

Having traveled among the numerous creameries of Eastern Pennsylvania, and stayed at one conducted successfully upon the cooperative plan, I may be able to offer something in reply, as you ask on page 668 (Sept. 6), of interest to C. T. F. of Culpeper county, Va.

My observations have led to the conclusion that cooperative creameries are rarely successful; cliques are liable to form and contentions to prevail, neither of which is probable when the voice of one able owner has the final word in everything. The place where I have enjoyed the opportunities of instruction is one of the rare exceptions, due essentially to a competent president, a few sensible men in the board of directors, and an able superintendent, assisted by respectable help.

In the establishment of a creamery, one of the main questions arising is whether to adopt the cream-collecting system, or to extract the cream by the centrifugal separating method from milk delivered by the farmers. I think that long ere the millennium arrives it will be held as an arch-sin to make butter, when enough milk is at hand, otherwise than by the latter way. Manufacturers of cold setting apparatus give records of the high efficiency they reach by mentioning tests evidently from Jersey milk. It is true that the Cooley creamer will secure more cream from Jersey milk than will the separator from that of native cows. Almost all of the Eastern Pennsylvania creameries began with cold-setting, but now without exception work with separators. The latter secure nearly all the cream, and make much lighter work for the operators, who need not work till and after midnight making skim-cheese, and lug about tons of ice daily, and the expense of drawing had better be divided among all the patrons, (who will enjoy a morning's drive and meeting their friends), instead of putting it all upon the creamery, as is the case with the cream-collecting system.

The creamery I was at commenced with a capital stock of \$4000, divided into shares of \$5 each, guaranteed 5 per cent. per annum, since it was compelled to take up a mortgage of about \$1500, all of which recently was paid off from the proceeds of business. During the summer it receives over 10,000 pounds of milk daily, which in mid-winter runs down to about 6000. In other parts of the country the farmers know enough to produce double the amount of milk in winter to what they do in summer. The superintendent receives \$1200 per year and pays all help, but bears no other expense; about \$250 is paid annually in other salaries.

"Commission men" take away the whole product of the creamery, saving to the same the expense of all teams and freight charges. Over one-half of the butter goes into pound prints; skim-milk is sold to the patrons at 10c per 30-quart can, and "swill" at 5c for the same quantity. All skim-milk not taken is run with the buttermilk into a cistern, from which the farmers pump it out.

A creamery should have a cement floor, inclining in a practical way, so that all water will flow off to some convenient place; the floor should not form an angle or corner with the upright walls of the apartments, but be rounded off, which will obviate the accumulation of dirt.

The De Laval separator makes cream fit for ice-cream, while the Danish-Weston does not. The Davis swing churn is the best, made by the Vermont Farm Machine Co., and for working the butter, Embree's or other power workers is most recommended; butter must not be worked by hand.

Aside from interest being guaranteed to the capital stock, all of those

furnishing milk should be treated alike in payment for milk, whether stockholders or not. In the creamery mentioned, the treasurer, who has to give bonds, receives 1/2 per cent. of all money received; six directors each receive \$1 for every monthly meeting attended, and the secretary \$25 per annum. A cooperative creamery can only succeed if the aim is, after liberally paying the best of help (one beside the superintendent is enough) to pay just as much as possible to all the milk contributors, according to quantity furnished by each. The plan at the creamery mentioned could only be improved by a system of paying to those farmers who, from the use of thoroughbred stock or from heavy feeding, furnish a milk richer in cream than that sent by the average-milk producers. Practically it would suffice to make irregular or unexpected trials with the milk of those who claimed theirs to be better, and according to some adopted rule, strike at a mode of determining a percentage of higher remuneration. This would make the centrifugal system perfect, and cause all cold-setters to slink away like a dog, borne down with shame. For small quantities of milk, however, the Cooley creamers present the most desirable cream-raising means.

Most Pennsylvania creameries have given up making cheese—the milk deprived of all butter-substance making too poor a quality to fetch a paying price. The farmers feed almost all the swill to their pigs; the creamery might keep a few, so as to consume it all.

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Marfa New Era:—The wool shipments from Marfa so far amounts to 23,745 pounds, part of the Humphris & Co. clip and part of the T. O. Murphy clip.

