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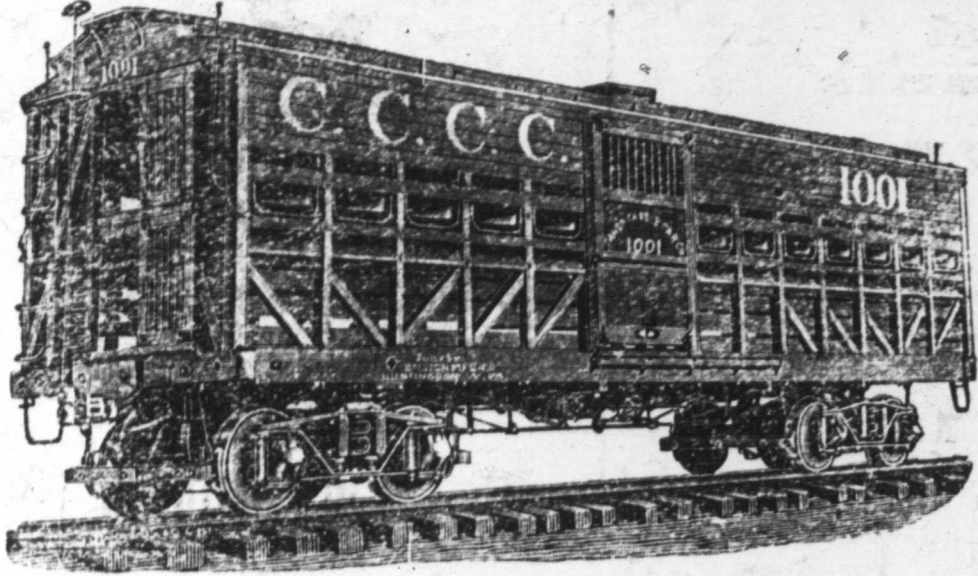
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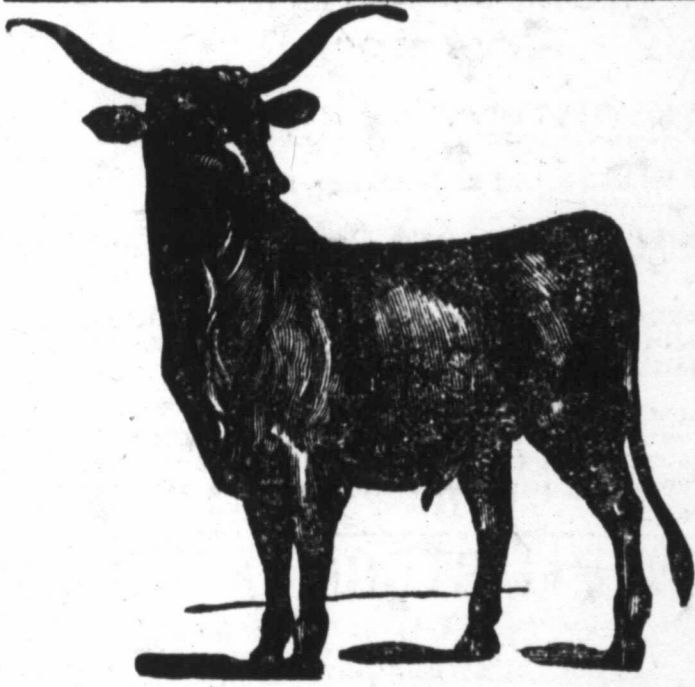
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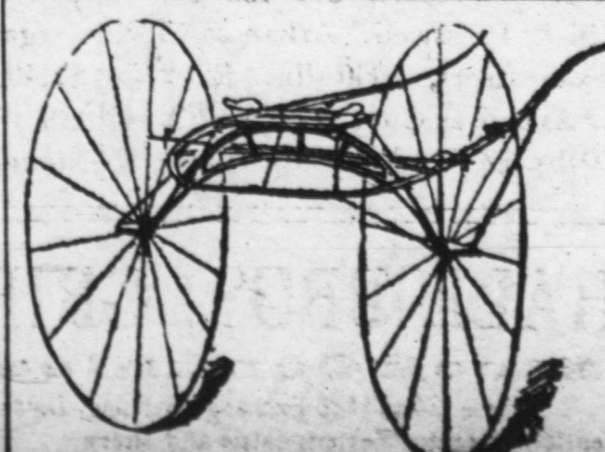
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UNION STOCK YARDS, ILL., July 25.—R. Strahorn & Co. sold 104 steers, 842 lbs, \$2.40; 20 steers, 704 lbs, \$3.07½; 30 steers, 976 lbs, \$3.10; 75 steers, 977 lbs, \$3.07½; 37 yearlings, 534 lbs, \$1.60; 40 yearlings, 479 lbs, \$1.75; 75 calves, 224 lbs, \$3.25; 71 calves, 230 lbs, \$3.25.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold 75 cows, 802 lbs, \$2.10; 198 heifers, 674 lbs, \$2.37½; 22 calves, 211 lbs, \$3.50; 271 calves, 172 lbs, \$3.65; 98 steers, 984 lbs, \$3; 121 cows, 791 lbs, \$2.25.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold 209 steers, 992 lbs, \$2.90; 63 steers, 1075 lbs, \$3; 65 steers, 969 lbs, \$3; 51 steers, 903 lbs, \$2.90; 67 calves, 216 lbs, \$3; 208 cows, 662 lbs, \$2.10; 54 bulls, 1133 lbs, \$1.75; 531 lambs, 50 lbs, \$5.25; 273 sheep, 70 lbs, \$4.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 350 steers, 917 lbs, \$2.90; 54 steers, 920 lbs, \$2.90; 66 steers, 109 lbs, \$2.95; 23 bulls, 1211 lbs, \$1.80; 80 steers, 730 lbs, \$2.95; 57 calves, 184 lbs, \$3.85.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold 29 cows, 530 lbs, \$1.75; 52 cows, 774 lbs, \$2.20; 104 cows, 755 lbs, \$2.20; 52 cows, 779 lbs, \$2.75; 24 steers, 927 lbs, \$2.80; 46 steers, 876 lbs, \$2.80; 69 steers, 1004 lbs, \$2.95; 81 calves, 202 lbs, \$3.12½; 68 steers, 1031 lbs, \$2.95.

C. L. Shattuck & Co. sold 21 steers, 1019 lbs, \$3; 162 cows, 718 lbs, \$2.25; 174 steers, 829 lbs, \$2.60; 46 steers, 1004 lbs, \$3.10; 100 steers, 916 lbs, \$2.85.

The Texas Live Stock Commission Co. sold 40 cows, 492 lbs, \$1.80; 28 cows, 492 lbs, \$1.80; 28 cows, 577 lbs, \$2; 119 cows, 725 lbs, \$2.20; 26 cows, 254 lbs, \$2.25; 95 steers, 730 lbs, \$2.40; 59 calves, 175 lbs, \$3.65.

Scaling & Tamblin sold 253 steers, 983 lbs, \$3; 46 steers, 1068 lbs, \$3.05; 99 calves, 199 lbs, \$3.45; 171 calves, 157 lbs, \$3.75; 74 cows, 868 lbs, \$2.30; 88 steers, 1005 lbs, \$3.

Keenan & Son sold 323 steers, 890 lbs, \$2.80.

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Hall Bros. & Griffith Co. sold 249 sheep, 78 lbs, \$4.05.

Godair, Harding & Co. sold 28 cows, 872 lbs, \$2.05; 70 cows, 755 lbs, \$2.30; 49 steers, 897 lbs, \$2.70; 60 steers, 932 lbs, \$2.70; 30 steers, 945 lbs, \$2.70; 780 sheep, 83 lbs, \$4.20; 355 sheep, 81 lbs, \$4.25; 327 sheep, 82 lbs, \$4.25; 100 sheep, 77 lbs, \$3.37½.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold 268 calves, 203 lbs, \$3.50.

Wood Bros. sold 79 cows, 648 lbs, \$1.65; 62 steers, 1001 lbs, \$2.75; 100 steers, 1002 lbs, \$2.90.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, MO., July 25.—Receipts of cattle for the week, 26,620. About 10,000 of these were Texas. There were 3266 head of calves. Values on Texas, 10@20c. lower than last week.

Following are representative sales.

Cassidy Bros. Commission Co. sold for J W Lillard, Nevada, Mo., 140 Texas steers, 1021 lbs, \$3.20; 55, 910 lbs, \$2.42½; N M & S A Forsythe, Hunnewell, Kas., 140 Texas steers, 1016 lbs, \$3.12½; P J Mattingly, Sherman, Texas, 52 Texas steers, 891 lbs, \$2.52½; Forsythe Cattle Co., Union City, Oklahoma Ter., 162 cows, 733 lbs, \$2.20½; 8 bulls, 816 lbs, \$1.60; 78 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.65; S M Stroup, 24 steers, 861 lbs, \$2.40; Swearingen Bros., Gainesville, Texas, 66 steers, 901 lbs, \$2.65; Stephens & Witherspoon, Gainesville, Texas, 41 steers, 1064 lbs, \$2.50; J D Edge, Lone Oak, Tex., 23 steers, 1102 lbs, \$2.75; 19, 878, \$2.25; 6 cows, 690 lbs, \$2; F Witherspoon, Gainesville, Tex., 43 steers, 1029 lbs, \$2.70; Thos. Stephens, Lone Oak, Tex., 26 steers, 905 lbs, \$2.40; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, Tex., 78 steers, 942 lbs, \$2.75; Forsythe & Browner, Arkansas City, Kas., 20 steers, 2040 lbs, \$2.85; W H Bates, Greenville, Tex., 57 steers, 900 lbs, \$2.55; John C O'Neal, Greenville, Tex., 26 steers, 977 lbs, \$2.55; Harrold & East, Fort Worth, Tex., 52 steers, 838 lbs, \$2.45; 88, 1014 lbs, \$3; 66, 1007 lbs, \$3; 132 cows, 809 lbs, \$1.95; 56, 830 lbs, \$1.95; 46 steers, 1046 lbs, \$3; 22 cows, 855 lbs, \$1.75; 4 bulls, 1040 lbs, \$1.50; Hume Bros., Arkansas City, Kas., 80 steers, 1017 lbs, \$2.72½; Smith & Forsythe, Arkansas City, Kas., 148 steers, 1092 lbs, \$3.15; Forsythe Cattle Co., Union City, Oklahoma Ter., 302 steers, 877 lbs, \$2.60; Forsythe, Hill & Presswell, Arkansas City, Kas., 88 Texas steers, 1060 lbs, \$2.52½; Hume Bros., Arkansas City, Kas., 45 Texas steers, 43,470 lbs, \$2.75; McBride & Barnell,

Lone Oak, Tex., 11 cows, 665 lbs, \$1.60; 16 steers, 861 lbs, \$2.25; Gainesville Land & Cattle Co., Gainesville, Tex., 50 steers, 983 lbs, \$2.50; 10 cows, 782 lbs, \$1.75; C W White, Gainesville, Tex., 10 steers, 967 lbs, \$2.40.

Greer, Mills & Co., sold for R R Wade, Red Rock, 27 steers, 1018 lbs, \$2.90; J B Wilson, 27 steers, 986 lbs, \$2.90; M B Pulliam, 24, 1088 lbs, \$2.90; 29, 901 lbs, \$2.60; R R Wade, 25 cows, 832 lbs, \$1.90; 20 calves, at \$5 per head; W Warren, Doss, Tex., 101 steers, 983 lbs, \$2.95; 15 cows, 782 lbs, \$2.15; 1 bull, 1230 lbs, \$1.50; Worsham Cattle Co., Uniontown, I. T., 104 cows and heifers, 690 lbs, \$1.90; 105, 653 lbs, \$1.90; 21 bulls, 1169 lbs, \$1.50; 25, 1170 lbs, \$1.50; White, Ingram & Dunn, Purcell, I. T., 42 calves, 156 lbs, \$5.50 per head; 12 bulls, 1272 lbs, \$1.50; 30 steers, 959 lbs, \$2.70; 25 cows, 862 lbs, \$1.75; R R Wade, Red Rock, 21 steers, 1208 lbs, \$3.05; 22, 1240 lbs, \$3.05.

Fish & Keck Co. sold for C T & John Hazzard, 95 grass Ind. steers, 1111 lbs, \$2.70; Thos McColgan, 56, 970 lbs, \$2.60; R P Boles & Co., 14 Texas, cows, 781 lbs, \$1.80; 59 steers, 873 lbs, \$2.40; White, Ingram & Co., 26 Ind. steers, 1003 lbs, \$2.75; John Poe, 27 cows, 700 lbs, \$1.80; 25 steers, 897 lbs, \$2.55; Millet Bros., 109 c-f N. M., steers, 1184 lbs, \$3.25; P J Mattingly, 50 grass Texas steers, 918 lbs, \$2.52; 53, 900 lbs, \$2.52; Thos. Grant, 74 Ind. steers, 951 lbs, \$2.52; 24 cows, 781 lbs, \$2; 23, 812 lbs, \$1.75; W H Godair, 28 Texas bulls, 1132 lbs, \$1.45; 70 grass heifers, 615 lbs, \$2; 86 calves, 144 lbs, \$3.50; 102, 183 lbs, \$3.25; 119 grass cows, 789 lbs, \$1.95; C T & John Hazzard, 24 grass Texas steers, 1062 lbs, \$3; 21, 1190 lbs, \$3.15; P J Mattingly, 22 steers, 916 lbs, \$2.55; 112, 814 lbs, \$2.25; W J Bryan, 68 calves, \$4.50; 60 cows, 783 lbs, \$1.80; V Herold, 92 steers, 1002 lbs, \$2.70; J W Gardner, 50 Ind. steers, 921 lbs, \$2.50; D B Gardner, 23 Texas steers, 1104 lbs, \$2.85; Frank Newcomer, 27 cows, 833 lbs, \$2.05; 23, 1000 lbs, \$2.65.

