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## GOOD PRICES AT AUCTION.

T. F. Bevington is the purchaser of about 1000 head of Texas cattle sold at auction at Sioux City, Ia., recently by the trustee in bankruptcy for the creditors of J. H. Melott, of Oto, Mo. Bevington paying \$16,000 for his purchase, which consisted of Texas two year olds which have spent one winter on the range. It is declared they will be worth at least \$35,000 by this time next year.

## "EXPANSION" AT FORT WORTH.

The best evidence of the growing importance of Fort Worth as a live-stock market is found in the increased receipts. During January only 582 carloads were received, but since then there has been a gradual increase. In June 1603 carloads were received and in July, despite the fact that dullness and low prices prevailed, 1080 carloads came in and were disposed of to the big packers.

## ANTHRAX CAUSES ALARM.

An epidemic of anthrax which has broken out in Southeastern Texas has created much alarm among stockmen. Its outbreak was reported in the Journal of last week, but since that time the disease has spread rapidly and is now found in Harris, Wharton, Austin and Fort Bend counties, which are contiguous territory. Cattle, horses and swine are attacked and scores of deaths have already resulted.

Several men have become inoculated with the disease by skinning infected animals, the attack usually taking the form of malignant carbuncles on face, arms and neck, accompanied by high temperature.

## WORK OF INCENDIARIES.

Capt. W. J. Miller of Big Springs, a member of the Texas legislature, has reported to the state authorities at Austin that many thousands of acres of grazing land in West Texas have been burned over during the last few days, and that the fire was started by incendiaries. The stockmen and farmers of the section are guarding their pastures with armed men. Capt. Miller says that up to the time he left home more than 200,000 acres of grass had been destroyed.

The motive for this wanton destruction of range grasses is not apparent, but it will be checked by the strong arm of the law without delay.

## NEW LIVE STOCK EXPRESS.

The Denver Road has put on a special live stock express, which will leave Amarillo every Sunday morning and arrive at Fort Worth Monday morning in time for the market. On Wednesday morning another special stock train will start from Amarillo, so as to reach Fort Worth in time for the Thursday morning market. These trains will be run so as to accommodate the shippers along the line and save for them as much shrinkage as possible.

In order that adequate shipping facilities may be provided, the live stock agents should be notified of intended movements a day or two in advance.

## HEREFORD ASSOCIATION AFFAIRS.

There is now reported to be a fair prospect for satisfactory adjustment of the American Hereford Breeders' association imbroglio. I. E. Lambert of Emporia, Kas., returned home last week from Chicago, where he represented the association in the taking of depositions in the suit on behalf of the state of Illinois for forfeiture of charter. Mr. Lambert states that while in

Chicago representatives of the nine members of the association who instituted the proceedings met the members of the association who are defending and tentative terms of compromise were agreed upon. The proposition is that the matter of removal of the permanent offices of the association be left in abeyance until the annual meeting of the association in December, when the controversy between the Chicago and Kansas City factions can be arranged by majority vote of the association.

It is believed that this solution of the difficulty will be effected, inasmuch as the meeting will probably take action on the removal question in any event.

The case of the state of Illinois against the association for forfeiture of the charter was set for hearing September 7.

## STEER FEEDING TESTS.

The Journal has received from the Oklahoma experiment station at Stillwater a bulletin on the fattening of steers for market, in which comparisons are made of the value of cottonseed, cottonseed meal, wheat meal and wheat straw and hay. There are thirty-nine pages devoted to a complete report of the tests and the conclusions reached are that where cottonseed is to be used in the ration of cattle, not more than eight pounds of it be fed per day as a maximum amount, and generally four to six pounds will prove more satisfactory. In order to use it in the ration of the fattening steer, it must be fed with other highly nutritious feeds; and preferably those belonging to the nitrogenous group as alfalfa or cowpeas. Also it is desirable to mix the cotton seed with some other grain.

If ground grains or meals or small grain as Kafir corn or wheat are being fed to cattle, more thorough mastication and better results will be obtained if a few pounds of cottonseed are mixed with these feeds although other feeds as cottonseed hulls, some kind of chaffed hay or straw may answer the purpose.

While many steers are fattened in the south on cottonseed meal and cottonseed hulls, there is no doubt but what, as a rule, much better gains would be procured and at a less cost, if some grain such as corn, wheat, Kafir corn were mixed with the cottonseed meal and hulls, and it is a question if a little of some other roughage besides the hulls should not be used for the best and most economical results.

## OKLAHOMA A. & M. COLLEGE.

The twelfth annual report of the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college at Stillwater, just issued, is very complete, containing over seventy pages of matter interesting to farmers and stockmen of the Southwest. Details of the course of instruction are presented and the volume contains a list of and excerpts from bulletins issued by the experiment station experts during the season of 1892-3, together with a statement of what has been done in the way of agricultural development on the college grounds. Copies of the report may be obtained by application to the director, Prof. John Fields.

## DAN PATCH BREAKS RECORD.

Dan Patch broke the world's record for pacers by pacing a mile in 1:59 at Brighton Beach, New York, last Wednesday. It was a most magnificent performance and seemed an impossibility, the wind and the condition of track considered.

## KANSAS IN LINE AT LAST.

A ruling that is of vital importance to Texas cattlemen has just been made by M. C. Campbell, chairman of the Kansas sanitary board, which admits Texas cattle into and through Kansas on government inspection. Heretofore the Kansas board prevented Texas cattle from entering that state even when carrying a clean government certificate of health without first being inspected by the Kansas inspectors. While every cattle state in the west has long since admitted Texas cattle on government inspection, Kansas held out and is the last state to fall in line. As the movement from Texas to Kansas is large, much red tape will be avoided and southern stockmen are correspondingly happy.

## WONDERFUL RANGE GRASS.

If the new grass scientifically developed by Professor W. H. Olin, grass expert at the Iowa Agricultural college, at Ames, will do what he claims for it, millions of acres of the semi-desert land of the western plains of the United States, as well as other millions of acres of the African veldts, the Siberian steppes, the Argentina pampas, and the great unexplored regions of Western Australia, may be converted into the best hay and pasture land in the world. Those who have impartially examined into the experiments and their results, thus far, are convinced that Professor Olin's claims are not too strong.

A modification of what is known as the side oats grama is the grass for which these claims are advanced, after being developed in connection with Professor Olin's studies and experiments with the grasses from all the world's grassy plains. The new grass has been tried on some of the half-arid plains of this country, and thus far has done all that was expected of it.

Next spring these experiments are to be conducted on a much larger scale, and throughout a wider area.

## PRIZE LIS OF THE WORLD'S FAIR LIVE STOCK SHOWS.

The preliminary prize list, classifications and rules and regulations governing the World's Fair live stock shows have been received from Chief F. D. Coburn. They constitute an artistically made book of nearly 200 pages and cover the divisions for horses, asses and mules; cattle, sheep and goats; swine, poultry and pigeons.

The division for horses, ponies, jacks, jennets and mules includes twenty-four classes distributing \$93,640 in cash prizes. The sums given to each class range from \$6205 for thoroughbreds, Percherons and breeds of similar importance—in any of which it is possible for a single animal to win in individual awards \$500—down to \$900 for ponies in harness. The amounts set aside for horses of commerce, business horses and mules aggregate \$7165.

Twenty-one classes are given to cattle and the cow demonstration. The total cash awards in these classes are \$64,030. Shorthorn, Hereford, Aberdeen-Angus and Galloway cattle are each given \$6980, with the other breeds in proportion. Provision is made for a display of catalog, the product of crossing a domestic bull with the female American bison. The cover page of the prize list gives an illustration of the front of the magnificent Shorthorn, Young Abbotsburn, champion bull of the beef breeds at the Columbian.

Sheep have fifteen classes and goats three with a total cash allotment of \$42,809. The Merino types are placed in three classes, being separated into the

wrinkly and Delaine and an intermediate class.

The sum of \$32,186 has been set aside for swine awards, which are arranged in nine classes. Berkshire, Poland-China and breeds of the same standing are given \$5110 each. The lowest sum for any class is \$488.

Cash prizes for poultry make a total of \$11,786. Varieties of poultry with a few exceptions have been divided into three groups according to statistics on total number and valuation. First prizes in these groups range from \$10 to \$6.

Copies of the list may be obtained by address Chief F. D. Coburn, at the World's Fair grounds, St. Louis.

## NEW ENSILAGE DEVICE.

A new ensilage machine has been installed at the North Texas insane asylum in Terrell, which solves the problem of feedstuff for cattle. The machine has a capacity of ten tons per hour. It is operated by electric power furnished from the asylum power plant at very little cost.

Superintendent J. S. Turner has two silos having a capacity of 200 tons each, and another of the same size will be constructed. He intends to cut 600 tons of ensilage this season from a sixty-five acre field of sorghum cane which is growing on the asylum farm. It will require about two weeks to put up the entire 600 tons of feed. Dr. Turner says he regards this feed equal to any other kind of hay feed for cattle.

## TROUBLE IN PROSPECT.

There is likely to be something doing on the Wyoming ranges within a few days. A dispatch from Lander, Wyo., says that John Carmoody, one of the leading sheepmen of that section and recently appointed a state sheep inspector, has notified the cattlemen that he will in ten days move a large band of sheep across the "dead line" established by the cattlemen last fall, to a tract of land leased by him; that he will be prepared to resist any attempt to turn him back, and that he has been guaranteed the protection of the authorities.

A month ago Carmoody appealed to Gov. Chatterton for protection, but he was advised that the governor had no authority and that he would have to look to the county authorities for assistance.

The cattlemen have said all along since trouble was narrowly averted last fall that no sheep would be permitted to cross the "dead line," but Carmoody owns the land he desires to graze on, and, having no other pasture land, he is compelled to assert his rights or go out of business. He will attempt to reach his land about Sept. 1 and it is feared there will be serious trouble for both factions are well armed and determined.

## BELGIUM ADMITS AMERICAN CATTLE.

The government of Belgium has raised the barrier against American live stock, according to the Hamburg exchange. The first shipment in six years has left Baltimore on the steamer English King, and consisted of 150 head of cattle. It is hinted at, that the frequent complaints that reached the government from all parts of Belgium on account of high prices for meats induced it to the action referred to above. It is further evident that by such action the Belgium government finds no sanitary objections which might justify discrimination against American live stock.



**SPRING WHEAT OUTLOOK.**

The crop of spring wheat is now being harvested and is going now upon the market. There is uncertainty as to the yield and it is a waiting market. This is known to all speculators and the bear influence predominates. At this time the country is bullish on wheat and it is well understood that the speculator always supplies that demand. He lives upon such business. It is his policy to force wheat as low as possible that he may encourage trading on an advance. Very few people buy wheat on a declining market but all out trading will invest on an advancing market. The present markets of the country at this time are manufactured. Supply and demand have no influence. It is believed that the present crop of spring wheat is short of requirement, but until more information is heard, buyers are holding off, knowing that a large portion of the crop will be marketed during the next two months and they desire to secure it at as low a value as possible. The foreign demand was never better for both wheat and flour. This month's exports will show a big increase over last. That higher prices will prevail by the first of January or earlier is now assured. The wheat crop of Oklahoma and Texas is not being offered as freely as ten days ago. Fort Worth pays 70c for wagon wheat and Dallas 75c per bushel. All buyers for Oklahoma wheat have to pay 82c for No. 2. This wheat carries with it a division of from 3 to 5c per bushel for southern shipment. Texas wheat today ought not to sell at less than 80c, common points, and September will bring higher values than this price. The mills must have wheat and if they do not pay higher prices it will go out of the country.