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Chicago (Ills.) Occident, Aug. 24.
A worthy Chicagoan is Mr. Peter Klein, doing business at No. 99 E. Kinsey street. He is a benevolent, frank and social friend—like all old-time "Fatherlanders" he will invest a spare dollar in a lottery, and on a former occasion secured an \$8000 prize in the Louisiana State Lottery in association with his brother-in-law. Of his latest good luck, he was the possessor of a fractional ticket No. 3894 which drew \$300,000 in the drawing, Aug. 7th; he collected the amount, \$15,000, through the Express company. His present business place is a wooden-frame building for vending refreshments, cigars, etc. He will erect, on the lot which he owns, a modern brick block.

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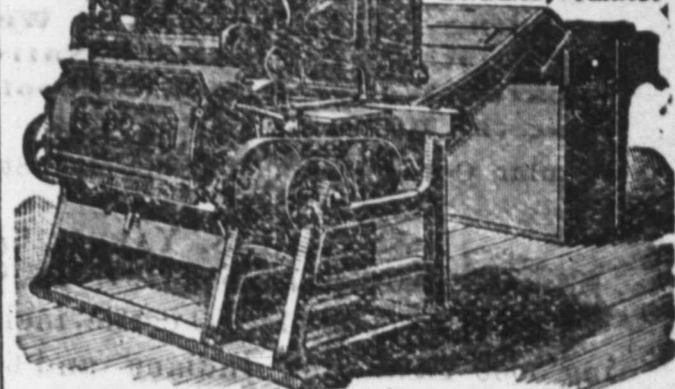
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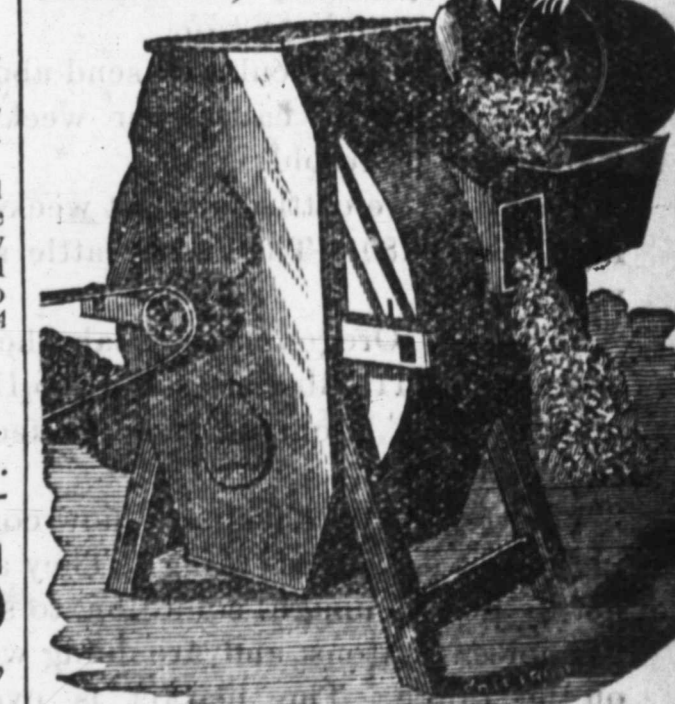
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CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

Over 71,000 Cattle in a Week—All Records Broken—Old Cows Still Coming—Excessive Run of Western Rangers. Prime Natives Scarce—Western Sheep Monopolizing the Market.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

U. S. YARDS, }
CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 24, '88. }

To-days receipts 15,000 cattle, including 3000 Texas and Indians and 6000 Western rangers.

Receipts of cattle here last week were 71,310 head against 62,493 head received in November, 1887. The receipts last week included 26,000 Western rangers and 14,000 Texas and Indian cattle, or 40,000 rangers all told. This was the largest number of range cattle ever received here.

The week opens with the following among the Texas cattle sales: 155 cows from Kansas City, 635 lbs, \$1.50; 173 cows from Kansas City 893 lbs, \$1.90; the Drumm Indian Texans, 302 head 1002 lbs, \$2.75, and 87 av. 1002 lbs, \$2.75.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold for W. H. McCoy, 75 steers, 943 lbs, \$2.80, and 79 steers avg. 922 lbs at \$2.80.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 47, 1089-lb steers at \$2.65; 85 cows, 876 lbs, \$1.75; 186 cows, 748 lbs, \$1.75; for J. P. Hazzard, 31 Indians, 1134 lbs, \$3.10; 101 Indians, 1162 lbs, \$3.10.