The James H Campbell Co. sold for Orme, 34 steers, 947 lbs, \$2.55. 21 cows, 820 lbs, \$1.75; 19, 784 lbs, \$1.85; C W Turner, 209 steers, 933 lbs, \$2.62½. Washington, 164 cows, 665 lbs, \$1.70; 46 steers, 899 lbs, \$2.45; F M Dougherty, 198 sheep, 70 lbs, \$3.15; Smith, 18 steers, 1006 lbs, \$2.65; 26 cows, 664 lbs, \$1.65; Miller, 91 steers, 758, \$2.30; 46, 923 lbs, \$2.55; Watkins, 29 cows, 615 lbs, \$1.65; 26, 778 lbs, \$2.10; Pybas, 50 steers, 902 lbs, \$2.62½; Richardson, 25, 885 lbs, \$2.55; Kennedy, 23, 836 lbs, \$2.35; Dugan, 31, 1005 lbs, \$2.70; 42, 856 lbs, \$2.40; Heward, 30 calves, \$5.25; 102 heifers, 609 lbs, \$1.85; 102 steers, 892 lbs, \$2.35; Stone, 18 cows, 634 lbs, \$1.60; 180 calves,

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The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold for Arthur Gorham, 338 calves, 200 lbs, \$6.75 each; M Half & Bro, 24 steers, 1006 lbs, \$2.60; 198 cows, 759 lbs, \$1.60; 58 calves, 133 lbs, \$5 each; 12 steers, 907 lbs, \$2.50; Baird & Smith, 26 calves, 178 lbs, \$6 each; 15 steers, 827 lbs, \$2.25; 34 cows, 654 lbs, \$1.90; 27 steers, 932 lbs, \$2.50; 19 cows, 785 lbs, \$1.90; J H Nail, 12 cows, 810 lbs, \$2; 3 stags, 1313 lbs, \$1.50; 35 steers, 953 lbs, \$2.60; Burr & Swasey, 118 calves, 205 lbs, \$6.50 each; J M Caldwell, 54 corn-fed steers, 1200 lbs, \$3.85; Upchur, Stevens & Burr, 225 calves, 168 lbs, \$5.50 each; Gunter & Summerfeld, 24 steers, 1086 lbs, \$2.80; 72 steers, 1026 lbs, \$2.80; 24 steers, 980 lbs, \$2.75; Smith & Tuttle, 156 steers, 985 lbs, \$2.75; 25 steers, 1138 lbs, \$2.85; J H Bond, 9 cows, 761 lbs, \$2; 19 steers, 941 lbs, \$2.50; 25 steers, 984 lbs, \$2.75; J H Mail, 8 cows, 843 lbs, \$2.25; 47 steers, 997 lbs, \$2.90; F M Dougherty, 26 steers, 908 lbs, \$2.50; A P Bush, 35 heifers, 668 lbs, \$2.10; 176 calves, \$5.15 each; 78 cows, 829 lbs, \$1.95; Matador, 398 cows, 739 lbs, \$1.80.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for Joe Perry, Calvert, I T, 82 steers, 896 lbs, \$2.50; T N Lanier, Calvert, I T, 25 steers, 1000 lbs, \$2.50.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel-Co., sold for J H Presnall, Ponca, I T, 25 steers, 1052 lbs, \$2.50; S Cutbirth, Leliaetta I T, 12 cows,

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RANGE AND FARM.

San Angelo Enterprise:—A magnificent specimen of Johnson grass, nearly eight feet tall, was brought in from Ostrander-Loomis farm last week. This sample was cut some time ago, and there is doubtless stalks taller than these; and the whole piece of 200 acres will average over six feet.

The Rural Kansan relates that seventeen years ago corn was used for fuel all over Kansas and Nebraska, and thousands of bushels went to waste on the ground. The next year the same farmers paid 75c to \$1 per bushel for corn. It thinks that now farmers that are burning their corn because it is easier to "get up" than wood will feel like kicking themselves.

A writer in the Country Gentleman says: In your paper of June 19th I see an article on sanfoin and the difficulty in getting it to germinate when planted. It is true that the outer integument or covering of the seed is hard, which prevents the necessary moisture penetrating to start the germ. I have had experience in growing it in England but did not plant it in the husk. I got the hulled seed. I even tried it here last summer in Dakota; it started well and did fairly although it was a very dry summer. It is not like clover, wearing out year by year, but will improve until it has been six or seven years planted, and I do not know of any pasture that will fatten a lamb for the market quicker than sanfoin.

J. B. Elder, Rusk county, Tex., writes: I planted four acres of corn 3x3 feet last year and averaged 15 bushels less per acre than on land where corn was planted 6x1 1/2 feet. The rows that were 6 feet apart, the corn standing every 18 inches, required only one-half as much hoeing, and besides I raised peas, beets, peanuts, sweet potatoes and a bale of cotton that weighed 565 lbs and brought me \$50. The peas supplied my neighbors and fattened a number of shotes. The beets helped to fatten 30 hogs which I sold for \$322. I made 47 1/2 bushels of corn per acre, while my neighbors made but 30 to 40 bushels. Even though one didn't make as much corn by 3 or 4 bushels on 6-foot rows as on 3-foot, there would be more money in the former and the work saved is enormous.

Prof. A. E. Blount, Colorado Experiment Station says: I would rather attempt to teach a new beginner or a boy the entire rudiments of farming than to try to convince an old foggy that it is better to plant a potato with the eye up than down. The one is willing to learn and the other is not; this is the difference between them. The old foggy has probably raised corn for the last twenty years at the rate of 20 bushels to the acre, and has never plowed more than three inches deep and is never going to. He's a three-cornered man trying to force himself through a round hole. Tell him to sell 50 of his 100 acres and farm the remaining 50 in diversified crops and according to improved methods, and ten to one he'll order you to go along and mind your own business. Such a man doesn't know that farming was originally an invention, and still follows in the wake of new ideas and the inventive genius of progressive minds.

An Ideal Land.

POLECAT RIDGE, June 15.

Dear Journal:

As Polecat Ridge is way down on Trinity, and don't make an inkspot on the map, I will endeavor to give you a slight sketch of these parts, so that in case a "boomer" should happen to come "booming" along, he may not pass us by without knowing that he is in a land of pole-cats and tasso (i. e., jerked beef), and where corn dodger is as plentiful as Carter's oats. This is a delightful country. The all-powerful odor constantly pervading the atmosphere, makes the air healthy and "slubrious." The people live until they have to be soaked in kerosene oil and set on fire to get rid of them. The "muskeeters" grow so large here that there is quite an industry growing up in gathering their bones and shipping them to the Galveston bone mills, and should Galveston succeed in getting deep water, there will be millions in it. Besides,

an enormous business could be built up on skunk pelts and perfumery, which would pay an enormous per "scent" on the capital invested. Bullfrogs, also, are a commodity now considerably in excess of the demand, and capitalists would do well to bear this in mind, and buy up land largely, with a view to planting French colonies. This is a country for all nations, and, in case our "cullud" brother should cast his eyes longingly upon our land to come in and possess it, I have only to say that this is also "de land of de 'possum an' de coon." "Taters an' haug an' hominy" are also natives of the soil, and a darkey's "hair" greased with the essence of the skunk will soon come out of the kinks. For our Teutonic band of brothers we would say that sauer kraut sown broadcast yields abundantly, and cold slau bears in profusion when planted in hills three feet apart each way. Bolognas hang in rich festoons, gracefully bedecking the trees upon which they grow. Limberger cheese keeps well in silos, and when taken out is a formidable rival to the rich perfume of the skunk. A good quality of beer can be struck a few feet below the surface soil, and pretzels come early in the season, and remain till everything else is wilted. To our brothers in "blue," we of the "gray" would say, there is now no remembrance in malice of the "Bluddy Cassum," so come and mix things with us, let's swap jack-knives, and eat pork and beans together, and after staying here a few years you won't have a bit of blue on your b-b-b stomachs. You know we used to call you blue—"stomached" yankees, but we won't do it any more. To the Irish of dear "Ould Ireland" we would say, come to us, me darlint, come along and bring yer sphade, we want ye to help us to develop the country, we want ye to dig ditches, and to build railroads all over Polecat Ridge, so that the world may get in to us, and we can get out to the world. The Shamrock would bear transplanting in our soil, and shellalas would come handy as a pocket in a shirt, to kill polecats with, and as for "wearin' o' the green," everybody is so green here that it would be most appropriate. To our English friends we would say, come along, but don't drop any h's among us, for the wheel of progress is a-rollin' right along, and might pick up an "h" and "spile" a spoke, and we aint got time to pick 'em up, nohow. So mind your h's and come along. You can get plenty of 'arf and 'arf for the money, for we don't believe in trusts. To all nations we say, come and represent yourselves among us. While the boom is on we want to be struck broadside. We don't want no tail end of a boom to swipe around on us. We want to get right into the very bowels of it, so we can hear its great heart beat, and see it digesting things. We have shown you the great possibilities of Polecat Ridge, so if you don't "put in your thumb" and "pull out a plum" you're left, or my name's "DENNIS."

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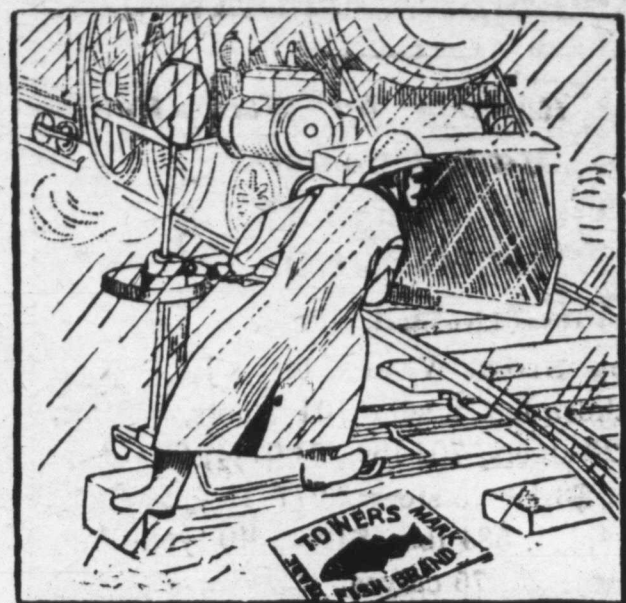
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The Legislature of Louisiana, which adjourned on the 10th of July of this year, has ordered an AMENDMENT to the Constitution of the State to be submitted to the People at an election in 1892, which will carry the charter of THE LOUISIANA STATE LOTTERY COMPANY up to the year NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETEEN.

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Organize and Concentrate the Wool Industry.

GALVESTON, TEX., July 22.

To the Wool Growers and Business Men of Texas.
The disorganization of the Texas wool trade has been for some time a fruitful subject for comment.

The advance in wool values consequent to President Harrison's election signaling the supremacy for the time being of "protective principles" restored confidence and lifted trade out of the slough of despondency.

Growers are financially more independent than for years. The unpleasant experiences during the depression should be an incentive towards establishing method, economy, harmony and a standard for quality as of its merit would command remunerative recognition without the bulwark "tariff." Indeed what assurance that it may not be ruthlessly dispensed with by the re-ascendency of the political party committed to that purpose. In this contingency the only safe-guard is, adopt such rigid lines of system and economy tending to elevate the productive capacity of the business on a broad plane where "each will assist the other."

The ineffectual efforts thus far have simply attracted thought and discussion, but yet many whose apathy is deplorable, place their entire trust in the "tariff."

The discouraging influences of those who, fearing to trust themselves to a new order of things, are inimical to any progress, and the disappointment in the Galveston movement have had a dampening effect, it is true. Hence wools are still shipped "hither and thither" at great loss through the influence of I. O. U's, and clips continue to be packed without regard to quality, condition, style, or trade requirements, and are sold with the same recklessness. Each for himself, seems to be the motto and the one fortunate in selling on the boom, laughs at his neighbor compelled to carry from season to season, losing not only carrying charges but depreciated value also, as wool, especially fine grades, after a time in the grease become stained, caky and lose strength.

These losses in the aggregate would offset what protection the tariff affords and create a reserve enabling wool growers to liberate themselves from the thralldom of professional money lenders.

An association of growers and business men, controlling say \$250,000 assuming the selling of Texas wools at Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, or such point as the relative financial support extended would determine, would merit the hearty support of every wool grower in Texas, and could concentrate under a competent management ten to fifteen million pounds thereby naturally reducing expense of handling to a minimum and inducing dozens of manufacturers' buyers to operate, instead of the present limited number.

As clips found irregular would be opened and graded, the additional expense incurred would be conducive to an improvement in the manner of putting up wools, all of which would advance their commercial value. Railroads would soon find it expedient to adjust their rates favorable to the project.

The point securing the centering of this business would at once and for all time be established as a wool market the magnitude and prestige of which would be a continual source of profit and pride to the community. The commonly accepted version that this subject requires attention of growers alone is a serious error as we are all identified in some way with them and it is an industry which, if once crushed out, by hostility or indifference, would materially affect the prosperity of all Texas. It is to be hoped therefore that this matter will not be neglected longer by growers, and surely there are enough liberal-minded progressive business men in Texas who would take an interest in the matter if appealed to, and

who would invest their money if they thoroughly understood, as they should, the nature of the business, with as much confidence as they do in other branches.

Respectfully,
E. WM. GRUENDLER.

Sheep Saved by Bells.

We published in past years various reports of experience to the effect that murderous (and therefore cowardly) dogs are repelled by the noise of bells, with a good ring to them, attached to necks of the flock.

The Iowa Homestead recurs to the subject, declaring that one per head would not be too many, though fewer answer the purpose. The "terrific racket" made by the disturbed sheep, even if it fails to frighten away the curs, would attract the shepherd, or somebody else's attention. Moreover, the same device is declared by a Montana herder to be equally effective against the related beasts of prey of that region:

"Coyotes are plenty and wolves by no means scarce, but I have yet to lose my first sheep by them. I have herded sheep off and on for three years. My experience has been that a flock plentifully supplied with good sounding bells is practically exempt from ravages. I have left my band a mile out on the range and gone to the ranch for dinner, and on going out to them again have seen one and sometimes two coyotes off on a hill watching them, and remained back to see what they would do. As soon as the sheep see them they bunch, and the jingling of the bells is too much for Mr. Coyote, and he 'bunches' himself off the other way."