**THAT RANGE EXHIBIT DISPUTE.**

More pressure than Chief Coburn of the live stock department at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition ever believed the cattlemen of the west capable of exerting is being brought to bear against the management of the coming show in the hope of bringing about a repeal of the order excluding range cattle in carload lots. Mr. Coburn has displayed considerable tenacity in adhering to his original resolution in the face of so much criticism, but he has been hearing from the live stock interests of the west so frequently of late that the "kicks" surely must have made some impression upon him. D. R. Francis, president of the World's Fair commission, is believed to disapprove of the order and the stockmen are hopeful of his intervention. The popular impression that only "halter-broke" cattle will stand any chance to win a prize is repugnant to the cattlemen of the original Louisiana Purchase, a large part of which is range territory. In reply to the shafts of criticism which have been hurled at his head, Chief Coburn has written a letter to Charles F. Martin, of Denver, from which the following extracts are taken:

"The enterprise at St. Louis is to be an universal exposition, where high quality illustrating breeding types and possibilities, and not mere numbers, will be considered, and its plans are not made with any particular locality, altitude, climate or vegetation singled out for special consideration. Competition open to one is alike open to all, and every exhibitor is privileged to make, if he elects, not one, but two entries in every ring provided for, throughout a classification which for breadth and scope was never before approached.

"In the matter of numbers, 'bunchers,' 'droves' and 'carloads,' the yards at any leading market afford a live stock show, and a good one, every week day in the year, where prizes are awarded daily in the form of top prices to exhibitors of the best, for car loads and even train loads; but the World's Fair of 1904 is on a different scale, for a different purpose, and is not in the slightest degree assuming or wishing to be either an opponent or a competitor of other enterprises so entirely legitimate.

"To the man, whosoever he be, on or off the range (outside of quarantined territory), who has the cattle and the courage to compete, there is for example open for either one of the four breeds opportunity and invitation to enter and exhibit without money and without price eighty-six animals (equivalent to five, six or seven carloads), for 119 cash prizes aggregating \$5900, be-

sides forty diplomas and certificates of commendation."

The principal prizes are then enumerated, and Mr. Coburn continues:

"If the range presents at St. Louis in 1894 the animals of highest merit, pure-bred or grade, male or female, breeders or non-breeders, fat or lean, they will easily secure the highest prizes, and no one will be less dissatisfied than the management here, but no dispensations can be made for them or the range as such.

**HORSES IN THE TERRITORY.**

In an interview at Kansas City last week Wilbur E. Campbell of Tusla, I. T., referred to the Osage Nation, Indian Territory, as one of the best horse breeding sections of the country.

"The climate and other conditions there are adapted to the production of good stock and raising speedy horses will be one of the future great industries of the Indian country," he predicted.

"The cattle business in the Osage pastures this year is the most promising I have known for years. The grass has been good and ample all season, and the stock is in the best possible condition. But the man with a plow is making marks on the prairie every year, and it will not be long before the grazing business there will be over."

**WARFARE ON GLANDERS.**

The live stock sanitary boards of Kansas and Missouri will take joint action to eradicate glanders among horses in the two Kansas Cities. Dr. Luckey, of Columbia, Mo., a member of the Missouri board, has written Governor Bailey to arrange a joint meeting of the two state boards at Kansas City for that purpose. The governor has ordered the members of the Kansas board to take the matter up at once and join with Missouri in some plan to stamp out glanders in the infected district.

**RANGE CATTLE SELL WELL.**

Cows shipped from the Figure 8 ranch of S. B. Burnett, in west Texas, brought fancy prices on the Kansas City market last week. The commission firm selling the cows wrote Mr. Burnett that they were the best that had been shipped to that market this season from the southwest. One of the carloads weighed an average of 870 pounds and brought \$2.50 per 100 pounds. Two cars weighed 810 pounds and sold for \$2.30. The cows were cutbacks from this spring's herd, and were refused stuff on account of old age and off colors. The cows brought as much as 940-pound steers on the market the same day.

**FEATURES AT THE FAIR.**

The Texas State Fair management has just got out a pamphlet descriptive of the broncho riding contests which will occur daily at this year's State Fair at Dallas, which will open September 26th.

A list of handsome premiums have been provided with the design of bringing together the best riders in the state of Texas—the state that has set the standard of horseback riding for the whole world.

Tom Privett, of San Angelo, and a company of reckless centaurs gathered together by him will appear daily and present exhibitions of horsemanship that are even novel to Texas audiences.

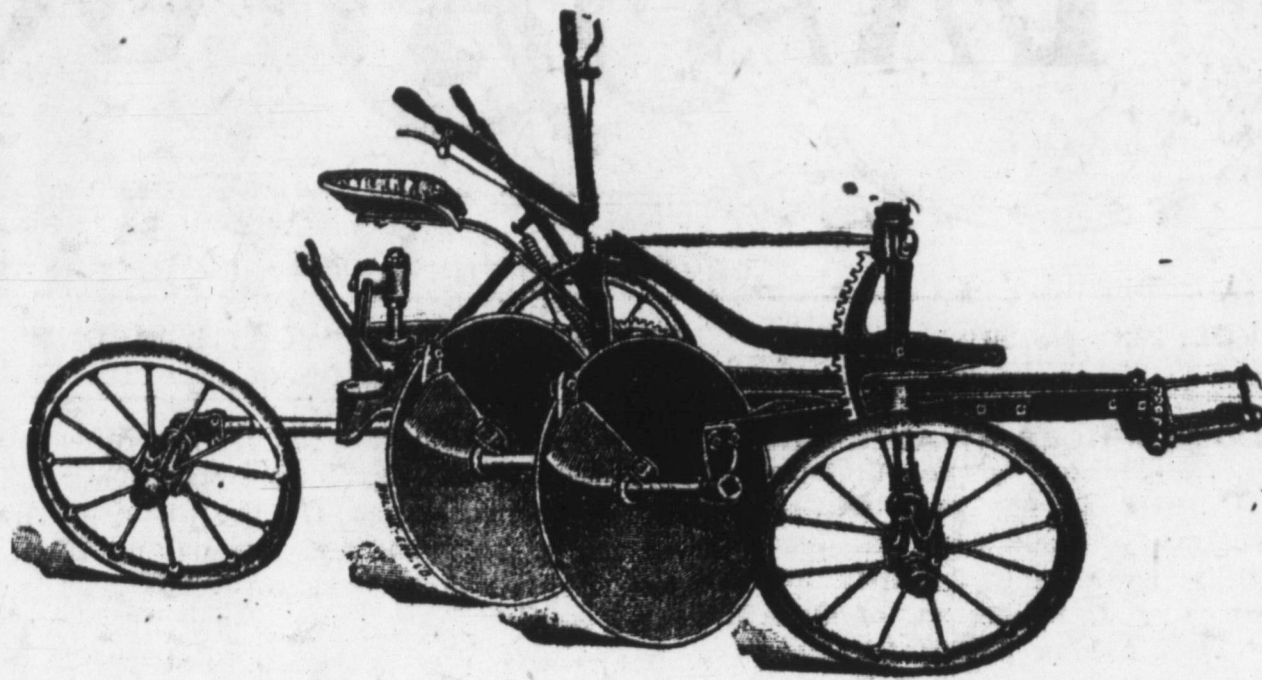
Diavolo, the fearless bicycle rider, will daily loop-the-loop, and Black Diamond, the wonderful racing ostrich, will meet any horse brought forward in a competition of speed.

The Texas State Fair association received a copy of the Portland (Ore.) Journal of August 10th, which gives a lengthy account of Diavolo's remarkable feat and mentions a score of names of would-be imitators of this daring rider. It states that they had the courage to attempt the almost impossible feat. It states that they had the courage, but lacked the skill; hence, they were all now either dead or crippled as a result of their reckless defiance of the well known laws of gravitation.

The prizes in the riding contests offered by the Texas State Fair are: First prize, \$500; second prize, \$250; third prize, \$150; and a consolation prize of \$100. All information concern-

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ing the contests will be furnished on application to the Texas State Fair.

**THE DAY RANCH AND ITS WONDERFUL RESOURCES.**

Perhaps in all the state of Texas there is not a property whose history is more interesting than that of what is well known at the Day ranch in Coleman county. In 1879 Col. W. H. Day, one of the most far-seeing cattlemen in the state, saw the necessity of each cattleman owning the grass upon which his herd would graze instead of using free grass, as was then in vogue, began to buy and fence the above ranch. He had investigated all of the West, and from the whole Western part of the state he selected the Southwest corner of Coleman county, owing to its beautiful running streams of water, fine mesquite grass, good wood for fire and posts, fine building material of all kinds right there (it was then 200 miles from any railroad), plenty of natural protection for stock, fine farming lands and in the rain belt. Being strictly a cattleman, he did not let the mineral prospects appeal to him, and as his cowboys would burn the oil rocks which are so abundant there in order to make a brighter light than the mesquite wood did, he would laugh and say he would not give one acre of that fine grass for all the coal or oil they would find on his ranch. He believed it was a country that would attract the railroads very soon, and it has since developed that the Santa Fe railroad has built within six miles and the Frisco fifteen miles of this same ranch. Coal is being developed just below it and salt works are in operation just east of it. Oil has been found in wells drilled for water on it and around it. There are 60,000 acres in this ranch, and while Col. Day lived but two years after beginning to secure this vast property, his widow took up his work where he left off, and she and their only child, Miss Willie Day of Dallas, still own this property. Col. Day's widow, after several years, married Capt. J. C. Lea of Roswell, N. M. Col. Day left this estate very heavily encumbered, and owing to the fact that there was a sharp decline in the price of cattle about that time, it was no easy thing for his property to have been held intact all these years, but because of the very fact that it was such a superior holding for cattle purposes it has always commanded the very best rent, and as interest in the state has been continually going down and leases higher, Mrs. Lea has been able to hold it till now. It is in great demand by the farmers in middle Texas who want to get more land for their children, and who know that stock farming is the thing and that West Texas is the place for it. Mrs. Lea proposes now to cut this valuable property up in sizes to suit the applicant, and in this way greatly assist in developing that section of the country. In order to show prospective purchasers what that section would do, she last fall leased to farmers instead of cattlemen about 1000 acres, and now has the finest cotton, corn, millet, sorghum, milo maize, wheat, oats and other crops to show. No one looks at that section but to wish to remain there. Cotton yields from one-half to one bale to the acre, and one man can cultivate three times as much in that land as he can in the black waxy belt. Owing to the fact

that cattlemen have had full possession of this section for grazing purposes only, the price of land has not gone up yet, so one can sell in middle Texas and go just a little west now and get from four to ten acres for one. The altitude of this property is about 1500 feet, the climate most seductive, abundance of good water for both man and beast. Vegetables and fruits grow most luxuriantly. A visit to the Criswell farm which joins this ranch will convince one that he can have a farm equal to any in the old states and superior to them in many respects. On Mr. Criswell's table you will find beef, hog, sheep, goat, chicken, turkey, wild game of all kinds, fish raised and procured right at home, honey, pickles, preserves and jellies from the products of the farm. Cattle can go through the winter without any feed whatever except the native grass but it has been demonstrated that 'tis better to feed and keep them fat so all necessary feed can be raised right there.

Among the advantages which this locality possesses are entire absence of the boll weevil, proximity to a rail road and therefore within easy reach of the Fort Worth packing houses, also the port of Galveston. It is a splendid townsite proposition, as Abilene is distant fifty miles to the north, Brownwood forty miles east, Brady forty miles south and San Angelo fifty miles west. There are strong oil indications and the inducements offered for colonization can not be surpassed. Irrigation of the low lands for rice culture would be practicable, as seventy miles of fresh water are available.