W. W. McIlhany & Co. to-day sold 50 head of 769-lb cows at \$2.

Scaling & Tamblin sold to-day 75 cows, 762 lbs, \$1.90; for B. Gatawood, 20 steers, 1090 lbs, \$3; Concho Cattle company, 52 steers, 881 lbs, \$2.40; 131 cows, 777 lbs, \$1.90; Little & B., 22 mixed, 928 lbs, \$1.70; for Burch & H., 44 cows, 773 lbs, \$2; Trammel, D. & E. 20 cows, 804 lbs, \$2.

A lot of 195-lb Texas calves from Kansas City sold at \$2.75, and 151 Texas calves sold at \$2.75.

Kansas City speculators send about 250 car-loads of cattle per week to Chicago to be resold.

Fancy native cattle sold last week as high as \$6.80. The best cattle are very scarce.

Montana, Oregon and Utah sheep avg. 105 to 115 lbs are selling to Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Ohio feeders at \$3.40@3.70.

Very few Texas sheep are now coming and it is a good thing. They are not in good enough condition to sell as choice muttons and are doing well on the range. The market is overstocked with Western sheep.

The Matt Murphy Montana-Texas cattle sold at \$3.80 to-day. Last week they sold early at \$4.40 and later at \$4, while six weeks ago they sold at \$4.80 @5.

The excellent quality of the cattle coming from the Northwestern ranges is a subject of considerable comment. They say all but the good cattle up there died two years ago; at any rate there has been a large percentage of choice 4-year-old steers from there this fall. Some outfits are shipping not only steers but cows and calves.

Col. D. R. Fant of Goliad was at market, also Col. J. L. Driskill, who has been out to his Dakota range.

Fancy hogs sold lately at \$6.60@

6.80. They are holding their own remarkably well. The high prices are due wholly to the small receipts. There is a wide range between good and poor hogs. Grass hogs averaging 160 to 220 lbs, are selling at \$5.60 to \$6. There is a good deal of hog disease, and high prices are expected to continue, though of course there is always a break in prices just before the opening of the winter packing season, which begins Nov. 1. Present prices are about \$1.25 higher than a year ago.

To-day's London cable advices indicate better prices for choice American cattle. Prime grain-fed cattle seem to be scarce everywhere.

Major Drumm had two trains of 1005-lb Indian Texans sold at \$2.75. Two weeks ago the same kind sold at \$3.25.

The Dilworth, Montana cattle, averaging 1380 lbs, sold to-day at \$4.75 to a New York shipper, and would have brought \$5.30 two weeks ago.

The big receipts of old cows continue and they are selling low as the following will show. To-day out of 1400 head 418 sold at \$1.25@1.90; 627 at \$2@2.25; 300 at \$2.30@2.50 and 20 at \$2.75.

Supt. Washburn of the Stock yards has returned from Pittsburg, where he went to see about the false reports they have been issuing there concerning Chicago. He arranged for a committee of business men and live stock experts to come here and investigate.

A. C. HALLIWELL.

ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

Showing a Difference Between Good and Common Stock.

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL., }
Sept. 25, 1888. }

The market has been going from bad to worse, until at the present writing, stockmen call it the worst of the season, and prices at bed rock. The influx of range cattle in all the leading stock centers of the country has been excessive, and this has demoralized prices all along the line. In Chicago and in the East, Western and Northern cattle have been very liberal. The sales given below will show the range in prices.

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for Geo. E. Ball, Gainesville, 30 head, 815 lbs, \$1.75; Ball & Bifle, Gainesville, 30 cows, 766 lbs, \$2; 29 cows, 752 lbs, \$1.87½; P. N. Blackstone, Muskogee, 24 steers, 985 lbs, \$3.10; L. Cartwright, St. Augustine, 22 steers, 891 lbs, \$2.87½; 20 steers, 981 lbs, \$2.70; 21 cows, 797 lbs, \$2; Russell & Morgan, Henrietta, 46 heifers, 492 lbs, \$1.75; Carver & Worsham, Henrietta, 70 steers, 948 lbs, \$3.15; J. W. Wishorn, Henrietta, 47 steers, 969 lbs, \$3.30; J. A. Brakebill, Colorado City, 44 steers, 824 lbs, \$2.70; E. Fitzgerald, Denton, 42 steers, 986 lbs, \$1.80; 70 calves, \$6.75 per head; Fitzgerald & Eckelberger, Denton, 25 steers, 982 lbs, \$3; 18 cows, 744 lbs, \$2; 22 calves, \$7 per head; Smith & Forsythe, Hunnewell, 200 steers, 872 lbs, \$3; 48 steers, 883 lbs, \$3.20; T. A. Bynum, Kaufman, 24 cows, 707 lbs, \$2.05; 59 calves, \$6.75 per head; Warren & Benton, Doss, 30 cows, 718 lbs, \$2.10; 30 cows, 713 lbs, \$2.12½; 30 cows, 861 lbs, \$2; 25 cows, 757 lbs, \$2.20; J. L. Denny, Claremore, 172 calves, \$6.75.