Further confirmation strong comes by way of the Country Gentleman, from Middlesex county, Conn., where for thirty years a correspondent has succeeded without losses, in a region otherwise devastated by the destroyers:

"I have kept sheep all the time a mile from home, beside a road constantly traveled by dogs, and have never lost a sheep by them, while there is not a flock in this vicinity which has not been raided. When hearing of a case, I have taken pains to ascertain if the sheep had bells on, which has not been the fact in a single instance. Fifty bells, costing not over \$8 with straps and buckles complete are enough for 100 sheep. They should be of the cow-bell pattern."

The honor and integrity of the management of the Louisiana State Lottery company are now fully established all over the country. All who know anything about it know that the drawings of the company are held with the utmost fairness and all prizes paid fully and promptly. Thousands are ready of their own knowledge to testify to this. The company's present charter has about five years to run. The only question now under consideration is, shall the present charter expire in 1895 by limitation or shall it be extended for another term of 25 years.

Do Cows Need Salt.

Some claim they do, while others are positive they do not. If cows are not given any salt at all they may do about as well as if they had an unlimited supply, at least we judge so by experience in feeding steers, but the question comes up, Why are cows so fond of salt if it does them no good? We must confess that we give science the go-by when it has to be decided whether cows need salt and we give them all they want simply because they are so fond of it, it does not hurt them, and it costs so little to gratify their taste. And we believe this is a good rule to follow in caring for a herd of dairy cows; give them everything they want, provided it does not injure them, and the expense is not too great. In following this rule we give our cows salt the year round, and while we do not know that it does them any good we do know that the more contented cows the surer the profit.

C. H. Edwards' music house of Fort Worth has removed from No. 308 to No. 409 Houston street.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED States in and for the District of Colorado. In Chancery. Irving J. Atwood et als., complainants, vs. The Wendling Cattle and Land Company et als., defendants. No. 2397.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 7th day of May A. D. 1890, in and by which said decree the undersigned, as Receiver of said The Wendling Cattle and Land Company, is authorized and directed to sell the premises hereinafter described at public sale, I will, on the EIGHTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST, A. D., 1890, at the city of Denver, at the hour of ten o'clock in the morning of said day, offer for sale at the front door of the building now occupied as the postoffice, in said city, the following described real estate, situate in the counties of Mora and San Miguel, in the Territory of New Mexico, to-wit:

Five and one-third seventy-six parts, being the undivided four fifty-sevenths parts, portion and interest of, in and to that certain grant and tract of land known as the Mora Grant, granted by the proper authorities of the Republic of Mexico in or about the year A. D. 1835, recommended for confirmation by the Surveyor General of the United States for New Mexico as private land claim number thirty-two, confirmed by act of Congress of the United States, approved June 21st, 1860, and patented by the United States of date August 15th, A. D. 1876, for 827,621 acres, together with all and singular the rights, privileges, claims and equities which the said parties of the first part have or ought to have by reason of location and improvements made by them or either of them, of and upon the particular tract of land embraced within the exterior boundaries of said Mora Grant and bounded on the west by the grant of John Scully and others, on the southwest and south by the Las Vegas Grant, on the east by the easterly boundary of said Mora Grant, and on the north by the Mora river, as shown by the plat of survey made by John Campbell, which is hereby referred to for greater particularity, said tract containing fifty-seven thousand and thirty (57,030) acres of land more or less. Also all and singular the possessions and possessory rights claims, privileges and all rights, title and interest whatever acquired by Herbert Colville Blyth and Curtis Holmes-Anderson, or either of them, within the said last mentioned tract of land, and particularly those acquired by conveyance from Carl W. Wildenstein, Vidal Padilla and wife, Antonio Westas and wife, Pedro Martin, Isidoro Torres, Tomas Jimines and Santiago Bonne, which said conveyances are duly recorded in the office of the Probate Clerk of Mora County aforesaid, and to which for more particular description reference is hereby made, the said last-mentioned persons being the holders and claimants of the lands possessed by them adversely to the grantee of said Mora Grant; excepting therefrom those certain tracts of land embraced within the said described tract of fifty-seven thousand and thirty (57,030) acres, claimed and occupied by seven several persons: Roibol Baca, Gavina Sericher, Gibbs, Wassen, Hatch and Hoburg, the lands so claimed by said last-mentioned parties being in all about seven hundred acres, lying along the south side of the Mora river, as shown by said plat of said John Campbell.

Together with all and singular the buildings, improvements, ways, streets, alleys, passages; waters, water-courses, rights, liberties, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Said premises to be sold in parcels, or en masse, at not less than one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, in such manner as will bring the highest price therefor; the terms of sale to be one-third cash, and the balance in the notes of the purchaser, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum, payable in one, two and three years, to be secured by mortgage or deed of trust on said premises, or all cash if the purchaser so desires.

H. B. CULLUM, Receiver.
ROBERT, SHAPROTH & WHITFORD,
Counsel of Receiver.
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Chancery Sale.

In pursuance of a decree of the honorable Circuit Court of the United States in and for the Northern District of Texas, rendered at El Paso, Tex., on the 14th day of April, 1890, in the cause of Gregory, Cooley & Co., plaintiffs, vs. Nunn Bros. & Wilkes et al, defendants, I, as special master in chancery, appointed by said decree, and duly qualified as therein required, will on the first Tuesday in August, A. D. 1890, it being the 5th day of said month, at the door of the courthouse of Mitchell county, in Colorado City, Texas, sell the property hereinafter named to the highest bidder at public auction, all accepted bids to be paid as follows: Ten per cent. of such bid paid to me in cash before the sale closes, and the balance to be paid to me at El Paso, Texas, on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1890, upon confirmation of said bid and sale by the said Circuit Court to be held at said time, said ten per cent. to be forfeited upon failing to complete said purchase by payment of balance of such bid. The property to be sold is as follows: All that stock of cattle belonging to John W. Nunn, running and ranging in Terry, Hockley, Scurry, Mitchell and adjoining and adjacent counties, branded NUN and marked crop and underbit in each ear, estimated to be between 10,000 and 12,000 head. All that undivided one-half interest of John W. Nunn in and to that certain stock of cattle running and ranging as aforesaid, branded V4 and marked crop and under bit in right and under half-crop in left ear, estimated to be between 750 and 1500 of said undivided interest.

Also the saddle and stock horses running and ranging in the counties aforesaid, belonging to Nunn Bros. & Wilkes, branded in any of the following brands, to-wit: NUN, POL, W, and some unbranded, estimated to be from 100 to 300 head.

Also the following lands, to-wit:

IN TERRY COUNTY.
Four sections of land described as follows: Survey No. 59, Block 4x, granted to C & M R R Co by certificate No 320, 640 acres. Survey No 23, granted to E L & R R R R Co, certificate No 1305, 640 acres. Survey No. 33, granted to E L & R R R R Co, by certificate No 1306, 640 acres, and survey No 57, Block No. E, granted to E L & R R R R Co by certificate No 1,259, 640 acres.

IN HOCKLEY COUNTY.
The four leagues of school land granted to Wichita county, known as Surveys Nos 17, 18, 19 and 20, amounting to 4428 acres each. The four leagues of school land granted to Wilbarger county, known as Surveys Nos 5, 6, 7, and 8, amounting to 4428 acres each. The four leagues of school land granted to Donley county, known as Surveys Nos 9, 10, 11 and 12, amounting to 4428 acres each, said 12 leagues containing in the aggregate about 53,136 acres of land.

Said property, as is provided in said decree, will be sold in the following manner: I will offer each brand of cattle by itself and the stock of horses by itself and then offer the cattle and horses altogether as a whole. I will then offer the lands as follows: All of the four sections of lands in Terry county, or perhaps one section at a time as I may on the sale day determine to be best. Then the four leagues of Wichita county lands as a whole, subject to a vendor's lien of \$20,000, due in 1905, interest at 8 per cent., payable annually. Then the four leagues of Wilbarger county lands as a whole, subject to a vendor's lien of \$20,000, due in 1905, with interest at 8 per cent. per annum, payable annually. Then the four leagues of Donley county lands as a whole, subject to a vendor's lien of \$20,000, due in 1905, with 8 per cent. interest, payable annually. Then I will offer all the lands as one lot. Then I will offer all the lands and all the cattle and horses as one lot, and which one bid or aggregation of bids shall be the highest will be accepted by me, and the sale made and declared accordingly.

Said sale is to satisfy certain indebtedness adjudged against John W. Nunn, T. W. Nunn and Sam C. Wilkes, and the firm of Nunn Bros & Wilkes, in favor of Gregory, Cooley & Co., amounting at the date of said decree to about \$76,000 besides cost of suit and interest since then accrued, as shown in the face of said decree, to which reference is here made and inspection thereof invited. Said indebtedness secured by first mortgages on the property aforesaid and which are duly foreclosed in said decree, and this sale ordered, and also to satisfy certain other indebtedness adjudged against John W. Nunn in said decree in favor of James H. Hill for the sum of \$13,432.39 besides costs and interest to accrue thereon as shown in the face of said decree, which indebtedness to said Hill was secured by two mortgages on the property aforesaid except the lands, which mortgages are duly foreclosed in said decree.

And also to satisfy certain other indebtedness in said decree mentioned, amounting to \$18,126.88 with costs and interest thereon from the date of said decree as stated therein, and to secure which a mortgage was given by John W. Nunn on all the cattle, horses and lands aforesaid.

I will begin this sale at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 5th day of August, 1890, and continue it from day to day until completed according to the provisions of said decree, a copy of which can be seen at the First National Bank of Colorado, Texas, at all times.

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SAN ANTONIO.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., July 25.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

Perhaps it was the hot wave, it is certainly to be hoped it was nothing worse, that caused such a notable lack of energy and vim in

THE HORSE MARKET

last week. It cannot be said that there was a lack of trading, such as it was, nor any great reduction in the seasonable volume of trading, for the shipments by rail held up too well for that, but then there was no life, no snap in the market. Buyers bought because it was their duty to buy when bargains were offered them; commission men and dealers showed their stock because they had to. All of them appeared to consider themselves martyrs to a tyrant fate and sought the shade and cool places as often as their work would permit. In ordinary times the San Antonio commission man is all life and activity, and scents his customers on the incoming train or on the prairie a hundred miles away, or at least he appears to do so; but now the least enterprising and least progressive citizens of this entire Southwestern country are those very same commission men, and the holy calm about the stock yards is strongly suggestive of a mid-week prayer meeting. The naturally aggressive and ragging Adam in them is plum melted. No more shouting of sulphurous phrases is heard in the pens and a generally "let us pray, brethren," air usurps the old-time blue atmosphere of those odorous retreats. It is the heat, it must be the heat, for there hasn't been a revival in town since the last norther blown out. Watermelons and repose include the highest aspirations of the boys now. Yes, it is hot, for a fact.

Tuesday afternoon there was a thunder storm which laid the dust and cooled the atmosphere while it lasted, but the intense heat which followed was felt all the more because of the dampness. Other showers have followed but up to this writing the long-needed and ardently-prayed-for gully-washer hasn't materialized, though some of the much-abused local weather prophets are confidently predicting a general fluid relief. Rain, general rain, heavy and continued, soaking rain would do this section of the country more good now than anything else that has been suggested.

The railway shipments, however, show that there is considerable trading being done in spite of the lack of animation in the market. During the past week there were 729 head of horses and mares shipped from this point against 728 head during the previous week and 775 head during the corresponding week last year, but the total shipments since January 1, show a decrease of 8087 head and the bulk of the shipments continue to southern points. The shipments to points outside of this state during the past week were to New Orleans, La.; Jackson, Yazoo City, Shubuta and Wesson, Miss.; Gotham, Ala.; Quitman, Ga.; Greenville, Fla.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Stella, Neb.; East St. Louis, Ills.; Worcester, Mass. These are facts that show the change of sentiment regarding the Texas scrub in the northern states. The shipment of horses to Worcester, Mass., consisted of the best improved stock; a wild Texas scrub could not be sold in Massachusetts for enough money to pay the freight bill on it from Texas to the old Bay State. Texas stockmen will have to breed up their herds and give them better care before the rich northern trade will be opened to them again, and the time

is not far distant when the southern trade will require improved stock.

The class of stock on this market continues mainly of scrubs while the northern demand is for gentle, improved stock, well broke to harness as well as saddle. Prices continue low and without quotable change from last week. Receipts are moderate for the season and outside buyers are scarce and hard to suit and decline to buy except when real bargains are offered. Better receipts and more buyers are needed and are expected to arrive about the time for the state Democratic convention, while the International fair in September is expected to turn the tide of trade strongly in this direction.

The following tabulated statements show the receipts and shipments of live stock by rail at San Antonio since January 1, and during the corresponding time last year:

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS BY RAIL.		
	Since Jan. 1.	Same time last year.
Horses and mules.....	17,718	18,159
Cattle.....	9,815	8,955
Calves.....	923	133
Sheep and goats.....	23,547	26,366
Bucks.....	6	100
Hogs.....	2,161	964
Bulls.....	102	283
Jennets.....	358	44
Jacks.....	19	7
Stallions.....	31	25

LIVE STOCK SHIPMENTS BY RAIL.		
	Since Jan. 1.	Same time last year.
Horses and mules.....	17,918	18,159
Cattle.....	11,205	13,614
Calves.....	2,705	305
Sheep and goats.....	25,620	26,864
Hogs.....	1,103	260
Bulls.....	209	177
Jennets.....	169	44
Jacks.....	32	3
Stallions.....	52	5

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13½ hands.....	\$10@ 12
Scrub, fair conditioned, 12 to 13½ hands.....	13@ 15
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.....	15@ 20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.....	12@ 15
Yearling fillies, branded.....	6@ 8
Yearling fillies, unbranded.....	8@ 10
Two-year-old fillies, branded.....	8@ 12
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded.....	10@ 15
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.....	20@ 30
American carriage horses, 15½ to 16½ hands.....	75@ 200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14½ hands.....	20@ 30
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14½ hands.....	16@ 20
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14½ hands.....	16@ 20
Weaned, unbranded colts.....	4.50@ 6
Mules, Mexican, 10 to 12½ hands.....	15@ 18
Mules, improved, 13½ to 14 hands.....	30@ 40
Yearling mule colts, improved.....	18@ 20
Two-year mule colts, improved.....	25@ 30
Yearling mule colts, Mexican.....	12@ 15
Two-year mule colts, Mexican.....	18@ 20

CATTLE, MUTTONS AND HOGS.