**HOW MANY BUSHELS OF WHEAT DID YOU RAISE TO THE ACRE?**

If you wish to raise wheat profitably, or in fact anything in Texas, you must have the right kind of seed. The seed wheat grown on the 101 Ranch, Indian Territory, is giving the yield and quality. Quality and quantity is what you want. The good farmer will plant only the very best seed, as the preparing of the soil and harvesting a poor crop costs just as much as for a good one.

Just stop and figure a little. Seed wheat of the ordinary kind at say 60 cents per bushel for 100 acres will cost \$90. A crop of 15 bushels per acre on 100 acres will be 1500 bushels; at 60 cents, \$900. Cost of putting in and harvesting \$5 per acre. Net profit, \$400.

Plant 101 Ranch Seed on 100 acres at \$1.35 per bushel. It will cost about \$134. Yield on 100 acres at 32 bushels per acre, 3200 bushels. At 60 cents per bushel, \$1920. Cost of harvest, threshing, etc., at say \$6 per acre (because it costs more to thresh 32 bushels per acre than 15 bushels per acre) \$600. Net profit on 100 acres, \$1320 by using new, vigorous seed from 101 Ranch.

Profit made by using good seed over poor seed, \$920. Now, why not make this \$900, besides having good seed to

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Address, the Texas Seed and Floral Co., 327 Elm St., Dallas, Texas.



**FARMERS' DAY AT INTERNATIONAL FAIR.**

As is known to most Journal readers, the Texas Farmers' Congress at its last meeting passed a resolution postponing the awarding of the corn prizes offered yearly by the congress until fall on account of corn being late and on vote of the executive committee this award was to be made and corn shown at the San Antonio International Fair to be held October 17th to 28th.

The corn prizes are as follows:  
 1st—Best acre of corn grown upon one acre of black land unfertilized .....\$25.00  
 2nd—Best acre of corn grown upon one acre of sandy or chocolate land, unfertilized .....\$25.00  
 3rd—Best acre of corn grown upon one acre of black land, fertilized .....\$25.00  
 4th—Best acre of corn grown upon one acre of sandy or chocolate land, fertilized .....\$25.00  
 5th—Best five ears of corn .....\$25.00, \$10.00, \$5.00  
 Special premium offered by Tom Frazier of Kopperl, Tex:  
 One pair of Duroc Jersey pigs for best acre of corn grown on black land unfertilized, and  
 One pair of Duroc Jersey pigs for best acre of corn grown on sandy or chocolate land, unfertilized.

The Executive Committee of the Texas Farmers' Congress will meet on "Farmers' Day" during the S. A. International Fair and pass on this corn. As Texas has one of the most magnificent corn crops on record this year there ought to be hundreds of entries in the above contest. Farmers' Day at the Fair ought to see one of the largest gatherings of farmers ever brought together in the state for there will be speaking by a number of men prominent in agricultural interests in the state. And the agricultural exhibit promises to be the best ever shown in the state and worth coming hundreds of miles to see.

**DUROCS AT ROYAL SHOW.**

The managing committee of the Duroc-Jersey department of the swine division of this year's American Royal livestock show, which will be held at Kansas City Oct. 19-24, has issued its regulations and premium list. The committee is composed of O. W. Browning, Newton, Ia., superintendent; Robert J. Evans, El Paso, Ill., secretary of the National Duroc-Jersey Record association; C. C. Kell, Ladora, Ia.; Aaron Jones, Jr., South Bend, Ind.; J. B. Davis, Fairview, Kan.; H. B. Loudon, Clay Center, Neb., and J. C. Woodburn, Maryville, Md. The committee makes the following announcement:  
 "The preliminary arrangements completed for the National show of Duroc-Jerseys in connection with the American Royal livestock show at Kansas City assures it to be an event of unusual importance in the history of the breed. The cash premiums provided are much larger than at any of the State fairs, and while the money consideration is secondary in importance, it will no doubt be an additional inducement to exhibitors. The Royal show has been extensively advertised for several years, and the success of

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our show last year on very short notice is proof that breeders of Duroc-Jerseys are alive to the advantages to be gained by attending this great stock contest. The display of cattle, horses, sheep and other breeds of swine will attract large numbers of prospective purchasers, and no breeder interested in the increased revenue from his investment in Duroc-Jerseys can afford to neglect this opportunity of assisting in making a good showing along with the other breeds. We, as a managing committee, urge you to do all that is possible to make it a great success."

The prizes of the Duroc-Jersey department will be awarded by Aaron Jones, Jr., J. B. Davis and H. B. Loudon, members of the managing committee. The prize list is as follows:

1. Boar, two years old or over, first, \$20; second, \$10; third, \$7.
2. Boar, twelve months old and under twenty-four months, first prize, \$15; second, \$8; third, \$6.
3. Boar, six months, and under twelve months, first prize, \$12; second, \$9; third, \$5.
4. Boar, under six months, first prize, \$10; second, \$7; third, \$5.
5. Sow, two years old or over, first prize, \$20; second, \$10; third, 5.
6. Sow, twelve months old and under twenty-four months, first prize, \$15; second, \$10; third, \$4.
7. Sow, six months and under twelve months, first prize, \$12; second, \$9; third, \$5.
8. Sow, under six months, first prize, \$10; second, 7; third, \$5.

**CHAMPIONS.**

9. Championship boar, any age, first prize, \$20.
10. Championship sow, any age, first prize, \$20.

**HERD PREMIUMS.**

11. Boar and three sows, over twelve months, first prize, \$20; second, \$10; third, \$5.
12. Boar and three sows, under twelve months, first prize, \$20; second, \$10; third, \$5.
13. Four pigs, under six months, produce of same sow, first prize, \$15; second, \$9; third, \$4.
14. Four swine, get of same boar, bred by exhibitor, first prize, \$15; second, \$9; third, \$4.

**COULDN'T PASS "INSPECTION."**

The story comes from Leavenworth, Kan., that James S. Good, a wealthy cattleman of Navarre, Tex., and Miss Andrews of Covington, Ky., who had won each other's heart by mail through the medium of a matrimonial bureau, met at the courthouse to be married. Each had what purported to be a photograph of the other, and it was expected that the recognition would be mutual. But it wasn't.

The two wandered through the corridors for three hours without a suspicion as to the true state of affairs. Finally both made inquiries of the marriage license clerk and thus they met.

The Texan gasped when he realized that the plump, none-too-fair maiden before him had for four months been the object of his heart's desire, and reflected that she had letters from him which would give her a verdict without a jury leaving the box.

The maiden, too, was apparently a bit disappointed in her cavalier. "She drew his photograph from her pocket, looked first at it and then at the Texan, finally remarking, evidently deferring to the photographer:  
 "Well, I don't see how he ever did it."

This broke the ice and in three minutes the matrimonial deal was off and there will be no breach of promise suit.

"I am not pretty myself," Miss Andrews remarked, "and would not expect too much in a husband, but no woman under 50 in her right mind could marry that man."  
 She wasn't much on looks, was she?" was the Texan's only comment.

**FARMERS' CONVENTION CALLED.**

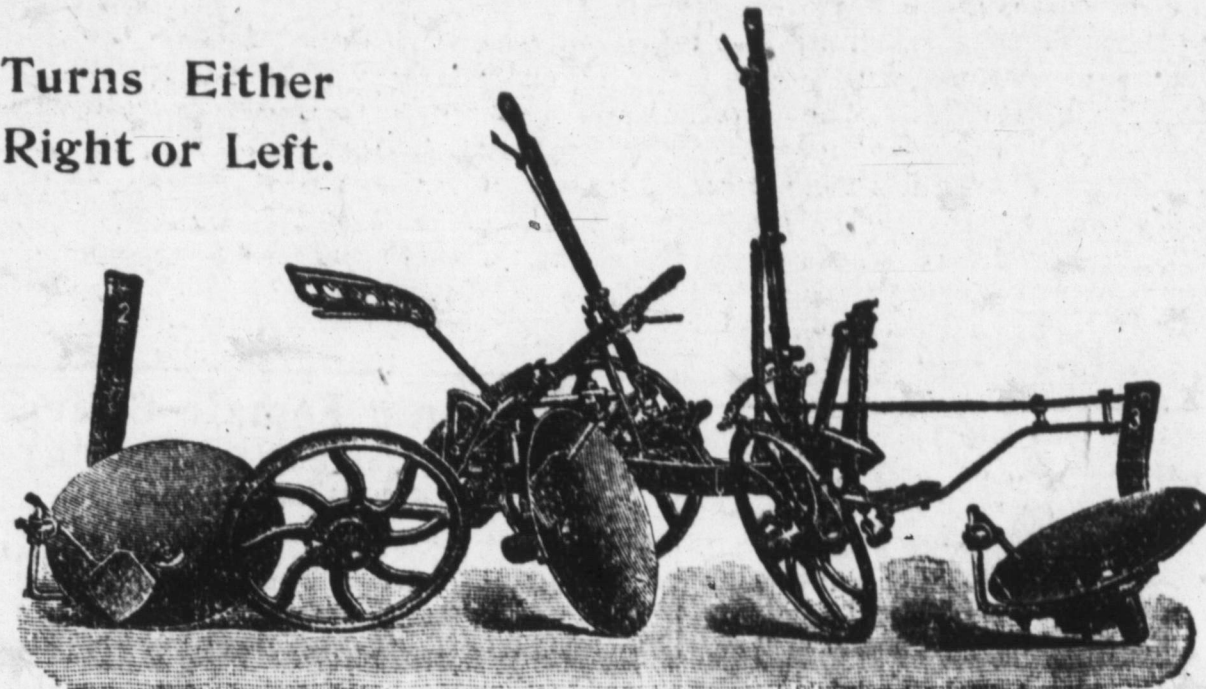
At a conference held in Chicago last Wednesday, plans for combining farmers, fruit growers, dairymen and all other producers of natural food products into one national organization, were considered. Several co-operative associations, including the American Society of Equity,

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were represented. The movement has for its purpose the maintaining of prices; the control and distribution of products and the saving of large sums of money paid in commissions. The plan under consideration contemplates the erection of grain elevators and cold storage warehouses in all parts of the country. It was decided to hold a farmers' convention at the Grand Pacific hotel in Chicago on Sept. 8 to consider detailed plans of organization.

The call is signed by Robert D. Lindbloom, president of the Farmers' National Co-operative Exchange, Chicago; J. A. Everitt, president of American Society of Equity, Indianapolis, and D. L. Wilson, representing the dairy interests, Elgin, Ill.

**TELLS WHERE THE WHEAT IS.**

An interview with J. A. Minnerly of Drop, Tex., published in the Denton Record and Chronicle last week, throws some light on the status of the grain crop in his locality and demonstrates the far reaching influence which the movement for dollar wheat inaugurated by the American Society of Equity is having upon the farmers. "I have an answer for the wheat man who several days ago was asking through the press the question, 'Where is the Texas' wheat crop?'" He said, "The crop is in the hands of the raisers. Only the surplus has been sold in most cases in my section of the country, that is, only that for which they had no room in their grainaries, and this condition holds true, I believe, in other sections as well. We are holding for a better price and we will get it, as, coming to town to-day I was offered 2 cents a bushel above the market price if I would contract to deliver 500 bushels next week."