Hunter, Evans & Co. sold for A. Y. Allee, Pearsall, 27 cows, 637 lbs, \$1.65; B. B. Yarborough, Tioga, 14 cows, 792 lbs, \$2.12½; 34 steers, 903 lbs, \$2.60; J. R. Griggs, Ripley, 24 head, 767 lbs, \$2.37½; B. M. Roberts, Gatesville, 24 cows, 757 lbs, \$1.70; 26 cows, 682 lbs, \$1.70; F. E. Grey, Moore, 26 cows, 745 lbs, \$1.70; H. L. Robinson, Moore, 21 steers, 913 lbs, \$2.55; C. M. Fox, Beeville, 66 calves, \$6.75 per head.

The James H. Campbell & Co. sold

for D. J. LaPrelle, Toyah, 128 steers, 1029 lbs, \$3.15; C. M. Fox, Beeville, 65 calves, \$6.75 per head; R. Welder, Beeville, 65 calves, \$6.75; H. C. Harvey, Royse, 11 steers, 832 lbs, \$2.62½; 22 cows, 799 lbs, \$1.90; W. H. Stinson, 20 cows, 790 lbs, \$1.90; P. Ingenhuett, San Antonio, 16 bulls, 977 lbs, \$1.50; 48 cows, 768 lbs, \$1.75; 20 steers, 856 lbs, \$2.50; B. Miller, Okmulgee, 24 steers, 1062 lbs, \$4.05; 20, 1063 lbs, \$3.95; 40, 1031 lbs, \$3.30; C. W. Turner, Muskogee, 13, 870 lbs, \$3; 24, 975 lbs, \$3.37½; J. E. Parker, Mexia, 45 steers, 939 lbs, \$3; J. I. Wright, 22, 855 lbs, \$2.85; 30, 777 lbs, \$2.25; A. R. Durant, Goodland, 1057 lbs, \$2.80; 21, 805 lbs, \$2.50; H. R. Beam, 63, 882 \$3; H. B. Rawley, Savannah, 18 steers, 827 lbs, \$2.65; J. B. Markham, Choteau, 26, 916 lbs, \$3.05; A. H. Barrett, Anthony, 12 cows, 797 lbs, \$2.30; 16 steers, 1106 lbs, \$3.25; C. W. Turner, Muskogee, 25, 951 lbs, \$3.35; 25 cows, 933 lbs, \$2.45; 49 cows, 933 lbs, \$2.45; 40 steers, 984 lbs, \$2.85; 23, 985 lbs, \$3.20; Geo. Shannon, Gibson, 25, 820 lbs, \$2.35; 14, 875 lbs, \$2.50; W. H. Jackson, 21 cows, 949 lbs, \$2.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for Fred Poyser, Roby, 24 steers, 955 lbs, \$2.50; J. T. Spears, Gainesville, 25 steers, 1009 lbs, \$3.37½; 25 steers, 910 lbs, \$3; 26, 886 lbs, \$2.65; Burch & Hicks, Henrietta, 32 cows, 641 lbs, \$2.15; S. B. Love, Tehuacana, 60 calves, \$6.75 per head; J. M. Kimberlin, Mt. Vernon, 22 steers, 940 lbs, \$2.75; D. Waggoner & Son, Harrold, 39 cows, 529 lbs, \$2.25; 21 steers, 956 lbs, \$2.90; 39 cows, 555 lbs, \$2.20; 16 cows, 786 lbs, \$1.75; R. Oliver, Mexia, 11 cows, 760 lbs, \$1.75; Mrs. H. J. Hudson, Frosa, 38 steers, 968 lbs, \$2.75; 14 cows, 672 lbs, \$1.75; B. Gatewood, Colorado, 50 cows, 832 lbs, \$2.20; 26 cows, 776 lbs, \$2; 23 cows, 801 lbs, \$1.80; Geo. A. Scaling, Hubbard City, 27 cows, 741 lbs, \$2.20; 27 cows, 727 lbs, \$2.05; J. M. Williams, Jayton, 22 steers, 920 lbs, \$2.65; Ira Duckworth, Snyder, 22 steers, 834 lbs, \$2.60; W. N. Hughes, Emerson, 23 steers, 894 lbs, \$2.60; 16 steers, 756 lbs, \$1.75; Dobkins & Benton, Gainesville, 22 steers, 1018 lbs, \$3; 21 cows, 791 lbs, \$2.10; J. L. Huggins, Doss, 46 steers, 1054 lbs, \$3.25; 26 cows, 889 lbs, \$2.12½; J. B. Wilson, Dallas, 212 steers, 959 lbs, \$3; 43, 891 lbs, \$2.85; W. F. Benton, Gainesville, 49 steers, 990 lbs, \$3.10; J. F. Taylor, Coleman, 39 steers, 910 lbs, \$3; 38 steers, 959 lbs, \$3.10; 21 steers, 919 lbs, \$3.10; A. H. Parmer, Wichita Falls, 60 calves, \$7.25 per head; J. O. Hall, Adair, 24 steers, 969 lbs, \$3.25; 24 cows, 634 lbs, \$2.12½; 23 cows, 812 lbs, \$2; 19 calves, \$6.25.