Receipts of cattle have been large for the summer season for several weeks. Large numbers have been driven in from southern ranches that do not show in the receipts by rail. The butchers have also been liberal buyers of heavy fat stock at the reduced quotations. Steers are not wanted except gentle work steers, for which there is a good demand from shippers. Wild steers will not command as good prices here as can be obtained on the ranches. There is a pretty fair demand for fat yearlings and calves, but great care is needed not to overload this market with this class of stock. The market can be quoted weak.

Goats, from which most of the mutton sold by local butchers comes, are in very large receipt and this market is overloaded with them so that prices are lower than they have been here for a long time. There is no shipping demand for common goats so that it is an easy matter to overload this market with them.

Fat sheep are scarce and in demand by a few butchers who have well posted customers who demand honest mutton, but a carload at a time is about all that can be handled here profitably at any season of the year.

WOOL MARKET.

There has been a better demand for wool during the past week than for a long time. The buyers have taken hold well on the stronger condition of other markets and the favorable prospects for the passage of a tariff bill, but sales though large, have been

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strictly on the scoured value of the staple. At this price many of the heavy wools have been moved out and local warehouses look like the end of the season. Under this little spurt of business the well-known Haley clips of the spring and fall of 1889 and the spring of 1890, which have been stored here have been sold. This wool is finely bred but is heavy with grease and shows the character of the dry lands of extreme West Texas. The staple is excellent but being so heavy with grease it has been passed by former buyer as undesirable at the prices then ruling. Sold at its scoured value, which has been ascertained by repeated and careful tests, it was a good purchase and the 700 bags of the three clips can be also classed a good sale. A number of other heavy wools have also been sold and sales are taking place daily which have emptied two more of the local warehouses and leaves but one warehouse carrying any considerable amount of wool. All told, probably 1200 bags of generally heavy wools have been sold during the past week and the stock now here is liberally estimated at about 400,000 pounds in strictly first hands. Holders are firm at the scoured value of their wools, but are more willing to sell at its scoured value, rather than hold over to the next season and thus imperil the value of the fall clip.

Notes from Quanah.

QUANAH, TEXAS, July 24.

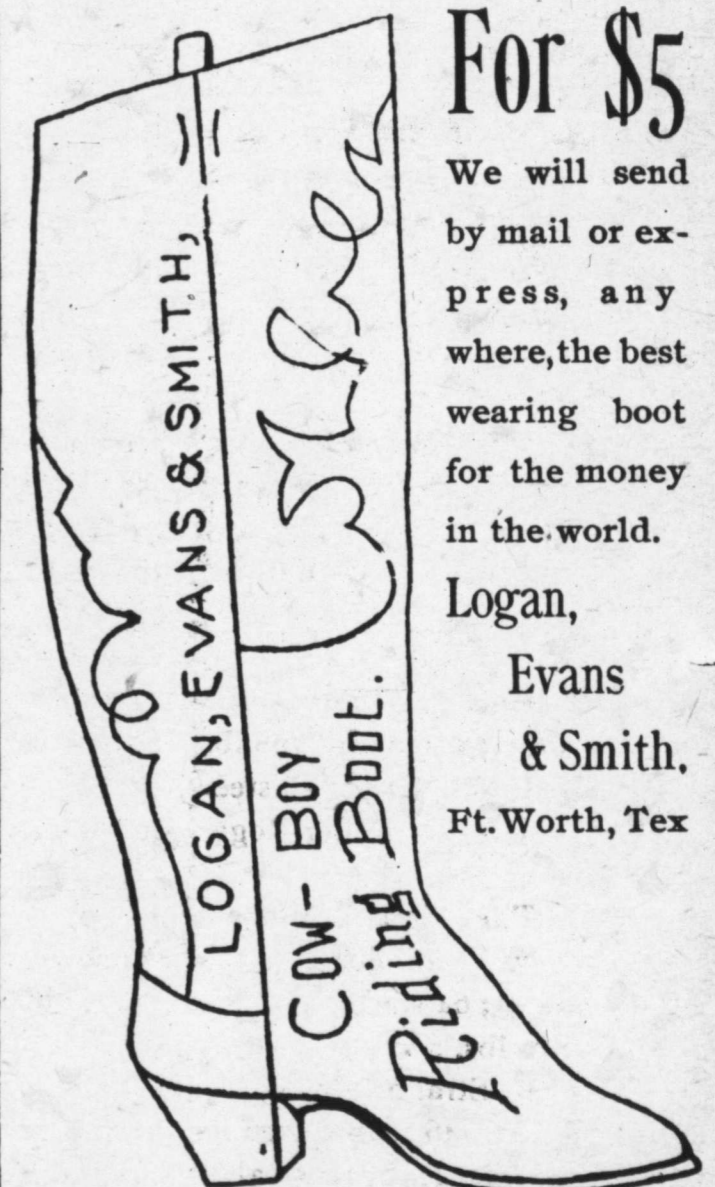
Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

This city, as you doubtless already know, took its name from "Quanah," a well-known and noted Comanche chief, who still rules the destinies of the Comanche tribe. Quanah is, comparatively speaking, a young Indian, and although he has in days gone by strung many "pale-face" scalps to his belt, yet he is now in a measure civilized and no longer scalps innocent and helpless women and children as a pastime.

The city of Quanah, considering its youth, is a hustler. I was shown three business lots that were offered but failed to find a buyer three years ago at \$25 each. The three are now worth \$10,000.

The town though yet a small one and in its infancy, has already made quite a number of its progressive citizens rich by the rapid increase in real estate values.

The country tributary to Quanah is suffer-



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ing for rain, and drying up very fast. The weather is extremely hot, and the country generally not in a very good way, and unless it rains soon the big boom will no doubt be in a measure checked.

The wheat crop through this section will average from 8 to 12 bushels per acre, which is considerably below the average for the past few years. The corn crop is already a failure.

Quanah is shipping quite a number of cattle, but they are, as a rule, not fat, consequently are not bringing any top prices. One ranchman shipped his steers two or three weeks ago. They struck the market when at its lowest, and although the cattle were good, they only netted their owner \$15.50 per head.

The "Pitchfork" steers sold here last week at \$24. They were fat. Cattle will fatten but little, if any, through this section until it rains.

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CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

U. S. YARDS, CHICAGO, ILL., }
July 21, 1890. }

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.
Receipts of Texas cattle to-day were about 4000 head. The market was active and strong and sales were made freely at prices 10c higher than a week ago.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold 115 steers, 929 lbs, \$2.95; 294 steers, 1015 lbs, \$3; 15 steers, 774 lbs, \$2.60; 25 cows, 952 lbs, \$2.25; 42 yearlings, 672 lbs, \$2.37½; 206 steers, 898 lbs, 2.90; 418 calves, 211 lbs, \$2.90.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 23 cows, 718 lbs, \$2; 11 steers, 702 lbs, \$2.50; 21 steers, 973 lbs, \$2.80; 49 cows, 640 lbs, \$1.75; 20 steers, 989 lbs, \$2.75.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold 19 steers, 1000 lbs, \$3; 57 steers, 1008 lbs, \$3; 19 steers, 987 lbs, \$3.10; 57 steers, 1012 lbs, \$3.10; 38 steers, 1011 lbs, \$3.10; 25 cows, 782 lbs, \$2.10; 70 calves, 255 lbs, \$2.75; 73 calves, 259 lbs, \$2.50; 100 steers, 994 lbs, \$3.10; 20 steers, 960 lbs, \$3.10; 30 calves, 106 lbs, \$3.50; 215 steers, 933 lbs, \$2.65.

C. L. Shattuck & Co. sold 34 yearlings, 423 lbs, \$1.40; 29 cows, 666 lbs, \$1.80; 302 cows, 764 lbs, \$2.45; 40 steers, 971 lbs, \$3.15; 33 calves, 206 lbs, \$3.75; 23 cows, 802 lbs, \$2.20. 63 steers, 849 lbs, \$2.35, 26 steers, 783 lbs, \$2.85; 69 steers, 833 lbs, \$2.90.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission Co. sold 27 cows, 687 lbs, \$2.10; 109 steers, 763 lbs, \$2.60; 25 steers, 996 lbs, \$3.15.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold 80 steers, 1071 lbs, \$3.50; 518 sheep, 84 lbs \$4.55; 120 sheep, 80 lbs, \$4.50; 437 sheep, 81 lbs, \$4.50.

The Texas Live Stock Commission Co. sold 44 steers, 931 lbs, \$2.95; 13 cows, 692 lbs, \$2.25; 28 cows, 593 lbs, \$1.90; 57 steers, 850 lbs, \$2.65; 33 steers, 736 lbs, \$2.30; 17 steers, 742 lbs, \$2.55; 12 steers, 757 lbs, \$2.25.

Keenan & Son sold 154 cows, 793 lbs, \$2.35; 23 cows, 798 lbs, \$2.10; 17 steers, 1016 lbs, \$2.90; 16 steers, 838 lbs, \$2.55.

The Alexander-Rogers Co. sold 58 steers, 1153 lbs, \$3.40.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold 104 cows, 776 lbs, \$2.15; 222 cows, 745 lbs, \$2.15; 64 steers, 808 lbs, \$2.75; 48 steers, 840 lbs, \$2.85.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold 7 bulls, 1204 lbs, \$1.85; 46 cows, 776 lbs, \$2.25; 110 calves, 198 lbs, \$3.30; 105 calves, 201 lbs, \$3.30; 72 calves, 198 lbs, \$3.30.

Wood Bros. sold 55 steers, 1054 lbs, \$3; 23 steers, 833 lbs, \$2.75; 95 steers, 999 lbs, \$3.10.

Godair, Harding & Co. sold 26 cows, 811 lbs, \$2; 26 steers, 902 lbs, \$2.70.

A. C. HALLIWELL.

ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL., }
July 22, 1890. }

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal

The is but little to be said that is new concerning the Texas cattle market for the week now ended. The run was not so large as the week previous, the falling off being quite marked, but was liberal, nevertheless, and buyers, with few exceptions, had plenty to choose from. The quality was not very good, the bulk consisting of light steers. Eastern shippers wanted good fat Texas steers, and they, at times, had to curtail their operations for common and light steers they can not use. It can be said that prices on fat steers have appreciated some, while on lower grades and cow

stuff there is hardly any change. Native cattle in moderate supply and prices are still on the decline and medium steers, the best selling, are bringing but little more money than Texas steers. Appended sales will give range in prices:

Cassidy Bros. & Co. sold for Reed & Tanner, Catoosa, 20 steers, 875 lbs, \$2.75; D Waggoner & Son, Harrold, 104 cows, 780 lbs, \$1.90; 30 steers, 629 lbs, \$2.10; 38 bulls, 1210 lbs, \$1.65; East & Carver, Wichita Falls, 39 cows, 778 lbs, \$1.90; 10 steers, 876 lbs, \$2.40; 22 steers, 1001 lbs, \$2.90; J P Weatherbee, Itaska, 18 steers, 802 lbs, \$2.25; F. M. Cronwell, Afton, 22 steers, 795 lbs, \$2.15; 26 steers, 810 lbs, \$2.25; 28 steers, 715 lbs, \$2.05; 22 steers, 857 lbs, \$2.40; East & Murty, Wichita Falls, 45 steers, 911 lbs, \$2.50; Drury & Warren, Arkansas City, 25 steers, 872 lbs, \$2.70; 162 cows, 688 lbs, \$1.70; 36 steers, 1053 lbs, \$3; Nat Gunter, Dallas, 53 steers, 838 lbs, \$2; Louis Dumas, Sherman, 198 steers, 1039 lbs, \$2.90; Henry Bratt, Henrietta, 21 cows, 577 lbs, \$1.90; 22 steers, 1010 lbs, \$2.80; Doc Reedy, Henrietta, 23 cows, 606 lbs, \$1.90; J M Hall, Tulsa, 25 steers, 970 lbs, \$2.85; W E Halsell, Vinita, 224 steers, 1129 lbs, \$3.35; 18 cows, 871 lbs, \$1.85; 17 calves, \$6.50 each; P M Burnett, Henrietta, 273 calves, \$6.25 each.

Scaling & Tamblyn sold for F M English, Harrold, 25 cows, 796 lbs, \$1.70; D Waggoner & Son, Harrold, 174 calves at \$5.25 each; J H Baldridge, Honey Grove, 16 cows, 873 lbs, \$1.85; 35 steers, 927 lbs, \$2.40; J H Baldwin, Honey Grove, 23 steers, 813 lbs, \$2.30; 23 steers, 934 lbs, \$2.60; J F Holt, Honey Grove, 24 cows, 708 lbs, \$1.90; 26 steers, 891 lbs, \$2.60; H H Melvan, Coleman, 13 steers, 985 lbs, \$2.50; 24 steers, 736 lbs, \$2; Humphrey, Rawlins & Co, Melburn, 23 steers, 775 lbs, \$2.25; 12 cows, 802 lbs, \$1.55; J H McClure, Honey Grove, 16 steers, 1003 lbs, \$2.65; 10 cows, 879 lbs, \$2; J O Hall, Vinita, 84 steers, 1022 lbs, \$3.15; Stilson & Co, Thorp's Ranch, 178 cows, 933 lbs, \$1.87½; 210 steers, 773 lbs, \$2.50; Winfield Scott, Vinita, 194 steers, 1038 lbs, \$2.85; 65 steers, 1031 lbs, \$3; 15 steers, 1204 lbs, \$2.65; 219 steers, 1093 lbs, \$2.90; 42 steers, 1022 lbs, \$3; 88 steers, 1040 lbs, \$2.85; D W Kirkpatrick, San Saba, 30 cows, 698 lbs, \$1.90; M W Kuykendall, Lorretta, 41 steers, 929 lbs, \$2.60; J W Hutchinson, Decatur, 25 cows, 828 lbs, \$1.90; 34 yearlings, 490 lbs, \$1.75; W Rush, Decatur, 26 cows, 750 lbs, \$1.90; S B Burnett, Fort Worth, 40 yearlings, 484 lbs, \$1.90; 26 cows, 812 lbs, \$2; J W Robinson, Gainesville, 20 steers, 957 lbs, \$2.50.