**CATTLE PRICES ADVANCE**

When the cost of fresh beef to retailers advanced recently without a corresponding increase in the prices paid for cattle on the hoof, stockmen thought that things looked a little queer and began to hold back their marketable steers. There have been some threats of carrying the stock over until next year. When receipts of good cattle at the leading markets began to fall off the packers seemed to realize that the raisers meant business. The effect has been a sharp advance. At Chicago, last week, the syndicate buyers bid 10 to 15 cents higher than the quotations which had previously prevailed and the rise was reflected at most other markets. This, it is hoped by the killers, will obviate the threatened scarcity of supplies. Those who are well posted in conditions which prevail at the northern live stock centers are predicting that prime beefs will sell at \$7 per hundred weight inside of two months. In anticipation of a further advance, stockmen will be in no haste to market their finished cattle.

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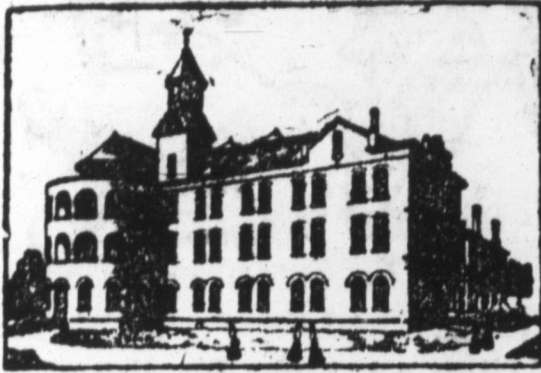
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### CAUSE AND CURE OF COLIC.

One of the most fruitful cases of colic is the too common habit of allowing horses to partake of large draughts of water immediately after finishing a feed of oats. This is the opinion of a prominent veterinary authority. There is no surer way of generating an attack of colic than this, the reason being that when a large quantity of water is thus imbibed it has the effect of carrying with it out of the stomach and into the intestines some of the freshly eaten grain. This grain, being still in a raw and undigested condition, its effect when it reaches the intestines is to give rise to the irritation and inflammation which are the immediate causes of the colic. In dealing with cases of this kind the most obvious course to adopt is to take precautions to prevent the animals from drinking large quantities of water under the circumstances just referred to. When an animal falls a victim to an attack of colic, the best thing to do is to administer a dose consisting of one ounce of laudanum and two ounces of sweet spirits of nitre along with half pint of whisky in some hot water. Very often simple cases of colic yield to the administration of a couple of ounces of cooking soda, diluted with water, and given as soon as the first symptoms of the attacks are noticed. Should the administration of this cooking soda fail to give the desired relief, no time should be lost in following it up with the laudanum and spirits of nitre already suggested.

### SUMMER CARE OF BROOD MARES.

Breeders of horses should see to it at this time of the year that much caution is exercised with brood mares if it becomes necessary to take one or two from the pasturage and put them in the harness, warns Breeders' Gazette. On a well regulated farm even, there may come a time in the harvest and haying season when horse power is short, and then there is nothing to do but to take up one or more of the mares which have been running in the field nursing colts perhaps all summer long. Obviously such mares must be very soft, and while, perhaps, a competent man driving them may prevent any injury to the mares themselves, a little carelessness may result in the loss of the foals or in the permanent reduction of their value. Nothing is much worse for a foal than to suck its fill of milk from a mare that is very warm and a little excited from having had to work

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when not accustomed to it. Every mare which runs in the field with her offspring doing nothing but nursing it and eating, frets very much when put into the harness, even if well treated herself. To let the foal suck the full of such a mare's udder is to run grave risks of killing the youngster by setting up a violent attack of scours. The mare that has not worked at all during the hot weather must of necessity, when again put in the harness, get very hot, and when in that condition her milk is not fit food at all for her young. She ought to be milked dry, and then a new supply will form after she has cooled down. This the foal may safely imbibe. Foals confined in the stable under such circumstances may be fed a little cow's milk and plenty of grain. They will get along all right on the grain alone, but if they take kindly to the cow's milk they may have more of it with good results.



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**STOCK YARD NOTES.**

E. G. P. Kellum had in from Clifton 26 steers averaging 1015 pounds which brought \$3.15.

F. B. Gallion of Arapahoe, O. T., sold last Thursday 74 hogs averaging 199 pounds, at \$5.85.

B. N. Gilbert had in a load of 69 hogs which averaged 205 pounds and topped the market at \$5.95 last Friday.

A. J. Roe was in Saturday from Benbrook with 28 steers which averaged 1020 pounds and brought \$3.15.

M. J. Coulter of Fairfax, O. T., had in 79 head of good quality hogs which averaged 233 pounds and sold at \$5.85.

S. B. Davis had in from Big Springs last Friday a load of sheep and goats mixed. He sold 10 bucks, 110 pounds, at \$2.50.

W. Moore of Weatherford, Ok., had in 66 head of hogs which averaged 235 pounds and sold to the Alamo Dressed Beef Co., of San Antonio at \$5.85.

Since the improved service was put on the Santa Fe and Denver roads, shipments from west Texas have been increasing at a rapid rate and the stock gets to market in excellent shape.

N. E. Finney was in from Kaufman in charge of a shipment of cattle from M. Cartwright, last Thursday. He sold 24 steers averaging 1043 pounds at \$3.60; 24 averaging 1058 pounds, at \$3.60.

A. J. Pannell had three loads of well finished steers on Saturday's market. He sold 36 head, averaging 956 pounds, at \$3.20, and 34 head of 962-pounders, at \$3.15, topping the market.

Carter & Kellum of Clifton had in last Friday 54 head of good quality steers, 27 of which averaged 1022 pounds and sold at \$3.15. The other 27 head averaged 1009 pounds and brought \$3.10.

Among those who marketed calves Saturday were Harrell and Company of Seymour, who had in 24 195-pounders, which brought \$3.25, and N. W. Waddell of Odessa, who sold 89 190-pounders at \$3.00.

C. E. Stewart was in with a wagon load of fancy porkers last Friday, and they brought a juicy price. Three head of which averaged 223 went at \$5.80 and twenty-two, which averaged 195, were marketed at \$5.75.

Mr. Mankins, of the firm of Mankins & Lazarus of Holliday, was on the market last Thursday with fifty calves, averaging 210 pounds, which sold at \$3; 20 calves, 338 pounds average, at \$2.25, besides some cows which sold at a fair price.

E. D. Farmer of Aledo, who is extensively interested in Fort Worth real estate, marketed last Thursday 49 head of cake and grass fed steers, 1140 pounds average, which sold as "toppers" at \$3.95. Mr. Farmer is doing his share towards building up the livestock center of the state.

There is complaint about a scarcity of well finished grassers and fed steers on this market. Some really good stuff

would bring an even better price than the northern livestock centers are able to offer, shrinkage and costs considered, as good stock is plentiful at Chicago and St. Louis.

**MISCELLANEOUS STOCK NOTES.**  
There have been heavy losses of cattle and mules from charbon in the vicinity of Jennings, La.

Windrow Payne of San Angelo sold his flock of sheep last week to J. J. Sheppard and Dr. Comegys at \$2.25 to \$3.25.

W. J. Mason of Mills county has purchased from J. R. Chambers and Son of Sterling county, twenty-two mares at \$27 per head.

The William McIntosh spring clip of Merino wool, stored at Albuquerque, N. M., was purchased last week by a Boston buyer at top figures. It consists of nearly 200,000 pounds.

Commenting upon the ruling of Chief Coburn in excluding range cattle from the St. Louis World's fair John Sparks, governor of Nevada, who is native to the soil of Texas, said the other day: "Mr. Coburn's plan would practically shut the entire West and Southwest out of the show ring, and I am of the opinion it would also cause a great many fancy breeders to withdraw their blooded show herds from the grounds, as their animals are intended to improve all beef breeds and demonstrate the effect that they have improved the range steers by fitting them in car lots and exhibiting them at the great show, and they should not be cut out of this grand opportunity."

Panhandle livestock conditions are thus briefly summarized in a late issue of the Champion, published at Amarillo: "Including the rain of Thursday night, the total rainfall for August has been 3.39 inches. The rainfall for the whole month of July was 3.39 inches and has already been exceeded by that of August before half the month has passed. The grass in this locality has been kept green by the continued rains, and if the cold weather holds off long enough, stock cattle are sure to be in fine shape to withstand a severe winter. At present the plains country is a delight to the eye of the many visitors from abroad, and a constant source of satisfaction to the ranchman whose cattle graze over it."

**CATTLE SALES**

Charles Schnaubert and James Holland of Sonora bought 73 Jersey cows from C. G. Lovelace last week, at \$15 per head. The purchasers expect to embark in the dairy business.

The Kuykendall ranch yearling Durhams, raised in San Saba county, sold this year at \$12 per head. G. J. Gray and Sons disposed of their yearlings at the same figure.

Some little trading in stock cattle is reported from the Hereford country, the prices paid being \$20 for dry cows and \$25 for cows and calves.

A. S. Hawkins of Midland sold to H. C. Myles, of El Paso, a carload of fat cows for \$19 net, delivered at Mohahans. This looks up as one of the best deals of the season in that section.

Any who are in arrears to the Journal should lose no time in "paying up" and getting in line for a valuable present. Read all about it on page 16, then act.

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"I like to let the pigs run with their dams until at least eight weeks old, and longer, if there is a scarcity of skimmed milk. It is hard to raise good pigs with properly developed stomachs without milk, and at the same time it is better and more economical to raise pigs on soaked corn and milk than with milk alone, no matter how plentiful the milk may be. As soon as it will do after farrowing I feed the sows to their full capacity so there may be an abundance of milk for the pigs. They are given a good range with plenty of vegetation, and as soon as the little fellows manifest a disposition to eat they are given a little soaked corn in a low trough apart from the sows. The feed is increased as they seem to demand it, but I never allow them more than they will eat up clean. Keeping up a good appetite is of great importance. As soon as they will drink sweet milk they should be given just a little less than they will eat.

"When the pigs are eight or ten weeks old, if fed in this way, they can be weaned, and will hardly notice the change. They have not been nursing so much and the sow has been gradually drying up in milk, leaving the udder in good condition. I usually leave a couple of pigs with her for a week or so until the sow is dry and then get them out in the field where they can get the sun as much as possible. There is nothing like sunlight to vitalize plants or animals, for darkness means death, as bacteria alone thrive in darkness.

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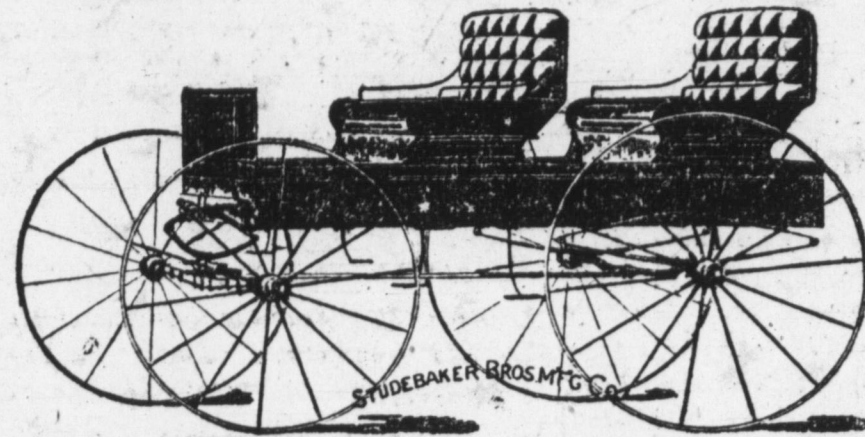
"I hear some farmers say that they hate hogs for they are eternally in mischief and always squealing. A breed of hogs that would not squeal when hungry I would not have. At the same time there is little difference in the squealing as between different breeds if they are well fed. The stomach should be well developed to do its work. A contented pig is as peaceable and profitable an animal as one can have on the farm, but no animal is contented nor can it thrive unless it has plenty to eat, a clean place to sleep, and a chance to exercise. Bone and muscle must be developed in the pig if he is to make a good hog. It requires as much judgment and care to raise good pigs as anything else."