In the early part of the week the week the sheep market was a little slow and prices lower on common and medium grades, but improved later on. Good fat muttons are in demand. Offerings of Texas sheep light the past week, and those offered mostly common and medium which feeders took at \$2.60@2.90 per 100 lbs. The few bunchers of Texas sheep offered brought from \$3.25@3.60 per 100 lbs.

Sam A. White, superintendent of the horse market at the National stock yards says the Texas horse market is dull. The fair run still continues and sales are somewhat hard to effect at range of \$15@25 per head. Only the best find sale.

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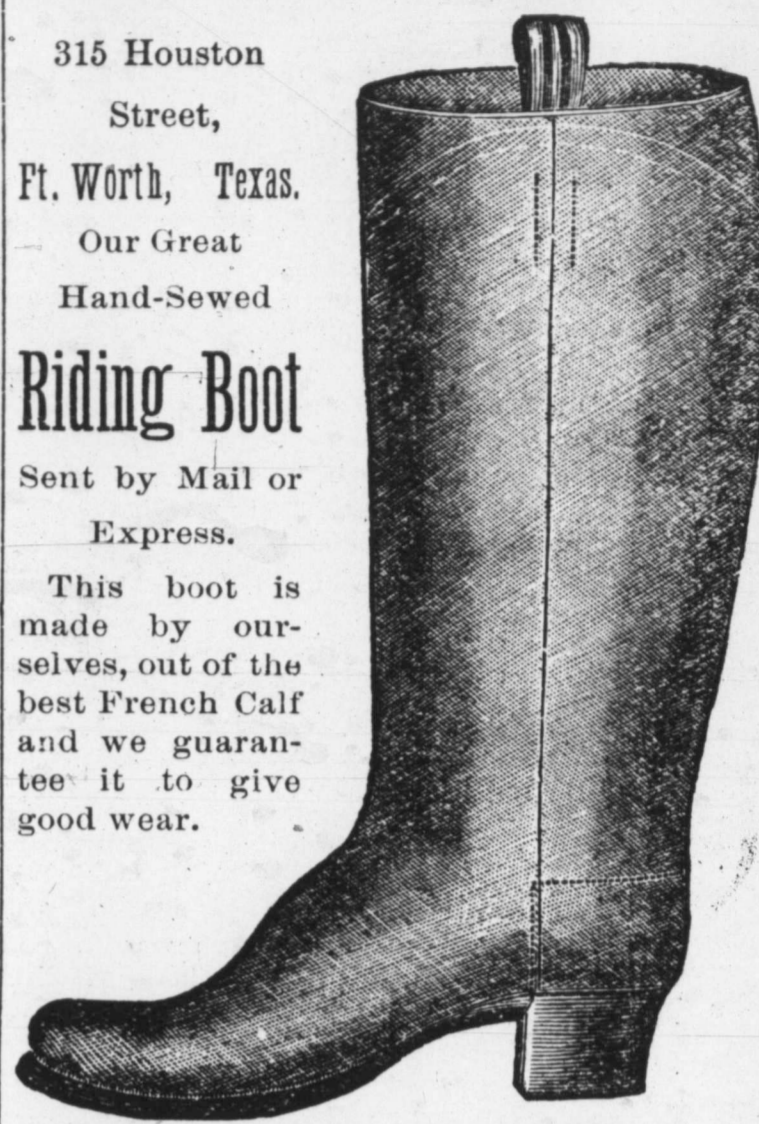
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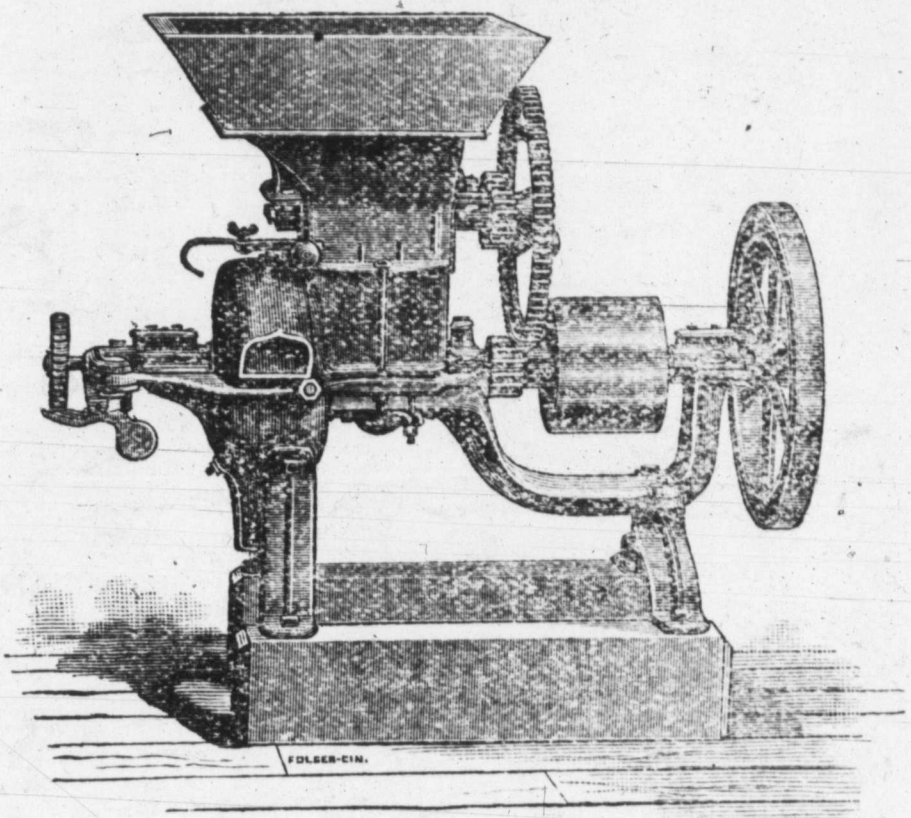
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