C. C. Daly & Co. sold for O L Marvy, Belcher, 11 steers, 834 lbs, \$2.60; 30 steers, 748 lbs, \$2.12½; 18 steers, 1049 lbs, \$2.65; 27 steers, 807 lbs, \$2.30; T M Riley, Nacoma, 30 steers, 893 lbs, \$2.65; 23 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.60; R J Cato, Nacoma, 18 steers, 932 lbs, \$2.65; 18 steers, 994 lbs, \$2.70; 23 steers, 1048 lbs, \$3.10; 12 cows, 855 lbs, \$1.80; Stanfield & Quillian, Fleetwood, 23 cows, 745 lbs, \$1.90; 46 steers, 982 lbs, \$2.90; B B Yarborough, Sherman, 12 cows, 745 lbs, \$1.80; 7 steers, 1078 lbs, \$2.65; 24 calves, \$5.25 each; G Beal, Colorado, 25 cows, 725 lbs, \$1.85; Ernest Bros, Colorado, 15 bulls, 1040 lbs, \$1.70; 156 calves, \$6.35 each; 26 cows, 805 lbs, \$1.90; 18 steers, 988 lbs, \$2.65; 46 steers, 993 lbs, \$2.65; 20 cows, 761 lbs, \$1.90; 23 steers, 909 lbs, \$2.25; Stone & Wyatt, Nacoma, 101 steers, 860 lbs, \$2.50; 13 yearlings, 516 lbs, \$1.50; Thomas Stewart, Grady, 22 cows, 653 lbs, \$2; 24 steers, 902 lbs, \$2.35.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for T J

Archer, Tulsa, 25 steers, 774 lbs, \$2.10; 24 steers, 923 lbs, \$2.50; W E Hittson, Ysleta, 65 steers, 1000 lbs, \$2.60; 88 cows, 863 lbs, \$1.85; J T Taylor, Coleman, 13 steers, 856 lbs, \$2.25; W F Hudson, Dundee, 95 calves, \$5.50 each; 85 cows, 827 lbs, \$1.65; White & Graves, Belcher, 77 steers, 832 lbs, \$2.55; L H and W C Lee, Albany, 20 steers, 907 lbs, \$2.40; 48 steers, 990 lbs, \$2.65; J J Rhodes, Pearsall, 24 steers, 1054 lbs, \$3.05; J E Thomas, Pearsall, 21 steers, 972 lbs, \$2.35; 27 steers, 760 lbs, \$2; Holstein Bros, Albany, 60 calves, \$6 each; Wm. Hittson, Hittson, 40 steers, 874 lbs, \$2.20; J M Dougherty, Catoosa, 88 calves, \$5.25 each.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold for S Miller, Millett Station, 142 steers, 975 lbs, \$2.80; 17 cows, 795 lbs, \$1.90; N Skinner, Bowie, 29 cows, 684 lbs, \$2; W L Gwaltney, Bowie, 52 steers, 841 lbs, \$2.40; 54 steers, 773 lbs, \$2.37½; Clark & Plumb, Fort Worth, 356 calves, \$6.25 each; 54 steers, 844 lbs, \$1.90.

The American Live Stock Commission Co. sold for Henry Kurten, Bryant, 44 steers, 822 lbs, \$2.10; 30 cows, 687 lbs, \$1.70; Adams & Gainserson, Marlin, 49 steers, 828 lbs, \$2.10; Reynolds Bros, Albany, 30 cows, 715 lbs, \$1.65; 16 cows, 778 lbs, \$1.70; 11 steers, 970 lbs, \$2.40; 96 calves, \$6 each; J W Kennedy, San Saba, 56 steers, 913 lbs, \$2.30; 26 steers, 917 lbs, \$5.20; J N McFaddin, Circleville, 100 steers, 913 lbs, \$2.65; 26 steers, 894 lbs, \$2.30.

The Texas sheep market continues fairly active with prices steady, if not a little higher on good muttons. Offerings were moderate, the bulk of which again consisted of fair sheep only, and many of these were killed through to Chicago and other points. Good prices were realized in fat sheep, the range being from \$3.75@4.50 per 100 lbs, according to quality. Common and thin sheep were dull of disposal as buyers of stock sheep want them in fair flesh. This ought to be sufficient of a hint to shippers.

Sam A. White, superintendent of the Texas horse department of the National Stock Yards, says he has no news to give me. The trade is jogging along at a mighty slow trot with nothing to grow enthusiastic over. Offerings fair and demand moderate and altogether for good mares. Prices range from \$20@30 each.

The wool market is slow and uninteresting. RATTLER.

SHEEP AND WOOL.

The following sales are reported in Boston:—25,000 lbs spring Texas, 22c; 150,000 lbs do, on p t; 23,000 lbs do, 22c; 50,000 do. p t. total 248,000 lbs.

Prices ruled: Texas spring medium (12 mos), 21@23c; Texas spring fine, (six to eight mos) 17@20c; Texas spring medium, (six to eight mos) 20@22c; Texas fall 17@20c.

A. S. Exline, proprietor of the Galveston Wool Scouring mill, bought from Halfin & Rueff, of San Angelo, 1000 bags of six and eight months' wool. Terms private.

Sherman, Hall & Co. of Chicago advise us that the ruling rates on Texas wools in that market are:

	Heavy.	Average.	Choice.
Fine	10@12	14@17	18@23
Fine Medium	@	15@18	20@24
Medium	@	15@18	22@27
Low Medium	@	15@17	21@26
Coarse	@	11@12	17@20
Carpet	@	10@12	15@18

The Portland Oregonian, speaking of losses of sheep in Oregon last winter says the wool clip of Umatilla county is extremely light this year, but the sheep pelt crop is heavy. It is estimated that over half the sheep in the region of Heppner

perished on the ranges last winter, one house alone in that town having handled 60,000 pelts.

Fenno Bros. & Childs, of Boston, report: The market for spring Texas wool remains steady but not very active. One sale of good wool is noticed at 23c, and other sales of shorter staple were at 18@20c. On a scoured basis spring Texas wool sells at 58@60 for year's growth, and 53@55c for six to eight months'. About 50,000 lbs Kansas and Nebraska sold on the same basis as the Territory wools.

Albuquerque Citizen:—A farmer in Jefferson county, Col., has been making an experiment on feeding a light bunch of sheep the past winter. He purchased November 1, 100 head of 2-year-old wethers. They were American merinos and had been raised up in Wyoming. He paid \$230 for the bunch, put them in sheds, and up to the time he sold them he had fed them four tons of alfalfa hay, and one ton of oats and a half ton of corn. He sold them at \$4.50. He put the first cost of feed, (hay and grain) at \$40, thus leaving \$160 as net profit. He says alfalfa and oats are the best and most profitable feed ever given to sheep.

Field and Farm:—A vast amount of wool in this country is sent to market in bad condition. That this is true is largely due to the methods employed by wool buyers, for all of us know that the man who handles his wool so that it is entirely free from tags and dirt gets little if anything more for his wool, except of course, the smiles and compliments of the wool buyer, than the fellow who wraps up everything that is cut off the sheep. But smiles and compliments will not pay expenses, and the producer of honest wool who has an average of one half pound of less per sheep than a neighbor who has a worse stock and a worse conscience, knows that he has contributed to prevent a loss to buyer on the badly handled clip.

The return of the annual shearing time in Kansas, the State where the wool craze has had more ups and downs than perhaps anywhere else, brings again into notice the cause of the meek and lowly sheep. It was so short a time ago that thousands of farmers of the State were basing their salvation upon the animal that a brief review of the present situation is a most instructive one. It was in 1883-4 that Kansas was in its sheep glory, having, having 1,200,000 head scattered over her prairies, a greater number than the State was either fitted for or capable of caring for properly. When those who had gone into the business as a speculation had found out, as most of them did, that they were bound to be losers because they were not giving their flocks the requisite care or shelter and were not receiving for their wool prices which had been anticipated, when they found out these things they made all haste to dispose of every last animal. As a result sheep that had been bought for \$5 and \$6 dropped to \$3 and \$2 and even \$1, so anxious were the owners to dispose of them. And now the number of sheep in the State is about 490,000, valued at \$3 each. The number is about the same as it was ten years ago, and is slightly on the increase.

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THERE are several million pounds of wool in the West tributary to Fort Worth, that could find a market here, if the people of Fort Worth would reach out for it. This is a big trade, and means the exchanging of about 10,000,000 pounds of wool in this city for about \$2,000,000 every year. Generally when Fort Worth sees a thing she wants, she reaches out and grabs it. Does Fort Worth want this wool trade?

REPORTS from Kansas, Missouri and Illinois are that the corn crops in those states will fall short of the usual yield on account of dry weather, and if a general rain does not come within a week, it will be almost a total failure. This means a great deal for Texas cattlemen. A short crop in the corn-growing states means high prices for corn, and high prices for corn means that there will not be much of a demand for feeders. It also means that the cattle in those states will be rushed on the market.

COL. J. S. GODWIN of Fort Worth, one of the old-time cattlemen of Texas, has, so we learn, decided to cut up his big 23,000-acre ranch in Taylor county and lay it off in 160-acre farms and upward. Such a body of land will make good farms for a large colony of farmers, and when it is cultivated by stock farmers or agriculturists it will be far more valuable than it ever would be as a ranch or pasture. The man with the hoe is moving on to his destiny, and the big pastures are going.

THE Raton Range says 100,000 cattle have been shipped from New Mexico in the last thirty days. The Las Vegas Stock Grower supplements this with the statement that 500,000 sheep will hardly measure the shipments from that territory this year. New Mexico has a total of 1,383,000 cattle and 3,092,000 sheep. It follows from these statements that nearly 8 per cent. of all the cattle in the territory were shipped out in thirty days, and that it will lose about one-sixth of its sheep this year. New Mexico is rushing things.

THE Kansas City Live Stock exchange has taken action protesting against the proposed bill in congress to give states the right to tax or otherwise deal with oleomargarine in transit within the borders. The ground of this opposition, as set out in a circular,

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is that oleomargarine is a proper and healthful article of food, and being cheap, it is to the advantage of the general public that its manufacture and sale should not be hampered. The manufacture of oleomargarine also, it is contended, creates a demand for parts of the beef carcass which without that demand would be worthless, and thus enhances the value of every beef animal from \$3 to \$5.

THE following circular will interest stockmen:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 20, 1890.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal:

Mr. J. G. McCoy of Wichita, Kansas, has been appointed, in compliance with law, as special agent of the census office for the collection of statistics of live stock on the ranges, under the supervision of the special agent in charge of agriculture. He desires to obtain a full and reliable statement of the present status of this important industry, and solicits the co-operation of all persons to whom this circular may come.

Cattlemen and others are hereby assured that their answers to the questions upon the schedules which may accompany this or be presented by special agents working under Mr. McCoy will be held strictly confidential, and will not be disclosed to any unauthorized person whomsoever.

Special agents and enumerators are sworn officers of the government, and severe penalties are imposed by law for a violation of their obligations.

The data will not be used by this office as a basis of any system of taxation, or to in any way effect adversely the interests of cattlemen or others. No publication will be made in the census reports which will disclose the names and operations of individuals.

Very respectfully,
ROBERT P. PORTER,
Superintendent of Census.

County Fairs.

Callahan county will hold a fair at Baird, this fall.

Tom Green county will hold a fair at San Angelo.

Committees have been appointed at Colorado City to solicit subscriptions to the capital stock of a fair association at that place. In a few hours the committee raised \$2000.

Montague county wants a fair, and has taken the same action as Mitchell, and the prospect is very good that the effort will be successful.

These movements are suggestive of a great change going on in Texas. Each of the four counties named is in what is known, or was known three or four years ago, as "the range country." That either of them should have advanced to the point of organizing and maintaining a fair for the exhibition of its improved stock and agricultural products is evidence that the West is moving with mighty strides to the front.

County fairs should be encouraged by every person who has an interest in Texas, for they are wonderful developers of a county's capacities. The varied exhibits laid

out before people from diverse neighborhoods show what is doing and can be done, and the best way of doing it. Rivalry is introduced, and the ambition to excel and carry off the premium next year begets a better breed of stock, better crops, better methods, and better results.

In the older agricultural states there are few progressive counties without a fair. We want to see the same thing in Texas, and our friends throughout the state can depend on the STOCK JOURNAL to do what it can to help along the movement.

Transfers of Jersey Cattle.

The following is a complete list of transfers of Jersey cattle to purchasers in Texas, as reported by the American Jersey Cattle Club, No. 1 Broadway, New York, for the week ending July 15, 1890.

BULLS.

Nettie's Duke, 18,653, S. L. Burnap to D. G. Miller, Austin.

Royal Hub, 25,312, W. B. Montgomery to H. B. Rice, Houston.

Tom Signal, 25,369, J. O. Womack to C. J. Lockett, Longview.

COWS.

Daisy Boyd, 56,575, L. B. Giles to S. L. Burnap, Hutto.

The increased demand for space at the Texas State Fair and Dallas exposition this year necessitates the erection of additional buildings. A large force of men are at work on the great music auditorium and art hall and the amphitheater, structures which the Fair association is having built. The music auditorium will seat 3000 people. Innes' celebrated Thirteenth Regiment band of New York, has been engaged to serve through the fair, and with the fine pipe organ, which is being built expressly for the fair, and the chorus of five hundred voices there will be no deficiency either in the quality or quantity of music. In fact, the Fair association has in store a great treat for the music-loving thousands who will congregate at the fair from all over the country. The vocal chorus will be made up from singers from all over the state. Any of our readers who can read music are eligible to membership in the choral union, and they should join by mailing application to Mr. James Howie, the musical director, Dallas, Texas.