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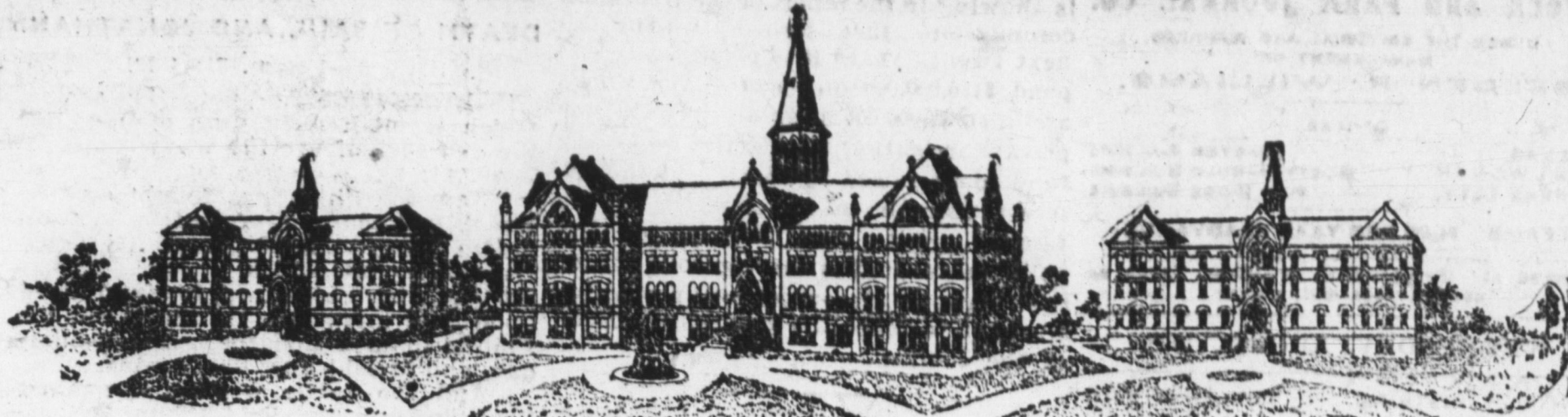
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After everything else has been said about the "oleo" and "anti oleo" contentions, plain justice demands that no food product should be permitted to cloak under false colors.

Tests of boll weevil remedies which have so far taken place in Texas seem to demonstrate the superiority of the cultural method. By keeping the hardy little insects "stirred up" all the time they don't have time to propagate.

Late reports are to the effect that the corn crop will be considerably larger than was anticipated earlier in the season. In some parts of Kansas, which were devastated by the floods, necessitating replanting, timely rains have been of material benefit.

Horse raising is becoming an important industry in the territories, equines having displaced cattle in the estimation of several large breeders. There is a good market for the former and the fact that beef on the hoof is "way down at present had considerable influence.

The process of teaching farming by mail is advertised by a "correspondence college" of Sioux City, Ia. This is nothing new. The agricultural papers which reach all parts of the country through the post have been giving instruction in farming for half a century or more.

With the gradual encroachment of the white farmer and stockman, Poor Lo is finding the ancient stamping ground of his race an inhospitable country. A large colony of Indians is about to immigrate to Mexico and establish a large agricultural community between Victoria and Monterey. It is stated that this is a forerunner of a general exodus which will remove hundreds of Kiowas, Comanches and Apaches from the United States.

One of the last official acts of General Nelson A. Miles deserves unstinted commendation. Shortly before his retirement he issued an order forbidding the docking of tails among army horses. General Miles regarded the practice as brutal and unnatural, an opinion in which all right thinking men should concur. The caudal appendage, as constructed by the divine architect, adds beauty and symmetry to the appearance of our equine friends and cannot be improved by mutilation.

The over zealousness of the federal live stock authorities in arresting George Miller and his associates of the famous "101" ranch on insufficient charges of violating the inspection laws, is to have a sequel. Mr. Miller resents the unpleasant notoriety to which he has been subjected and after his dismissal by the court, inaugurated suit for \$20,000 damages against Colonel Albert Dean for false arrest. The Colonel would have shown better judgment had he acted on Davy Crockett's advice—"be sure you're right, then go ahead."

That facilities for hog raising in Texas are as good as in any State or territory of the southwest can not be disputed, but it is an equally well established fact that most of the "market toppers" that find their way to the Fort Worth market are shipped from Oklahoma points. Why is this? Perhaps it is because the farmers did not awaken to the possibilities of swine breeding until after the big packing houses were in full operation and for the additional reason that many of the good new herds have not matured. This being the case, Texas ought to show better results during the coming fall.

An intelligent conception of what the British government is doing to relieve the famine stricken districts of India is showing in the report of the irrigation commission, just issued. During the next twenty years it is proposed to expend \$150,000,000 on protective works and also \$2,000,000 annually in loans for private irrigation works, the necessary fund to be raised by loans and the interest thereon to be charged to the famine grant. The keynote of the policy advocated is the vigorous use of the national resources on protective works to increase the general resources of the country.

## A LESSON FOR THE FARMERS.

There is a growing sentiment among employers of labor all over the country in favor of "fighting fire with fire." They are beginning to realize that the men who work for them have had things their own way of late and, through compact organization, have dictated the terms for which they would continue service. Those who foot the bills had to give in, or the wheels of progress were clogged. The reaction was bound to occur sometime, and it has already begun, superinduced, no doubt by disclosers in New York which showed that certain agitators had the inside track going and coming—they collected from the workers to defray the "expenses" of strikes and from the captains of industry for bringing about an adjustment. The manufacturers and directors of various enterprises are now getting together for the purpose of resisting arbitrary demands. There is a lesson in all this for the farmers. It should demonstrate to them how difficult is the task of getting fair treatment without cohesive effort. All other interests have combined for their own protection and, what is more important, those who have interests in common stand steadfastly together and work unitedly for the accomplishment of an end. Reforms of this character are not to be accomplished through political action, but by organization and intelligently directed co-operation. In prosperous years, such as this, the producers have no excuse for failure to accomplish the ends sought. They are not compelled to sell their grain and cotton at a sacrifice. Proceeds from earlier crops have supplied them with sufficient funds to tide over several months and those who are holding for better prices are able to view any temporary decline of the market with complacency.

## BETTER SEED IS NEEDED.

While so much publicity is being given to the efforts now under way for the purpose of devising effective methods of dealing with the boll weevil problem, something should be said about the prime importance of securing healthy seed in the first place. As seeds are the basis upon which the very existence of the plant depends, how important it is that these germs of life should be free from contamination! And yet, very little attention is usually given to this important detail. Selection is made from the product of a field which, the season before, may have been infested with destructive insect pests and nothing wrong is thought of it at the time. Later on, the weevil begins to get in his work and grows wonder how he found his way to their land. This can be easily explained, if they will recall that they took no precautions to exclude him at the outset. With the seeds of cotton planted were also the seeds of the weevil, requiring only congenial soil in which to hatch out and resume the work of destruction where their progenitors left off. Gradually the affected district is becoming larger, extending to the north and east. As yet no effective measures have been taken to check the blight while searching for a remedy. This is all wrong. If the planters would inaugurate the policy of procuring new seed each year from the cotton producing sections in which no trace of the weevil or boll worm has ever appeared, the new crops would start out with everything in their favor. Some enterprising seedmen could not do better than to give this matter serious attention. There is a growing demand for good foundation stock and steps should be taken to meet the want without delay.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

## DEATH OF SAUL AND JONATHAN.

Sept. 6.—1 Sam. 31: 1-13.

**GOLDEN TEXT.**—There is a way which seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death. Prov. 14: 12.

1 Now the Philistines fought against Israel, and the men of Israel fled from before the Philistines, and fell down slain in mount Gilboa.

2 And the Philistines followed hard upon Saul and upon his sons; and the Philistines slew Jonathan, and Abinadab, and Melchishua, Saul's sons.

3 And the battle went sore against Saul, and the archers hit him; and he was sore wounded of the archers.

4 Then said Saul unto his armourbearer, Draw thy sword, and thrust me through therewith; lest these uncircumcised come and thrust me through, and abuse me. But his armourbearer would not; for he was sore afraid. Therefore Saul took a sword, and fell upon it.

5 And when his armourbearer saw that Saul was dead, he fell likewise upon his sword, and died with him.

6 So Saul died, and his three sons, and his armourbearer, and all his men, that same day together.

7 And when the men of Israel that were on the other side of the valley, and they that were on the other side of Jordan, saw that the men of Israel fled, and that Saul and his sons were dead, they forsook the cities, and fled; and the Philistines came and dwelt in them.

8 And it came to pass on the morrow, when the Philistines came to strip the slain, that they found Saul and his three sons fallen in mount Gilboa.

9 And they cut off his head, and stripped off his armour, and sent into the land of the Philistines round about, to publish it in the house of their idols, and among the people.

10 And they put his armour in the house of Ashteroth; and they fastened his body to the wall of Bethshan.

11 And when the inhabitants of Jabesh-gilead heard of that which the Philistines had done to Saul;

12 All the valiant men arose, and went all night, and took the body of Saul and the bodies of his sons from the wall of Bethshan, and came to Jabesh, and burnt them there.

13 And they took their bones, and buried them under a tree at Jabesh, and fasted seven days.

This lesson presents a conflict in which the prominent warrior was fighting against God. Saul knew that he was to be deposed and he realized that God had on account of his disobedience forsaken him. Instead of repenting of the error of his way and showing it by submission to Divine will, he openly and boldly defied all commands. He chose the way that seemed right to him, for his inclination led him in that direction but that way led to death. He lived at war with God, and consequently in open violation of His laws. Whoever God is not with, had better not go to war or attempt any great thing to his own honor. Things that are not in harmony with God, and especially those things which he is against, are not profitable and they will in time come to naught. Shall we be for God or against Him?

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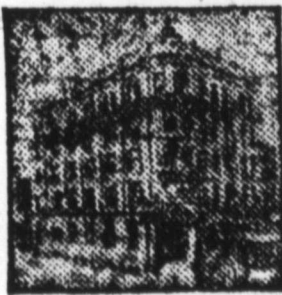
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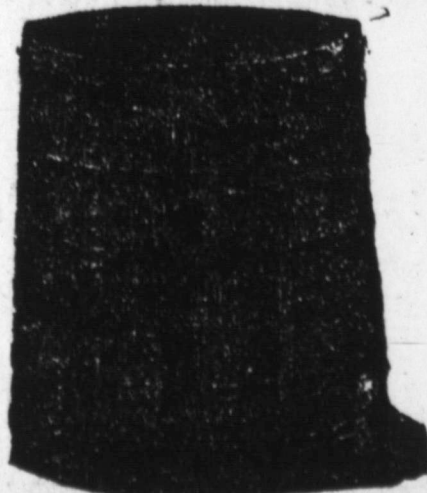
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When butter sticks to the "worker" scald with boiling water, repeating the performance, if necessary, afterwards scouring with salt and applying cold water until cooled.