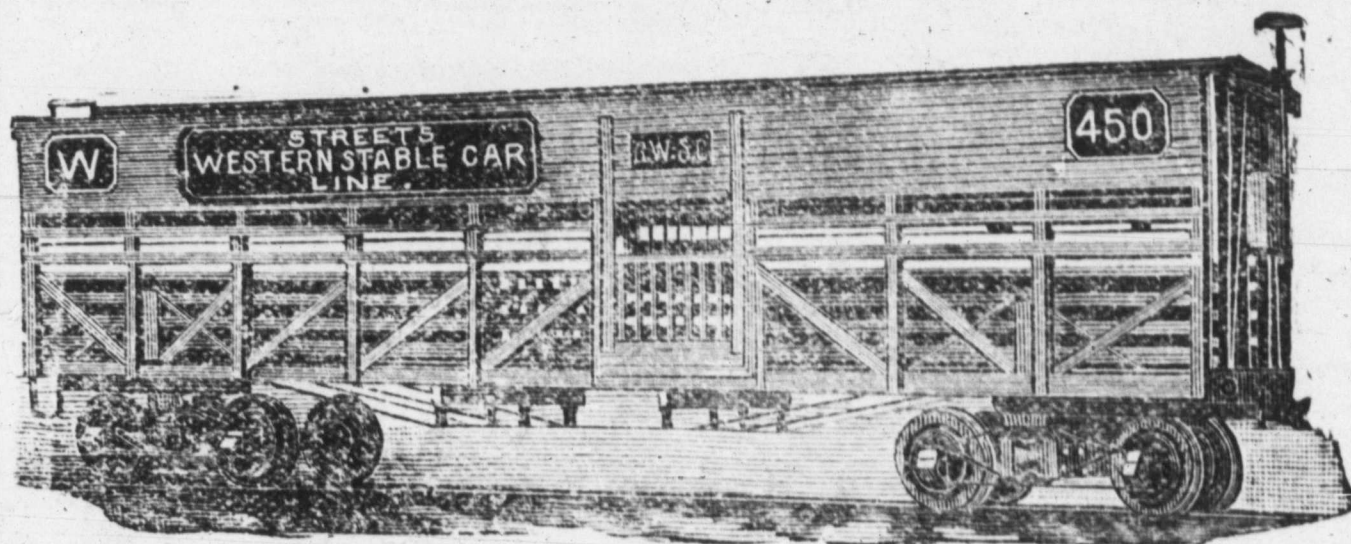
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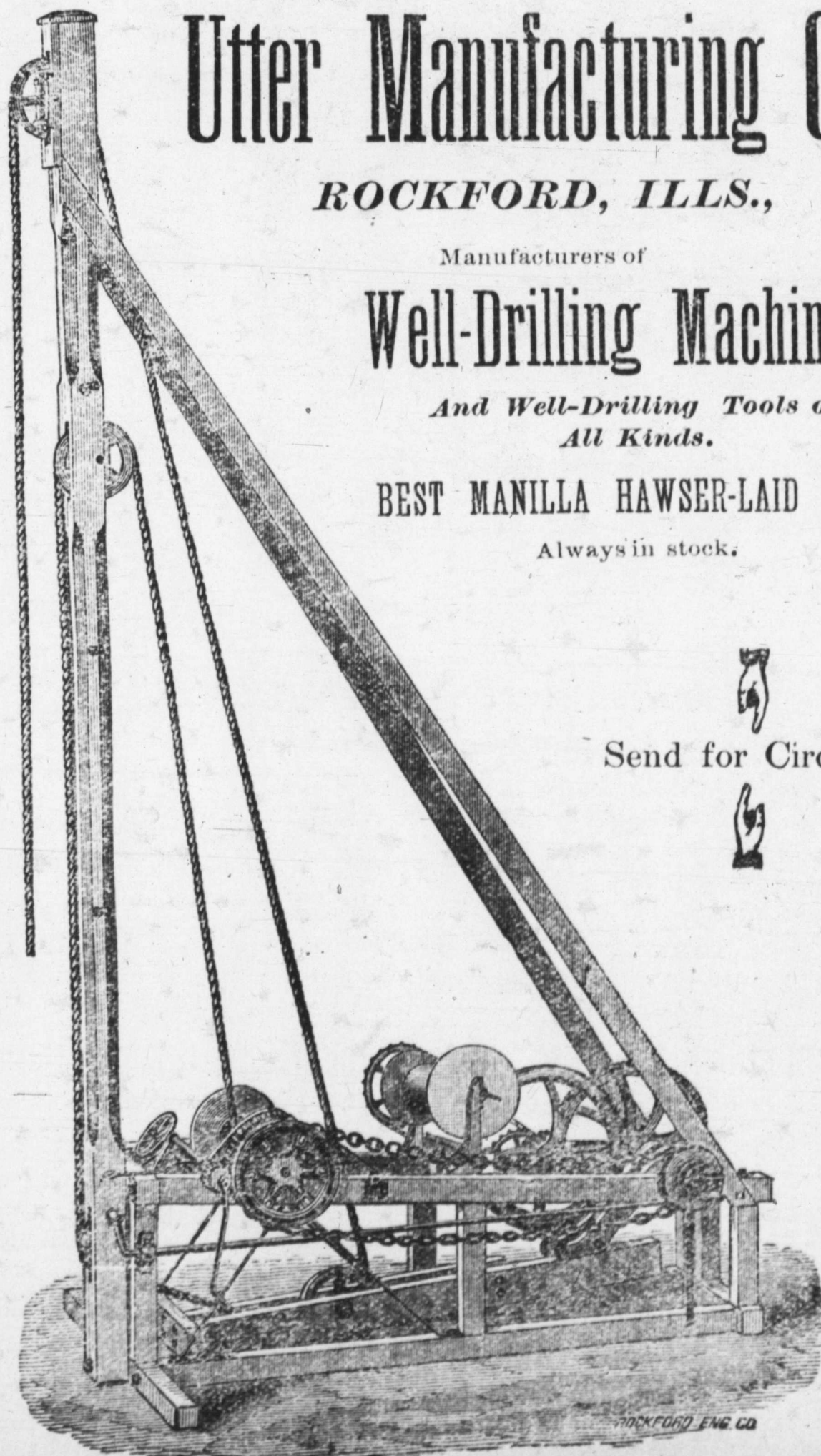
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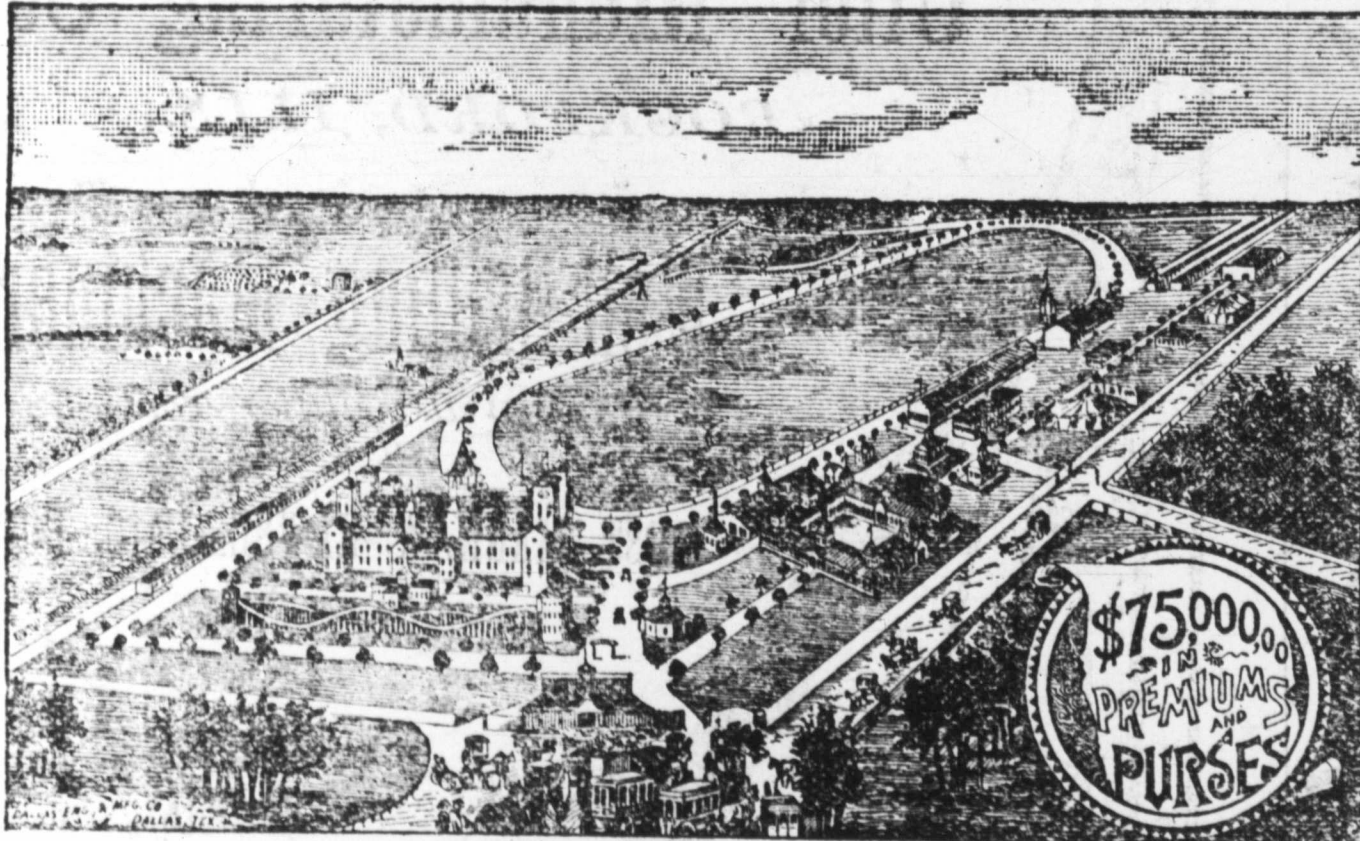
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