Don't be discouraged about that eczema till you have given Ayer's Sarsaparilla a persistent trial. Six bottles of this medicine cured the complaint for George S. Thomas of Ada, Ohio, when all other remedies failed to afford any relief.

Low Rates to Summer Resorts of the East, North and West.

From June 1, until September 30, 1890, low rates are in effect via the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway, to the principal summer resorts of the North, East and West.

Rates, tickets, reservations in through sleeping cars and any further information can be obtained of your local ticket agent, or by addressing H. P. Hughes, ass't general passenger agent, Fort Worth, Texas, W. D. Lawson, traveling passenger agent, Fort Worth, Texas, or Gaston Meslier, general passenger and ticket agent, Sedalia, Mo.

THE PACKERY.

It Will be Ready for Business by
Nov. 1.

Work on the buildings for the Fort Worth packery has been pushed forward very rapidly by Mr. Thomas, the contractor, and they are now so far advanced that there is no question of the packery being ready for business at the appointed time, Nov. 1.

A description of these buildings will be of interest to readers of the STOCK JOURNAL, many of whom will no doubt make an intimate business acquaintance with them as soon as the work of slaughtering and packing hogs begins.

Beginning with the slaughter-house, we have a building 81 feet square, running up four stories. Here the hog will make his acquaintance with the new establishment, but it will be of brief duration, as his attention will very promptly be taken up by a gentleman with a butcher-knife, who will begin the work of preparing him for the table.

Next in order is the curing house and refrigerator, which mounts sky-ward for seven stories, and is 81 by 113 feet. Here the meat will be cured, cooled and prepared for shipment to the markets in different parts of the country.

The smoke-house, a four-story building 50 by 90 feet, is for the smoking of the meat. A deep basement, subdivided by a number of stone partitions, is provided, where the smoke will be made in the primitive manner that every farmer's boy is so well acquainted with. In this building are also the offices and the shipping department, where the business of the entire establishment will be conducted.

In addition to these are the fertilizer house and the boiler and engine house. The former is five-stories high, about 80 feet square, and is intended to utilize the offal and manure of the slaughtered animals. Here the affal is dried by furnaces, packed and put up for shipment as manure, and sent East to enrich worn-out lands.

The boiler and engine house is 60 by 152 feet, one story high. Here will be the powerful engines for running the machinery in the other buildings, and a 50-ton Hercules ice machine. This will be the largest ice machine in Texas, as, in addition to making 50 tons of ice a day, it has a refrigerating capacity of 50 tons. This department will be ready for business and will go to turning out ice on the 5th of September.

An idea of the substantiality of these giant structures may be obtained by noting that they are all of Granbury stone, and the interior work is made of the heaviest timber. They are put up to stay, and it is expected that before long others will be put up to increase the capacity of the plant, which at the beginning will be prepared to handle about 1000 hogs a day.

Provisions are made for the utilizing of every part of the animal slaughtered, and enough is saved to make a fair profit from these items alone. Mr. Thomas furnishes the STOCK JOURNAL with the following estimate of the value of the offal of cattle, which is generally thrown away by butchers:

Tankage, 16 lbs, worth.....	15 c
Blood, 7½ lbs, worth.....	7 c
Grease 1-3 lbs.....	45 c
Sinews, for glue, per head.....	20 c
Hide trimmings, for glue.....	8 c
Shin bones, 5 lbs, worth.....	5 c
Plate bones, 3½ lbs, worth.....	3½ c
Knuckle bones, 4 lbs, worth.....	5 c
Head bones, 8 lbs, worth.....	1½ c
Toes, 2 lbs, worth.....	9 c
Horns, 4 lbs, worth.....	2 c
Soft tankage, bones and horn piths, 2 lbs.....	\$1.21

Total.....\$1.21
The cost of the buildings and machinery, exclusive of the ground, will be from \$200,



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Texas farmers can depend upon it that a market will be provided for all the hogs they can raise. The only cause of anxiety is as to their ability to supply the hogs as they are needed. One thousand hogs a day, which is the full capacity of this packery, will drain the hog country very rapidly, and our farmers and stockmen cannot begin to increase their herds too soon, for the demand will soon be made upon them.

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ELKS AND BUFFALOES.

A Cattleman Who is Going to Domesticate Them.

CLARENDON, TEX., July 15.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

Having heard a great deal of the fine assortment of wild animals, game, etc., now being domesticated and successfully propagated by Mr. Charles Goodnight at his home near the railroad station bearing his name, your correspondent decided to make a visit to the premises and inspect these animals in person. This I have done and must say that I have been more than paid for the time and trouble.

Mr. Goodnight's home is about 400 yards south of Goodnight station, in the eastern part of Armstrong county, and immediately on the eastern edge of the Staked Plains. The residence, while not extravagant or as pretentious as might be expected for one of the wealthiest and most successful cattlemen of the state, is neat, substantial and comfortable. It is handsomely furnished and is in every sense of the word, just what Mr. and Mrs. Goodnight intended to make it, "a home."

Through the kindness of Mr. Goodnight, we were shown over the premises. Visiting the park or pasture containing the wild animals domesticated, my attention was first attracted to the four large male elks with their massive antlers projecting several feet above their heads. A short distance from these were the same number of female elks and several young ones. Some of the smaller ones appeared to be yearlings, while others had the appearance of only being a few months old.

These animals were bought in the Rocky mountains and shipped at a heavy expense by Mr. Goodnight to their present quarters. They are perfectly gentle, so much so that they seem to have no fears what-

ever, but will allow you to handle and pet them, and are in every respect as docile as a kitten.

It is Mr. Goodnight's intention to breed these elks for the purpose of making trotters or light harness animals of them. It is a well known fact that they are very fleet and that their fastest gate is a trot. When well trained no other animal, ever trained to harness can keep pace with an elk.

My attention was next called to the massive buffaloes found grazing in the same pasture with the elks. While there are among them all sorts, kinds and sizes, yet there are a few of the older males that are I think the largest I ever saw, and to say that I have seen hundreds of thousands at one sight would not in my opinion be an exaggeration.

The elks were in fine condition and seemed to do well, but the buffaloes are rolling fat. The grass in the pasture is rather short, proving that the buffaloes are better rustlers than cattle, or in other words that buffaloes will take on flesh and become very fat while cattle on the same pasture will barely hold their own. The knowledge of this fact has induced Mr. Goodnight at a heavy expense to try the experiment of crossing buffalo bulls with black muley cows. The result has been very satisfactory so far, as may be seen by the half-bred calves and yearlings now in Mr. Goodnight's pasture. These animals (the crosses) will, it is claimed by their owner, possess the hardiness and rustling qualities of the buffalo and the beef-producing qualities of the Polled-Angus (the black muley). I am satisfied the experiment will prove a success, and that the live stock producing world will be indebted to Mr. Goodnight for having brought into existence the best rustling and for the range the most popular breed of cattle in the world.

Mr. Goodnight has also several species of wild deer, all thoroughly domesticated: He breeds a few thoroughbred Jersey cattle, and produces Shorthorns and Herefords by the wholesale. He owns perhaps the best bred large herd of Texas cattle in the state. There are over 30,000 cattle in this herd, and to show their superiority over other range cattle, he has always in the past, even when the market was at its lowest, been able to sell his yearlings at \$12, two-year-olds at \$16, and three-year-olds at \$21. On the present market his steers would no doubt bring two or three dollars per head more than above figures. This ought to be sufficient argument to convince every one of the fallacy of raising scrub animals.

I may tell you something more of the Goodnight ranch in a few days. Will merely add now that it is a great pleasure to me to know that Mr. and Mrs. Goodnight are blessed with an abundance of this world's goods, enough to in a measure reimburse them for the fifteen years of hardship and privation they have endured while battling with the savages, roughs and other disadvantages of a frontier life.

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CATTLE AND CATTLEMEN.

The Forsythe Cattle company shipped nine cars of cattle to Kansas City this week.

Harrold & East, of this city, sent nineteen cars of good fat cattle to the Kansas City yards.

Late rains in Missouri have improved the condition of the corn crop very much, which is good news for cattlemen with feeders to sell.

Mr. B. R. Thompson, who takes care of the interests of the Cauada Cattle Co., has been in the southern part of the state, and reports a heavy shipping business, the bulk of which, however, is over.

The Espuela Land and Cattle company shipped from Amarillo nineteen cars of fat heaves to the Kansas City Stock yards, and Sam Lazarus sent eight cars of cattle and a lot of calves to the same place.

Col. A. W. Hilliard of Midland is president of a big national bank that has just been organized out there. It seems to be the proper thing for cattlemen to drift into banking. We can warrant that the business of that bank will be attended to as it should be.

Colorado City Clipper:—If all breeders will interest themselves in the matter, we can have a fine stock show at the fair this fall that will surprise a great many people who have not kept up with the advance of West Texas in this line.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal:—The Teschemacher & DeBillier Cattle company last week started 2400 one and two-year-old steers from their Uva range to a point on the Little Missouri just over the line in Dakota. The change was made in order to get a better range.

Las Vegas Stock Grower:—Geo. B. Loving, the well-known hustler has again located in Fort Worth, his old home, and is whooping it up in old time style in the real estate and live stock commission business, and of course making a howling success.

Folsom (N. M.) Metropolitan:—Billy Farnsworth of Bear creek returned last week from Minneapolis, Kas., where he had been with a shipment of LC cattle. He says that New Mexico three-year-olds which sell here at from \$15 to \$18 per head readily sold there at about \$29.

W. L. Aldwell returned recently from Austin where he leased for E. R. Jackson 100 sections of university land from the state for ten years at three cents per acre. The land is situated in a solid block on the plains above the head of Spring creek and will be immediately fenced and stocked with sheep and cattle.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal:—J. M. Wilkins of Langtry, Texas, was here this week. He started 2300 steers on the trail the first of April. At Coolege he sold 987 twos to the Derby Land & Irrigation Co. for \$14 a head and the balance will come north by trail. Mr. W. reports range conditions in Western Texas good and generally a feeling of hope for the future of the industry.

Seymour News:—As we come alongside of the Hash Knife pasture last Saturday, we

saw that the entire northwest corner, consisting of several thousand acres, was on fire and had burned the grass off of same, and although the good neighbors were sure enough "fighting fire," it was still spreading. This will be of great damage, owing to the fact that this grass was badly needed for the stock in the pasture.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal:—Fort Worth seems to be forging ahead in the meat packing business. A large pork packing house is under way with no doubt as to its completion, and the old Dahlgren refrigerator plant is to be overhauled and greatly enlarged at an early date, a New York reorganization of the company giving ample means and new energy. Fort Worth is the live town of Texas and commercially has a bright future as well as an active present.

The wild and woolly West is getting too lively to suit the Mobeetie Panhandle, which thus condemns the conduct of a thankless cow: "One of Mr. Carroll's cows dropped three live, healthy calves the other day. This country is getting too healthy, and the cows should be taught that such conduct is likely to lower their value in the eyes of the world. If cows multiply like jack-rabbits the market will be glutted and they will be worthless."

A number of cattle companies have been organized in New Mexico, which shows an interest and a confidence in the business. Among them are the Consolidated Cattle company—Incorporators, Hugh London, A. A. Jones and Alfred B. Smith, of Las Vegas. Capital stock \$150,000. The Fort Cummings Land and Cattle company—Incorporators, John Spruance, Chas. W. Fore, Horace Webster, Joseph P. Stanley. Capital stock, \$500,000. The Trinchera Land and Live Stock company—Incorporators, James Wilcox, Geo. W. Thompson and J. C. Gunter. Capital stock, \$50,000.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal:—M. M. Mason returned from Omaha Sunday, whither he went with the first shipment of Wyoming grass cattle of the season. The lot was made up of native Texas steers held over as tailings from last year's shipments, and the prices realized from \$2.30 to \$3.25 per hundred, the average being 50 cents per hundred on natives and 35 cents per hundred on Texas above the prices obtained by Mr. Mason for the same class of cattle last year. As a consequence he is well pleased. This sale fairly represents the difference between present values and those of a year ago, yet they are fully 50 cents below current prices one month ago.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,
LUCAS COUNTY, S. S.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
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SALES REPORTED.

A. S. Nicholson bought 500 twos and threes from W. F. Crawford of Cameron. Prices not given.

J. I. Huffman, of San Angelo, bought a bunch of three and four-year-old steers last week for \$15 a head.

D. M. DeVitt, on Saturday, sold 2500 mutton to Godair, Harding & Co., for \$2.65, San Angelo delivery.

E. W. McKenzie, of Colorado City, bought 130 three and four-year-old steers of Bob Johnson at \$17 per head.

Mr. J. K. Simpson, of Roby county, bought about 1000 yearlings last week, paying \$5.50 and \$6.50 for them.

From 6000 to 8000 cattle, threes and fours, have been sold in the country around Beaver City, Utah, prices being \$20 and \$21.

F. M. DeLashmutt, of Concho county, sold and delivered, last week, to J. F. Bustia 240 head of stock cattle at \$7.50 per head.

A Mr. Brewer is spoken of who has made purchases of \$250,000 worth of cattle in West Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. There is faith like a mountain.

The Clayton Enterprise says: "Among the sheep sales this week we note the following: Gallegos Bros., of Genova, sold to Cone & Duran, of Tascosa, 5000 head of wethers.

Concho Herald:—D. E. Sims returned a few days ago from Mason county where he has been to buy young cattle. Mr. Sims bought from a Mr. Geistweidt, seven hundred head of ones and twos, at \$7 and \$11 per head, to be delivered at Paint Rock.

A. B. Robertson returned Wednesday from a trip to Yellow House Canyon. While there he bought 800 beef steers from several different owners; the cattle are now being driven here for shipment and will arrive about to-day. Mr. Robertson says the range is in very good condition.