Do not breed the helper too soon; she should have a chance to grow, and if she is to become a persistent milker she must be raised to that end from the start and not dried off after a short milking period.

Butter flavor is found in the more delicate of the fatty elements, rather in the two elements that make up the bulk of the mass, and to get fine flavor these oils must not be injured by the acid, for they are first to suffer from the souring of cream, and after the butter is made they are first to decompose by age or take on a rancid flavor.

If the dairyman has clean cows in good health, fed wholesome food; clean, well ventilated stables; clean, personal habits; clean pails and other utensils; aerates the milk as soon as drawn and cools it to below fifty degrees, away from dust and contaminating odors, he has done enough to make his milk fit to drink.

### CARE OF MILK IN STORAGE AND TRANSIT.

Some useful and timely hints regarding the most satisfactory care of milk while in storage and transit are given out by Prof. H. L. Russell of the Wisconsin experiment station. He declares that milk should never be kept in the barn over night, and emphasizes the importance of keeping the dairy store room free from all odors. It is pointed out that stable and hog pen odors can be easily absorbed by the milk. The milk should be kept cold until it is delivered. An initial cooling is useless unless it is continued. In hauling milk to factories cans should be full, or covers pushed down to prevent churning. Cans should be protected by a covering, as a tarpaulin, to prevent dust from settling on cans, and to protect the milk from the sun.

Factory products, such as whey or skim milk, should be returned in other receptacles than the cans used for bringing milk to the factory. This custom of returning waste products to the farm in the cans used for milk is the cause of more trouble in the cheese industry than any other one factor. Milk cans should be cared for as soon as returned to the farm. They should be rinsed in warm water, then thoroughly cleaned and left in the sun to dry, inverting in such a manner as to permit circulation of air. All dairy utensils, such as pails, strainers, dippers, etc., should receive as stringent treatment as the cans.

In caring for milk it should be remembered that two things are necessary: To prevent the absorption of any foul odors, and to prevent the development of living organisms in the milk that are able to form foul substances that taint the same. The first can be accomplished by keeping taint-producing feeds from the cow and by keeping the milk in a place that is free from undesirable odors. The second result can be attained by thorough cleanliness combined with a low temperature. Dirt and filth are so intimately connected with bacteria in nature that germ life can be largely excluded by keeping out the dirt. The efficiency of this method, however, does not depend upon a removal by straining out the visible dirt, for under such conditions the bacteria adherent to these particles are washed off and cannot be removed by filtering or straining. If the milk is kept at a low temperature the development of the bacteria in the same is greatly retarded. These organisms obey the laws that govern the growth of all plant life, and just as our cereal grains will not grow in early spring or winter, so the bacteria in the milk are greatly checked in their development, or even prevented from growth by lowering the temperature of the milk.

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"I still cling to it," retorted the woman who knew. "There are just two kinds of girls—those who pursue the wide open policy and those who favor the shut in policy."

"Holy Moses!" groaned the man; "sounds like politics!"

"Yes, it is—politics of the heart," she returned, "and you can tell the follower of either policy after you have talked with her for so short a space as half an hour even. About the time a girl reaches the age when she first sees something serious in life she realizes all at once that joy and pain and knowledge are all very closely connected; that she may start out with one to find herself with the other instead; that if she is venturesome and opens her heart to people and to things she is bound to be hurt; that if she investigates life for herself and starts out to follow her own opinions and to do things differently from those of the other women sheep she is bound to be hurt, and she stops and says to herself: 'I can't stand pain. I will be cautious and spare it to myself as much as possible.' And that's the beginning of the shut in policy. Poor girl! She doesn't realize that in shutting out pain she shuts out knowledge and joy. So when a love affair comes her way she stops and says to herself, 'Will it benefit me?' And if she sees no immediate pleasure or gain in it she passes it by and her heart grows the smaller because she refused it. And if an original idea or achievement occurs to her mind, instead of attempting it, she exclaims: 'I wonder what they will think. I wonder if the world will not think it odd and not to its liking and whether it will not turn on me and hurt me with its condemnation.' So her brain and her soul shrink. In the end, after she has turned away many experiences because she was afraid to open wide her arms and take them in, she reaches that age where nothing can change her and she is just what she



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has wished to become—a shriveled soul like hundreds of others—without sorrow, but also without joy."

"But the girl who follows the wide open policy, who, like an open door, receives every experience that comes along, what of her? Does she not suffer?"

"Yes, indeed. But with the pain comes the ability to bear it and the knowledge which makes her soul and even the very features of her face noble and strong. When sorrow and hardships come to her she does not shirk or refuse to bear them. She puts her shoulder bravely to the wheel and turns them into triumphs. Because one friend proves false or one experience cruel she does not for that reason shirk all friendships or all similar ex-

periences. Her sorrows indeed have the gift of broadening her heart and mind and of enabling her to sympathize with all who suffer. And, above all, she does not deny love because it will not bring her money, power or position, but she loves nobly with her whole soul and heart, as a true woman should love, and in return her whole being grows in understanding, in beauty and in mental strength."

"And which policy has the greatest number of followers?"

"Can you ask me? Look around you and watch the world of women. Are they not all the time seeking to save themselves pain, even the expending of energy? There is, perhaps, one epoch in the ordinary woman's life when she rises to sublime heights, and that is the first time she falls in love. Her soul and heart are stretched, as it were. She has new and wonderful ideas. She dreams of noble aspirations. But if, for some reason, the love affair falls through she becomes embittered and small for the rest of her days. Often, too, in the rare cases when she marries that first love and her ideals never receive a blow she is content to forget all her noble aspirations and wonderful dreams of mental advancement, and she becomes stupid and even lazy, she is so fond of her comfort. Sometimes her husband wonders at the change in her, but oftener he reflects that all women become that way when they are nearing middle age." MAUD ROBINSON.

**A GARDEN PARTY.**

September is an excellent month in which to give a garden party, for the weather is then fairly certain and the sunshine just comfortably warm. Flowers are also to be obtained in quantities, which is not always the case in the early summer.

Nasturtiums, goldenrods and even field daisies make pretty decorations when arranged in glass bowls and tastefully placed in a dolly of green leaves. The tables are much prettier made of rustic wood, but ordinary tables may be wreathed in vines and placed under the trees with good effect. There are two kinds of garden party—the simple and the elaborate.

The simple is merely an afternoon tea with conversation on the shady lawn and plain refreshments—thin bread and butter, cress sandwiches and punch served under an awning or tree.

The elaborate garden party may take the form of a musicale or follow the English fashion of games—tennis, croquet, etc. One of the best plans is to have a little programme of music and dancing or perhaps a little out of door play, followed by supper under the trees lighted by the harvest moon and Japanese lanterns.

Instead of the lanterns, which sometimes catch fire in a strong wind, there have been introduced this year garden party lamps. These are candlesticks made of glass or metal with a candle set into a high bell shaped chimney to protect it from drafts.

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For the out of door supper little tables seating four will be required. These are prettiest if decorated in different colors throughout. Hot bouillon, chicken or clam broth is the first course; then a croquette of boned chicken with rolls or sandwiches and a dainty salad. Ices, bonbons and coffee complete the little feast. Cigars and cigarettes should be provided for the men.

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## MAVERICKS.

Shipment of milch cows from Texas into the territory has been prohibited by the Oklahoma quarantine authorities until after December 1.

W. J. Mason of Coy, Mills county, has bought three sections of railroad and two of school land in Sterling county from J. R. Chambers and son for \$675.

The effects of a good season in the Panhandle country are shown by the sleek condition of X. I. T., ranch cattle which are now being marketed. There are several thousand cattle to be marketed during the next few months.

At the annual meeting of the Choctaw Live Stock Protective Association in Antlers, I. T., a few days ago, the members passed a resolution offering \$100 for the conviction of anyone stealing stock bearing the brand of the organization.

A deal is reported from Menard county through which Fitz Wilhelm has become the purchaser of the Jim Huey ranch and cattle. Ten sections of land and about 600 head of cattle are embraced in the sale, and the price paid was \$24,000.

Kokernot Bros. of Gonzales county have closed a deal with Kerlin Bros. whereby twenty sections of land and 1700 cattle change hands. With the Kerlin ranch added to their present holdings Kokernot Bros. have about 100,000 acres with Yellow House canyon.

Hudson & Schultz, ranching in Crosby county, have dissolved. F. P. Schultz, the junior partner of the firm, has purchased a 20-section pasture in Fisher county and will engage in ranching on his own account.

Thomas D. Love of Borden county, who recently closed out his interests in that section to Munger Bros. of Dallas, will finish the delivery by September 20 and expects to remove to El Paso county where he has a large ranch, stocked with high grade cattle.

"Charlie" Larimer, who for several years was general agent of the Chicago Stock Yards company at Fort Worth and later became yardmaster of the Texas and Pacific railway at Boyce, La., has been made chief inspector and trainmaster of the International and Great Northern. Mr. Larimer is widely known among the Texas cowmen, who rejoice over his well merited rise in the world.

Here is what the Texas cowmen who migrated to the Northwest are now up against, according to the following report from Red Lodge, Mont.: "Grasshoppers are so thick in this section that

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Thomas Trammell, of Sweetwater, has just finished branding 200 head of pure bred Hereford calves on this Borden county ranch.

Roping contests are scheduled for Thursday and Friday of this week at Smithville, Tex. Prizes are offered for experts and amateurs.

Runnels, Concho and Tom Green counties are shortly to hold elections under the Hudspeith law to determine that momentous question, "What shall be done with the prairie dog?"

W. L. Foster has purchased from L. A. Holt the former's ranch and cattle in Sterling county. The twelve sections sold at \$9000 and 700 cattle were reckoned at \$12.50 per head.

Good rains in the country round about Hereford have enabled the "X I T" outfit to resume the branding of calves, which was interrupted by the dry weather. In spite of the severe winter, this season's calf crop is much larger than that of last year.

In a roping contest at Waco last week A. W. Cooper of Clifton won first money, making the time in 36½ seconds. Emsey Baker of Taylor won the second prize; time 46 seconds. S. M. Craig of Burton won the third prize. A big crowd witnessed the contest.

M. Half & Bro., ranching near Ozona, have just completed a large dipping vat preparatory to dipping 10,000 steers in Beaumont oil for the purpose of ridding them of ticks. The proceedings are being watched with interest by stockmen of that section, who will "go and do likewise" should the experiment prove a success.

Cattlemen in the Sweetwater neighborhood are elated over the fact that tracklaying on the Orient railway, north from that point has begun. This great system will penetrate the heart of the cow country and no doubt become one of the greatest avenues of travel for livestock en route to market in the state.

From Quanah comes a story to the effect that A. S. Fugua, a Hardeman county stockman, has a seven months old calf that tips the beam at 385 pounds. He ascribes this great weight to the fact that the calf has always been kept up, and says cattle give more milk when kept up in a lot without having to rustle for food. Now let's hear about some other good 'uns!

The McKinley ranch on Lipan creek, seventeen miles southeast of San Angelo, was sold last week to B. M. Wales, W. A. Wilson, Dr. O. B. Atkinson, W. A. Shafner and W. W. Mullins of Florence, Williamson county. The ranch includes 17,280 acres of fine land and the price paid was \$75,000 cash. The purchasers will assume charge of the ranch on Nov. 1, will incorporate as a cattle company and expect to stock the ranch with the best grade of Hereford cattle.