Messrs. Gage & Prout have bought Frank G. Routh's herd of fine bred cattle, near Fort Collins, Col., numbering between 300 and 400 head. The price paid was \$16 per head all around, with the last spring's calves thrown in. This herd has been bred up with a great deal of care and is considered one of the best in the country.

TRADE NOTICES.

Dr. F. Liebig will arrive in Fort Worth about the 1st of August, and will have rooms at the Ellis.

Geo. A. & R. I. Page of East Bethany, N. Y., offer some fine Merino rams for sale. Write them for prices and catalogue.

Dr. J. W. Cartwright of Amarillo offers 95,000 acres of good land for sale, which some man can get a bargain in.

Col. A. B. Robertson, as receiver, will sell the Nunn stock of cattle at Colorado City on the 5th of August. Cattlemen should make a memorandum of the date, and attend this sale.

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Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, }
July 23, 1890.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

The wool market is active and firm to-day, with a very decided improvement in the demands from the representatives of Eastern mills, who have been in the city for the past week. While these gentlemen were rather slow to invest when they first arrived, yet for the past three days they have been extensive and liberal buyers, and are to-day negotiating for several round lots, the sum total of which will run into the hundreds of thousands.

Factors, with whom your correspondent talked to-day, expressed the opinion that the present state of the market will continue to the end of July, and probably to the close of the present season.

While a fraction above present prices have been paid for some choice lots, still as the committee has not made any changes since the date of my last report, I shall be compelled to duplicate quotations of last week:

Spring twelve months fine, 18@20c; do medium, 20½@22½c; six and eight months fine, 17@19c; do medium, 20@21c; Mexican improved, 15@16c; do carpet, 12½@14c. Eastern Texas, 12 months medium 22@25c. Sandy and burry, 3@8c less than quotations. Twelve months scoured, XX, 56@58c; do X, 53@55c; do No. 1, 50@52c; six and eight months scoured, XX, 52@54c; do X, 50@52c; do No. 1, 48c.

The receipts of this port for the day amount to 36,087 pounds, and for the week ending at 4 o'clock p. m. 303,335 pounds. The receipts of the season foot up to 13,382,522 pounds, against 13,693,614 pounds for the previous season at this date.

The sales and shipments for to-day amount to 304,312 pounds, and for the week 529,312 pounds. The grand total for the season amount to 16,968,856 pounds, against 17,912,387 pounds, which shows a balance against the present season of 943,531 pounds.

The stock on hand to-day is 1,061,775 pounds, while at this date last year it was 1,406,166 pounds, therefore giving a balance in favor of the season of 1888 and 1889 of 344,391 pounds.

Mr. A. S. Exline, manager of the Galveston Wool Scouring mill, who left the city on the 15th, returned this morning. While absent, Mr. Exline visited all points of importance on the Lampasas branch of the Santa Fe railway. He reports having purchased at San Angelo 60,000 pounds of wool, and that stocks at all points in that section of the state are very light at present.

Messrs. John D. Rodgers & Co. report that their sales this week amount to 40,000 pounds, which was taken by Mr. W. K. Sharp, of whom I made mention in my letter of last week.

P. J. Willis & Bro., report that they have received this week only 14,000 pounds of wool. They have sold 15,000 pounds to an agent of an Eastern house, and their manager of the wool department, Mr. Brown, informed me that prospects were good for the sale to-day to the same party of over double the above amount.

Col. John Owens, manager of the wool department of the house of Adoue & Lobit, bankers and commission merchants, when called on to-day had little to report. However, said the colonel, we have not only sold 1600,000 pounds of wool and received 105,000 pounds since you were to see us last week, but we have become much more hopeful of the future of the Galveston wool

market, and especially do we feel so when we learned this week, from reliable authority, that on last Wednesday two of the spring, and one fall clip of the celebrated Healey clips of wool, was sold in San Antonio at 15½ cents for the former and 14½ cents for the latter, when the same wools would have been taken promptly in this market at 18@19 cents.

Messrs. Lamers & Flint report for this week 70,000 pounds sold at full quotations.

Col. J. W. McInnes, a merchant and wool grower from LaSalle county, is in the city. The colonel has made several shipments to Galveston within the past year, and informed me to-day that he was well pleased with his experience in shipping to this market.

W. N. BAXTER.

Boston Wool Market.

Boston Advertiser.

The total receipts of wool at this port during the past week comprise 21,111 bags domestic and 1338 bales foreign, against 26,975 bags domestic and 1786 bales foreign for the same time last year. The total receipts since Jan. 1, 1890, comprise 193,087 bags domestic and 64,222 bales foreign, against 183,792 bags domestic and 96,274 bales of foreign for the corresponding period of 1889.

The sales for the week comprise 1,631,000 lbs of domestic fleece and pulled and 485,000 lbs of foreign, making the week's transactions foot up 2,116,000 lbs against 2,915,500 lbs for the previous week, and 2,582,600 lbs domestic and 162,000 lbs foreign for the corresponding week last year.

The market is not materially different from a week ago so far as the general situation is concerned, but buyers can undoubtedly get better terms. The receipts have been liberal and some houses are getting quite a stock on hand. Taking the market as a whole, however, a fair amount of steadiness prevails and no one seems disposed to force sales in the least. The wants of buyers are small, however, as most mills are running only on part time or else stopping altogether. The former practice of manufacturers was to put in from three to six months' stock of wool at this season of the year, but they now seem to operate more conservatively. No one seems disposed to pile up wool at ruling prices, but buyers are keeping close watch of the market and where they think a lot is cheap they will take it. Most of the bargains being picked up at present are in territory wools, and in them, the only way to get anything off, is what is made in the lighter shrinkage from what the price is based on. The wools sold in the grease are sold on the estimate of what they will shrink in scouring, and to get any the best of the seller, the buyer has to show very good judgment.

The season of liberal receipts is at hand, but so far on the new clip the wools have not come forward as freely as last year. While some Eastern dealers are buying wool in the country they are not operating as freely as in former years. At a price there is no doubt but dealers would be free buyers, but the price that they are prepared to pay is not up to the general views of country sellers. Buyers from the East are looking over the wools in the West and taking any lots that they think can be handled at a profit. The fact that manufacturers who have been buying in the country are now sufficiently supplied to make them less strong competitors, makes the tone there rather easier, and this is giving dealers a better chance. The mills don't seem inclined to stock up and dealers are not disposed to carry the wool without it can be bought low enough to make it appear a safe venture.

The fact that the goods market is unsat-

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isfactory prevents any very exalted feeling in the raw material, and is the principal reason of the present depression. The unsettled condition of the tariff question is causing goods buyers to hold off, and the light weight season opens slow. Until manufacturers get their light weight orders the outlook is for the depression to continue, as no one has anything on which to base their calculations. Manufacturers deplore these tariff agitations, as they unsettle trade for so long a time that even a long period of activity does not obliterate their depressing effects. So long as the present question is unsettled there is a disposition on the part of both buyer and seller to hold off, and in the meanwhile European manufacturers are getting in all of the goods they can before the expected tariff changes go into effect.

Fleece wools are coming along more freely, some fair arrivals of Michigan being noticeable. The market is fairly steady, but it is difficult to sell X Michigan fleeces above 29c. Dealers are asking 30c for choice lots, but buyers are not tempted by any such price and sales have been made at 29c. No. 1 Michigan wools are held at 36@37c, but buyers are not talking over about 35c for clothing and 37c for combings. Delaine wools are quotable at 33@34c for Michigan, with Ohio at 35@36. But few Ohio wools have come along and quotations for such are merely nominal. Unwashed fleeces are well sold up for old wools, and but few new lots have come forward. Indiana and Kentucky ¼ and ¾ blood wools are quiet with prices nominal at 25@28. Maine wools are quiet at about 25@26c for ¼ bloods and 28c for ¾ bloods, while coarse wools sell at about 20@23c. The demand for pulled wool is quiet, but prices hold about steady.

The market in Territory wools is moderate, but new lines are coming forward and opening up more freely. The market is still quoted at about 60@61c scoured for choice fine lots, but it would be difficult to get up strong warp lots below 62@63c except in special instances. Fine medium Territories are quotable at 57@59c, and buyers needing supplies are paying those figures. For medium wools the range is still from 50@54c, good lots bringing about 52@54c. Texas wools are selling at about the same basis as Territories for 12 months' growth, with fine and fine medium 8 months' growth at about 55@58c. California wools are meeting with a moderate sale with prices for choice Northern about the same as Texas.

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A writer in the National Stockman says: When feeding hogs in the same field in which sheep are kept we have found it necessary to use a swinging door to the hog pen to keep the sheep from feeding with the hogs, which they are bound to do, if possible, when once they have tasted the grain. The door we hang from the top, to swing in or out. The hogs soon learn to open it, the sheep never.

The idea is prevalent with many hog growers that the hog does not need shelter other than shade during the summer months, and some are not careful to know that they have an abundance of this. Close observation teaches us that both are important and necessary. Any man that can own a pig and get together enough to fatten him can get something to build a shelter with.

Another matter that is forcibly impressed upon us: Nine-tenths of the hogs bred and fattened for market by the average farmer do not have as much salt as they should. Only the hog saved for it will take an overdose when it is thrown to him. Away with the idea that it is dangerous to salt the hogs! Once a month or week may be, but daily salting is not, provided sufficient quantity is given to meet the requirements of nature.

Swine-Breeding for Profit.

G. W. Berry in Kansas Farmer.

The right kind of foundation stock is the first condition of success. Hogs with broad, level backs, that are deep-bodied, of blocky build, with a tendency to lay on flesh and mature early, are the kind found profitable for feeding purposes. The boar should be compactly and evenly built, with thickness carried well back; he should stand on short legs. The face should be short and broad, indicating a quiet, intelligent disposition. Proud-spirited appearance indicates masculine vigor and prepotency. The sow should be much the same as the boar, but finer. She must not be too fat, but strong and active; and if she is a good feeder and grazer, she will be apt to be a good suckler. By using matured breeders will tend to production of large, even litters, a very necessary condition of profitable breeding. Fat sows bring small squealing pigs that are often not worth raising, if raised at all. A large even litter of pigs is not only a beautiful sight, but a source of profit at selling time.

Do not attempt to correct a fault by mating two extremes. For instance: A sow lacking in breadth of back and hams bred to a boar that is prominent in these parts, but lacking a short, full neck and deficient in heart girth may be as likely to produce pigs very uneven or having the faults of both sire and dam as to correct the faults in either. Breeding a sow with sharp head and small ears to a boar with coarse head and heavy thick ears is likely to produce the extremes in the offspring instead of the medium desired, and the litter will lack evenness. Better have the boar as near right as can be, and if he is thoroughbred he will stamp his qualities on his get.

The sow should be put to breeding at the age of nine to twelve months; then she will be twelve to fifteen months of age at farrowing time. During the yearling form she should raise but one litter, as she will mature and attain better size. Afterward, she may raise two litters each year. The boar should not be used until nine or ten months old, and then sparingly. It is thought by some that a yearling or aged boar gets stronger pigs than under a year old.

The time of farrowing depends upon the time for feeding and marketing the pigs. As a general rule, February pigs are the most desirable for several reasons. They make a rapid growth on summer pasture, and can be matured for market by September or October, when prices are generally better than they are later, or they make splendid hogs by packing time. When two litters a year are raised, the February litter

can be weaned in time for the sow to be bred to farrow again in September, which is perhaps the best month in the year to save a large litter, as the weather is generally pleasant. February is a more reliable month than March for spring pigs, besides having the pigs come early give the sow time to rest and build up before breeding for the fall litter. With good care, the fall pigs will be ready to meet the June market and should weigh 225 to 300 pounds by May or June. When only one litter a year is desired, April is a fine month for farrowing, as the entire growth of the pigs can be made during the warm season of the year, the sow and pigs run on pasture, and all can be fattened together in the fall or before severe winter.

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Lady Montague 23,131, and Prince of Silver Springs 24,271, J. O. Terrell, Terrell, Texas, to C. H. Herrick, Palestine, Texas. Stonewall 24,313, Show Girl's Maid, 24,314 and Western Beauty 24,315, J. O. Terrell, Terrell, Texas, to W. E. Rayner, Rayner, Texas.

Chief of Tarrant 24,283, Willie S. Ikard, Henrietta, Texas, to H. J. Wilson, Fort Worth, Texas.

The Hog in Foreign Politics.

Cincinnati Price Current.

Austria has closed her frontiers to Servian swine. Hogs constitute the principal and, in fact, almost the only article of produce in the Danubian states, and to forbid their importation into and through Austria is to shut them off from every one of their markets. By thus paralyzing Servian trade Austria has shown that she has plenty of resources for bringing the Belgrade government to its senses without burning a single cartridge. Almost every Servian raises hogs, and the infuriated pig-breeders, salesmen, and drovers who constitute the main part of the population are now assailing radical administration and asking where the benefits of muscovite protection and patronage are visible. Dependent as the Servians are on Russia for their religious welfare, they are equally dependent on Austria for their material prosperity—a fact of which they had lost sight since Milan's abdication.

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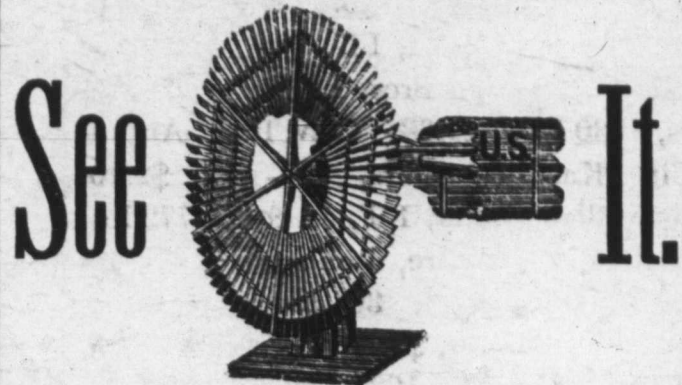
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- Aug. 13, J. W. & C. C. Judy, Shorthorns, Tallula, Ill.
- Aug. 14, H. E. Gardner and S. E. Prather, Shorthorns, Springfield, Ill.
- Aug. 13, J. G. Meyers, Shorthorns, Kalona, Ia.
- Sept. 2-3, C. A. Marsh, Iowa State Fair grounds, Poland-Chinas.
- Sept. 1 to 7, H. B. Sanborn, Southmayde, Tex.
- Sept. 19, E. M. Mertzger, North Manchester, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Sept. 24, J. N. Goldsberry, Homer, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 1, John G. Stewart, Clemmonds Grove Farm, Washington, Iowa, Shorthorn cattle, Poland-China hogs and Cotswold sheep.
- Oct. 1, W. P. Young, Mount Pleasant, Ia., Shorthorns and Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 3, D. P. Shawhan, Rushville, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, W. H. H. Martin, Lebanon, Ind, Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, F. P. Healy, Bedford, Ia., Polann-Chinas.
- Oct. 8, Boone County Swine Breeders' association, on fair grounds at Ogdan, Ia., Poland-Chinas, Berkshires and Durock-Jerseys.
- Oct. 14, Elmer Ross, Muncie, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 15, D. L. Farlow, New Castle, Ind., Poland-Chinas.
- Oct. 16, Hunt Bros., Poland-China swine, Woodstock, Ill.
- Nov. 14, D. Henning, Herefords, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 18, J. V. Grigsby, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 19, Niagara Stock Farm, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 20, W. H. Carlisle, Shorthorns, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 20, Sotham & Stickney, Herefords, Chicago.
- Nov. 21, John S. Godwin, Aberdeen-Angus, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- Nov. 21, Geary & Watson, combination sale, Aberdeen-Angus, Dexter Park, Chicago.
- OHIO AND INDIANA POLAND-CHINA SALE CIRCUIT.
- Sept. 23, Joseph Windship, Rushville, Ind.
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- Sept. 30, Orlando Johnson, Greensburgh, Ind.
- Oct. 1, J. H. Bebout, Rushville, Ind.
- Oct. 2, David Finch, Oxford, Ohio.
- Oct. 3, W. W. Greene, Wallace & Andrews, Burkhardt & Foreman, Oxford, Ohio.
- Oct. 4, J. W. Williams, Bryant, Ind.
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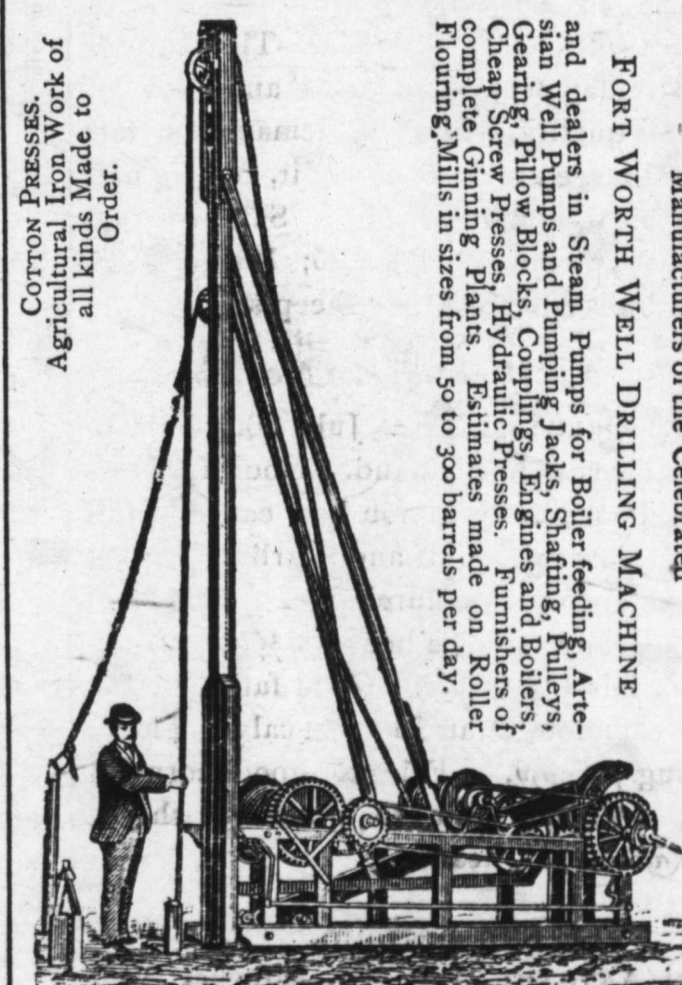
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THE HORSE.

The car-load of Colorado raised Shetland ponies shipped to Washington, D. C., by C. B. Andrews, says the Fort Collins Express, found ready sale at \$600 per pair.

Cheyenne Live Stock Journal.—A. B. Clark last week purchased 138 head of horses from the Hugh McPhee estate. Two cars of them were shipped to Ohio and the balance sent to the Crook county ranch. Mr. Clark also shipped three cars of horses from Newcastle to Ohio.

The Indiana state veterinary surgeon has decided that six fine horses, belonging to Joseph Knapps, who lives five miles south of Vincennes, and is a wealthy farmer, have that dangerous disease known as the glanders. This disaster to Mr. Knapps' fine herd of horses came from a horse he obtained in a trade with a gang of gypsies.

To show what value a popular thoroughbred stallion has after his turf career is ended, the mighty Isonomy who has been in the stud for several seasons and is the sire of, among many others, the flying Seabreeze, has his book filled for the next three years, bringing his owner an income of \$45,000 irrespective of his own mares, and yet if my memory serves me well \$42,500 was his price, after Mr. Gretton's death though Senator Stanford was said to have offered \$100,000 some time previous.

A Montana paper says the other day as Jakey Hoover, Chas. Russell and Mr. Terry were prospecting in the lonely and isolated region of Sheep creek, about twelve or fifteen miles above the head of Antelope creek, they discovered twenty-three head of horses. Three head were dead and the remainder were in various stages of physical strength. They have evidently been there some time and were probably, when they became land-locked, trying to find a passage across the mountains to former ranges in the upper country. We failed to learn their brands.

A farmer near Lawrenceburg, Ind., recently turned out a fine young horse to pasture. The animal made an effort to drink from a spring, but suddenly threw its head high into the air and galloped to its master. After tossing about in terrible agony for a while it fell to the ground. Mr. Yaney went to see what ailed the animal, but found it dying. After death the animal swelled to huge proportions. Upon examining the spring Mr. Yaney discovered a huge adder snake lying in the water. The reptile had bitten the horse in the mouth. The snake was promptly killed and the horse's death explained.

Tyalt, the trained moose owned by Francis Dunlap of Montpelier, Idaho, has trotted a mile in 2:30. Dunlap is eager to match the moose to trot a race of one mile and repeat against any horse in America in the 3:00 class, the stakes to be from \$500 to \$1000 a side. The moose is one of the sporting sensations at Montpelier. Tyalt was lassoed 13,000 feet above the sea at Teton mountains, Wyoming Territory. He is two years and six months old, stands 5 feet 6 inches high, and weighs 600 pounds. He is well broken to harness, can trot single or double, and has shown great speed. He will drop on his knees at command, jump 5 feet in height or over a mustang, and has been trained nineteen months.

A remarkable degree of intelligence and kindness to a stable companion is shown by a horse in Boston. One of the mounted police officers leaves his horse in the stable connected with the station on Blue Hill avenue, near Dudley street, while he answers to the roll-call at noon and again at 6 o'clock. The officer fastens his horse to the post forming one corner at the head of another horse's stall, and as the animal is tied the other picks up a mouthful of hay, forces it through the iron grating about his stall, and waits until his guest has eaten it. Then he repeats the operation, and continues his hospitality until the officer returns for his horse. He began to do this without any suggestions from the men, and he does it twice a day, much to the satisfaction of his visitor. His performance has attracted considerable attention in the neighborhood, and his politeness has won him many friends.

Cattle for England.

The department of state, at the suggestion of Secretary Rush, has effected an arrangement through Minister Lincoln for the appointment of three veterinary inspectors for the purpose of inspecting all American cattle landed in Great Britain. One will be stationed at Liverpool, one at London and one at Glasgow. They will sail from Europe at once.

The secretary says that the restrictions of the British government upon the importation of beef cattle from this country upon the groundless plea of the continued existence of contagious cattle disease in the United States are unjustifiable and have lasted long enough. He now proposes to prove to the satisfaction of the British authorities that no disease exists in this country to warrant these restrictions. If maintained in spite of this evidence some other cause must be assigned for them.

He says further that as soon as legislation now pending was enacted he would institute a thorough system of inspection of cattle for export in this country, and all cattle exported would be so tagged that should disease of any kind be discovered among them by our inspectors at British ports there will be no difficulty in tracing it to its source and determining its true character.

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NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., July 26.—Fair to good beeves in demand. Good fat cows firm. Poor and common beef cattle in full supply, slow sale. Calf and yearling market glutted and prices unreliable. Hogs and sheep steady. Choice beeves 2 3/4@3c; common to fair 1 3/4@2 1/2c. Good fat cows, 2@2 1/4c; common to fair \$9@12; calves, \$4@7; yearlings, \$5@9. Fair to good corn-fed hogs, 4 1/4@5c; fair to good fat sheep, \$2.50@3.50 per head.

San Antonio.

SAN ANTONIO, July 25.—Market well cleaned up of good fat stock, but butchers well supplied for several days. Receipts expected to be light as long as the showers continue, and prospects are good for an improvement in prices. Previous quotations rule: Fat beeves, 1 1/2@2c. per pound; choice fat cows, \$10@12 per head, but they must be really choice fat to command these figures. Common cows, \$7@9 per head. There is no demand for lean cows, but they are quoted at \$6@7 per head. Fat yearlings, \$5@7 per head; fat calves, \$3@5.

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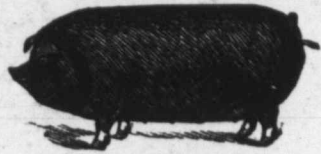
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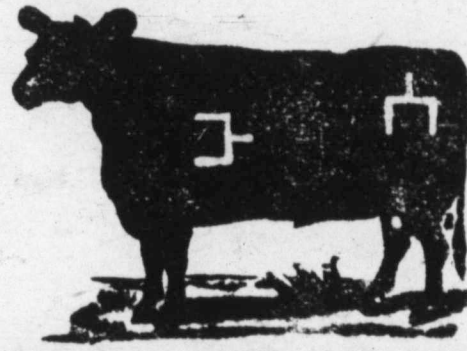
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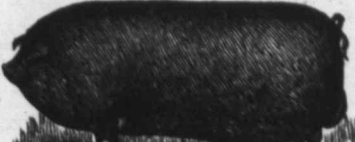
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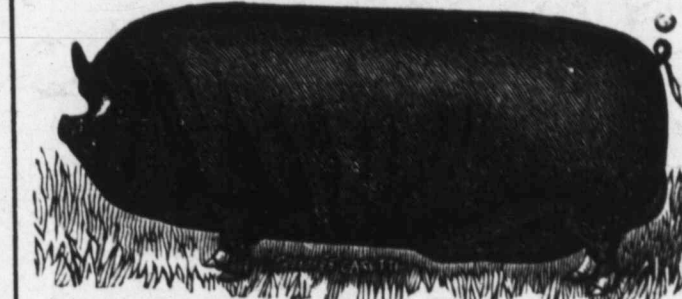
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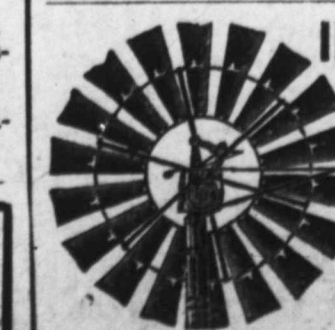
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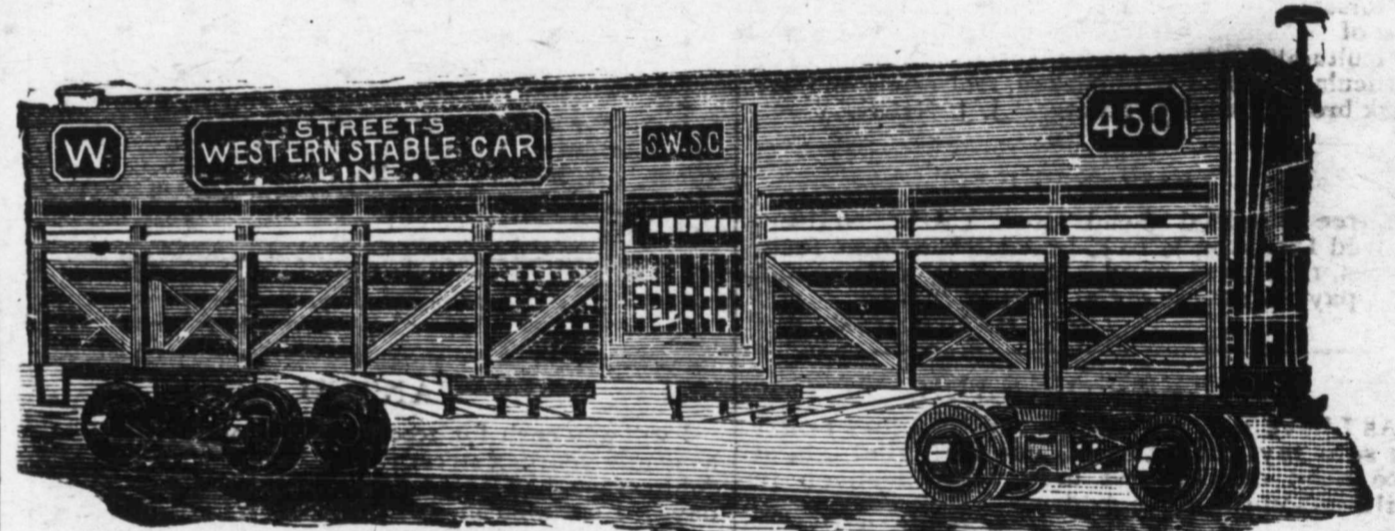
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