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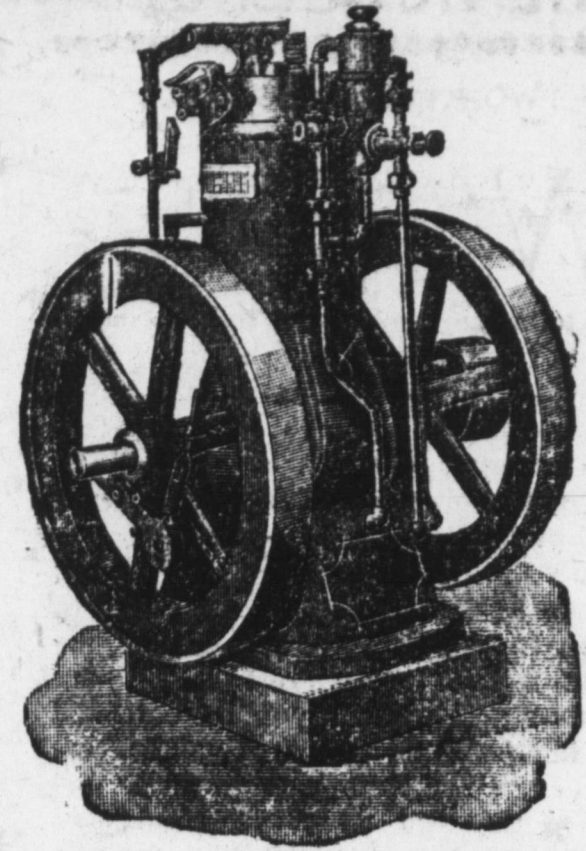
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work. Their father died when Charlotte was thirteen, and the mother struggled on as best she could."

The simple story of this one girl's life is deeply interesting.

"Our mother ruled us absolutely, and her only law was love," Charlotte told Mr. Starr once. Charlotte had planned out her life gloriously. She would write—she always meant to do that—but to be thoroughly prepared for her profession she intended to be a college graduate—get the literary style. When a child at school she wrote her compositions with the dream in her brain of one day getting stories printed and being an author. But five years ago the mother whose only law was love died. Charlotte uncomplainingly put aside her own cherished hopes and dreams and became the head of the family. No college now, apparently no hope of writing stories, either. The very bread the family ate had to be earned by Charlotte and her sister. They took their places in a large store in Oakland, Charlotte as cashier, Sister Nan in one of the departments. Sister Mary kept the house for them and the brothers.

But the girl who was a born writer could not forget the radiant dream of her childhood. It fairly broke her heart to give up being an author. She wrote something of her grief and disappointment to a friend.

But you will see how the Power that rules human destiny plans for us better than we can plan for ourselves if we only do the manifest duty that lies nearest us day by day.

Charlotte's friend who received this letter showed it to a literary lady whom she knew. The literary lady was struck with the power and grace of expression even in this everyday letter. She immediately commended Charlotte to William C. Morrow, a well known writer of San Francisco. Charlotte went to see him.

"Write me something on a subject I will give you," said Mr. Morrow.

She wrote it nights and Sundays, a fairy story, and it hit the mark so exactly that Mr. Morrow gave her further instructions how to proceed. In the scant and precious spare time allowed to a department store cashier she began teaching herself to compose. She and Sister Nan served in the business establishment from 8 o'clock till half past 6, on Saturdays till 10 at night, and yet this determined girl snatched bits of time to write. Sometimes 1 o'clock in the morning found her at her desk, when Sister Nan, who embodies common sense for two, would make her stop and go to bed.

By and by she got some stories printed. Of course she did! Nobody who strives perseveringly, and strives in faith, ever is finally disappointed. It is in Charlotte Canty's favor, perhaps, that she has had little time to compare her own work with that of so called classic authors. She is therefore bravely original. Living with her brothers and loving them dearly, as they likewise loved her, she was able to enter into thorough sympathy with them, and through them with all youthful masculinity. She has written some spirited and charming stories for boys. This, for lack of knowledge of them, women seldom are able to do. One of the best known of Miss Canty's general stories is "The Whistling Girl," which has been widely published.

The brothers for whom she worked are young men now, and in this case, at least, men appreciate what women have done for them. This no doubt is owing to the influence and remembrance of the sweet mother whose only law was love.

Charlotte Canty now looks forward with reasonable assurance to the day when she will write books and spend all her time in the tasks she loves. Not yet, however. She still sits at her cashier's desk and does the work her hands find to do, not grudgingly, but cheerfully, thankfully, writing still in her off moments, and waiting, serene, sweet tempered and strong, in the sure faith that she will come into her kingdom.

MARY EDITH DAY.

**THE NEW WOMAN.**

**A** LADY was just going to sleep at night in her handsome suburban home. It was luxuriously furnished and had in the dining room much silverware. The lady's personal jewels were also valuable. Nobody was in the large, isolated house except the lady and her maid. She thought she heard a rustling noise just as she was dozing off. It brought her to her wideawake senses at once. She arose and investigated, but thought her dogs were making the noise and went back to bed. Presently she heard a low whistle. "I am sure burglars are in the house," she said to herself. She arose softly and went into the hall. On the floor below she saw a light. She slipped back and got a revolver. It was loaded too. The brave woman went lightly downstairs to the kitchen and found a man just in the act of escaping with a great bag of plunder. She fired, and he dropped. He was not killed, however, and managed to crawl through the door, and before the police could come had got away, with the help of a pal outside. In the yard was a big sack full of the household silver. The outside pal had dropped it. Another new woman example. It is an example that other women should follow. Let women learn to protect themselves and their homes even to the extent of putting a bullet through an evil doer if necessary. Then desperadoes of all kinds will beware how they attack lone women. There will be fewer lynchings when women assert the courage that is in them and become able to take care of themselves. Pistol practice, athletic culture, a cool head and dauntless courage are needed by women now as they never have been since Indian times. None is so well protected as those who protect themselves.

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## THOUGHTS OF EXPERIENCE.

COTTON PESTS NUMEROUS.

Kosse, Tex., Aug. 15, 1903.

Stock and Farm Journal Company:

I got your letter all o. k. but I don't think I ever saw as poor a cotton crop in my life as we have in this part. All of this county and four others that I have seen, will not make as much as one ought to make, and if the rest are as bad I know it will be cut short. I never saw as many pests to destroy cotton in my life and I am 73 years old. I will close. Your Friend,

H. COFFELT.

## CANNERIES ARE NEEDED.

Buffalo, Tex., Aug. 22, 1903.

Editor of the Journal:

Buffalo is on the International and Great Northern railroad, thirty-five miles south of Palestine, and is surrounded by a rich sandy soil overlaid with red clay subsoil, the finest of fruit and truck land. Thousands of peach trees and hundreds of plum trees, together with berries, have been planted in the past four years and those that have come into bearing are a guarantee that this section is destined to become famous for the quantity and quality of its fruit. You will hear more from us in the next two or three years.

We can also grow the finest of tomatoes but as it pays to ship only the earliest ones, we lost the bulk of our crop for want of a market.

I am only a common farmer and do not know much, but I do not see why farmers cannot unite with the mer-

chants of their towns and establish a small cannery so as to work up their surplus fruit and vegetables. Under present conditions this large surplus is almost a total loss while it might be turned to a profit both to farmer and merchant for whatever will increase the farmers' profits will benefit the merchants. I would like to hear from the tomato growers of East Texas as to what per cent of their crop they shipped this year and about what per cent they let rot in the field for want of a market.

The Farm Journal is our friend and I feel sure it will open its columns to let us give our experience in tomato and truck growing, and through an exchange of this experience we may become more successful tillers of the soil. I would like to have the experience of the communities or towns that have established canneries, and the plan of co-operation of those that are preparing to establish them. Let's discuss, plan, and co-operate with each other till we can grow abundantly and sell profitably the fruits of the soil.

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## HOGS FOR McCULLOUGH COUNTY.

Brady, Texas.

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E. J. A.

## ADVICE ABOUT MACARONI SOUGHT.

Coleman, Texas.

To The Journal:

Will some one tell me through the columns of the Journal when macaroni wheat should be sown in this section of the state? How much seed should I use to the acre? I want to try a small field next year.

J. W. S.

## WILL QUIT COTTON FOR HOGS AND ALFALFA.

Hearne, Tex., Aug. 20, 1903.

Dear Editor:

This section is famous for its big cotton crops, but three of the past four crops have been washed away by overflows of the Brazos river. The boll weevil has also damaged the cotton crop. I wish to quit trying to grow cotton and turn my attention to the growing of alfalfa and the raising of hogs.

Will some experienced alfalfa grower tell me when and how to plant it, and what would be reasonable profits to expect from it? I have rich Brazos bottom land above overflows. Will some of the readers of your most excellent Journal tell me what he considers the best breed of hogs, and why? I must quit cotton and try alfalfa and hogs, and I wish to hear from practical farmers—men who are succeeding on their own farms. Come, brother farmer, and help me to escape the ravages of the boll weevil. Let me hear from you through the Journal, one of the best farm papers in the South.

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The taxpayers of Caldwell county recently voted down a proposition to issue bonds for the improvement of the public highways and now some enterprising, public-spirited citizens have conceived the idea of securing good roads through individual and co-operative effort.

## HAS DONE A BIG BUSINESS.

The business transacted by the Fort Worth Livestock Commission Company for six months past is extremely gratifying to that firm, being considerably larger than that of any other commission house at the yards. A total of 1872 carloads of stock were handled by them, of which 1619 came direct, a strong testimonial to their worth and popularity. Large shipments were received from Clay Robinson and Co., Drumm, Mallory, Strahorn, Greer, Mills and company and other well known dealers, and the sales credited to their accounts.

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## THE "STUDEBAKER."

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## FORT WORTH "THE" MARKET.

In conversation with a representative of the Barse Live Stock Commission company, with offices in Kansas City, St. Louis and Fort Worth, a reporter of the Journal was told that during the last week the prices of all kinds of live stock sold to a better advantage in Fort Worth, Tex., than any other market. This company handles a large share of the Texas business and keeps in close touch with all conditions. They think the future of Fort Worth as a live stock market is very great. If a car of cattle or hogs can be sold in Fort Worth at Kansas City prices, as was the case last week, it means many dollars saved for Texas. Our live stock men should consider the advantages of this market when shipping, and if information of any character is wanted write the Barse Live Stock Commission company.

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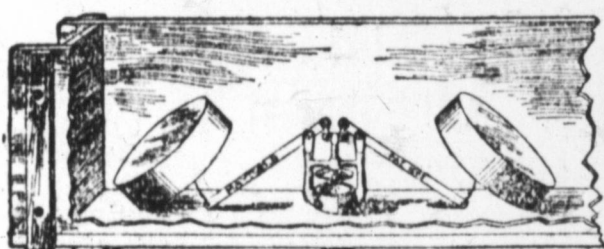


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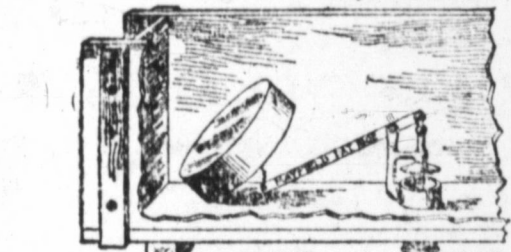


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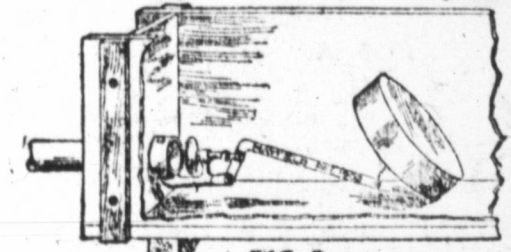


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FIG. 4

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MARKETS

FORT WORTH.

Another boom is on at the Fort Worth market, the arrivals in the cattle division so far this week being the largest since the floods at Kansas City and St. Louis in May. The total receipts of live stock Monday were 85 cars, including 2795 cattle, 141 hogs and 30 horses and mules. In spite of the heavy run prices held up well, as is shown by the quotations. Top Texas steers sold for 45c higher on the hundredweight here than they did in St. Louis. Hogs sold for \$6.00 for a load of good light Territory fed pigs. Market prices: Steers, top \$4.05, bulk \$3.55@2.75; cows and heifers, top \$2.60, bulk \$2.50@2.00; calves, \$3.25@2.25; hogs, \$6.00@5.95. The bulk of cattle receipts was butcher stuff, with a good sprinkling of fat cows and heifers.

KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 24.—Cattle, receipts 9000 natives 300 Texans; calves, 700 Texans, 13,000 natives. Steady, strong. Choice export and dressed beef steers, \$4.80@5.40; fair to good \$4.10@4.25; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@4.45; Western fed steers, \$3.00@4.85; Texas and Indian steers, \$2.40@3.90; Texas cows, \$1.65@2.75; native cows, \$1.50@3.90; native heifers, \$2.50@3.50; canners, \$1.15@2.25; bulls, \$2.10@3.25; calves, \$2.50@5.55. Hogs, receipts 2800. Market 10c to 15c higher. Heavy \$5.60@5.75; light \$5.90@6.00; pigs, \$5.85@5.97½. Sheep, receipts 4000. Market steady to shade lower. Native lambs, \$3.15@5.25; Western lambs, \$3.00@5.15; fed ewes, \$2.60@4.00; Texas clipped yearlings, \$2.50@4.10; Texas clipped sheep, \$2.40@4.00; culls, \$2.20@2.35.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 24.—Cattle, receipts 22,000, including 600 Texans and 4000 Westerns; 10c to 15c higher; good to prime steers \$5.25@5.90; poor to medium \$4.00@5.15; stockers and feeders \$2.50@4.30; cows \$1.50@4.50; heifers \$2.25@4.85; canners \$1.50@2.75; bulls \$2.00@4.40; calves \$3.00@6.75; Texas fed steers \$3.00@4.65; Western steers \$3.25@4.75. Hogs, receipts 26,000, 10c to 15c higher; good to choice heavy \$5.45@5.80; light \$5.60@6.20; bulk \$5.35@5.70. Sheep, receipts 35,000; steady to lower. Good to choice weathers \$3.00@3.60; fair to choice mated \$2.25@3.00; Western sheep \$2.75@3.50; native lambs \$3.50@5.60; Western lambs \$4.00@5.05.

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.—Cattle, receipts 6500, including 5000 Texans. Market strong. Native shipping and export steers \$4.25@5.50; dressed beef and butcher steers \$4.00@5.25; steers under 1000 pounds \$4.00@5.00; stockers and feeders \$2.70@4.00; cows and heifers \$2.60@4.50; canners \$2.00@2.25; bulls \$2.65@4.00; calves, \$4.00@6.00; Texas and Indian steers \$3.40@3.80; cows and heifers \$2.25@3.00. Hogs, receipts 6500. Strong to 5c higher. Pigs and lights \$5.60@6.10; packers \$5.50@5.65; butchers and best

heavy \$5.65@5.95. Sheep, receipts 1000. Market steady. Native mutons \$3.00@3.60; lambs \$4.00@5.00; culls and bucks \$2.50@3.70; stockers \$2.00@3.25.

GALVESTON.

(Reported by the A. P. Norman Live Stock Company.) Galveston, Tex., Aug. 22.

To The Journal: We have little change to note in the condition of the market; supply continues to be ample for the demand and prices continue to rate weak. With dressed beef selling at three cents per pound, no other condition can be expected. Quotations: Beeves, good to choice, \$2.50@2.75; common to fair, \$2.00@2.25. Cows, good to choice, \$2.25@3.50; common to fair, \$2.00@2.25. Yearlings, good to choice, \$2.50@3.00; common to fair, \$2.00@2.25. Calves, good to choice, \$3.25@3.50; common to fair, \$2.50@3.00.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Country Produce. Prices paid shippers: Poultry—Old hens \$3.25@3.50 per doz., roosters \$1.25, large \$3.00@3.25, medium \$2.50@2.75, small \$2.25, turkeys 8½@9c per pound. Geese \$3.00 per doz. Ducks \$2.50@3.00 per doz. Country butter 12½@15c pound. Eggs, country 12½c doz., cold storage 16 2-3c doz. Honey, strained 8@10c, comb 15c.

Grain and Hay.

Prices paid in car lot—Prices from store 5@10c more per 100 lbs. on bran, 2@3c on corn and oats per bu. and 10@15c on hay. Hay, John grass \$7.00@8.00, prairie \$8.00@8.50. Brain 75c. Corn chops, \$1.00 per 100 lbs. Corn, shelled 58@60c, ear 40c. Oats 38@40c bu. Wheat, from wagons, No. 2 75c, No. 3 74c, No. 4 72c, rejected 68@71c bu. Alfalfa \$14.50@16.00.

Fruits.

Prices from store: Apples, new \$1.00@1.25 bu., Kan. 40c third-bu., Siberian Crab \$2.00 bu., Kan. \$1.00@1.15 per bu., crate, \$3.75@4.00 per bbl. Peaches, Elberta \$1.00@1.50 per 4-basket crate, Yellow Crawford \$1.40 per 4-basket crate, other varieties 75@90c half bu. basket. Pears, Le Conte \$1.00 box. Bartlett \$3.00. Grapes, Triumph 40c 8-lb. basket, Concord 35@40c basket, Mexican Mission 60c per 8-lb. basket, White Muscat 50c, Del. 50c, Niagara 40c 8-lb. basket, Pecos \$1.75 crate.

Wool, Hides and Tallow.

Prices paid shippers: Hides, dry flint heavy butcher 12c, dry flint heavy fall-er 11c, light dry 9c, heavy dry salt 10c, light dry salt 9c, green salt 40-lb. and up 6½c green salt 40-lb. and under 5½c, dead green 40-lb. and up 5½c, 40-lb. and under 4½c. Wool, bright medium 16@17c, heavy fine 10@12c. Tallow, prime No. 1 3½c, No. 2 2½c.

Vegetables.

Prices from store: Parsley 30c per doz. Cabbage 2¼c lb. Turnips 2c lb. Green onions 25@30c doz. Potatoes, new \$1.05@1.15 bu., Kan. \$1.20@1.25. Carrots 2c lb. Squash 15@25c half-bu. crate. Tomatoes, Texas 65@75c crate, 85c@1.00 half-bu. basket. Butterbeans 50@60c third-bu. Cucumbers 25c per half-bu. Green peas, Colorado \$1.35 per half-bu. Rhubarb 2@3c lb. Okra

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COTTON MARKET.

GALVESTON SPOTS.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 24.—Cotton steady and unchanged, sales 42 bales spots and 60 f. o. b. Low ordinary 7 9-16, ordinary 8 3-16, good ordinary 8 11-16, low middling 11½, middling 12½, good middling 12 5-16, middling fair 13½.

NEW ORLEANS SPOTS.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 24.—Spot cotton firm and unchanged, sales 150 bales spot and 300 to arrive. The closing prices: Ordinary 9 7-16, good ordinary 10½, low middling 11½, middling 12½, good middling 13½, good middling 13½, middling fair 14.05.

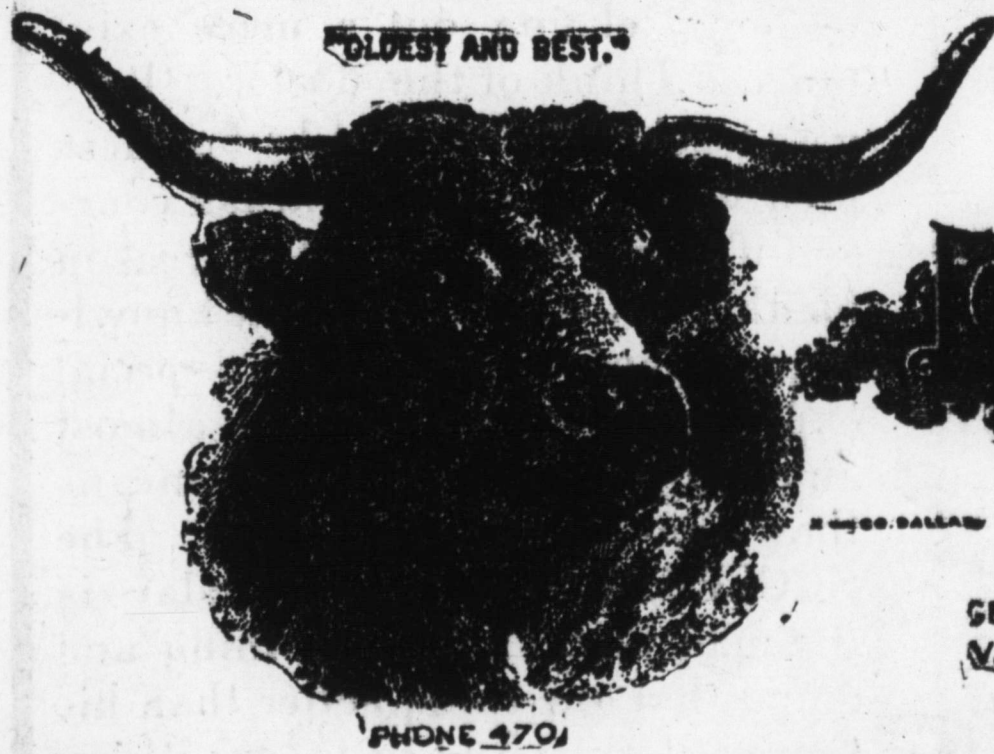
NEW YORK SPOTS.

New York, Aug. 24.—Spot cotton quiet and unchanged. Sales 10,787. The closing prices: Good ordinary 11.75, low middling 12.37, middling 12.75, good middling 13.19, middling fair 13.71, fair 14.05.

LIVERPOOL SPOTS.

Liverpool, Aug. 24.—Spot cotton easier, 2 points down. Sales 5000 bales, of which 4700 were American and 1000 went to exporters and speculators. Imports 4000, of which 400 were American. Tenders 200 new. The closing prices: Ordinary 6.06, good ordinary 6.26, low middling 6.52, middling 6.74, good middling 7.00, middling fair 7.22.

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SALESMEN: W. D. DAVIS, A. F. CROWLEY, L. RUNNELS, (HOGS & SHEEP)

Sir—We had 8575 head of cattle on the market this week and while this was a much greater run than we have had lately, cow stuff has sold a dime higher since Monday. Veal calves have lost from 25c to 50c and all steers weighing under 800 pounds and not carrying good butcher flesh are selling from 25c to 40c lower. Good feeder bulls are bringing from 10c to 15c more money and the general market, aside from cattle that are on the stocker order, is active and the demand is keen enough to take care of all butcher stuff at prices equal to Kansas City, which saves a freight and shrinkage item of from \$40 to \$80 per car. The feeder steer trade is picking up some but the feeders refuse to buy cattle that weigh less than 800 pounds, except at very low prices and it takes 850 pounds and up to bring \$2.60 to \$2.75. We expect this demand to increase from now and hope to see good feeder steers, weighing 900 pounds and up, bring \$3.00 per 100 pounds in the next thirty days.

The hog run, as usual, was very light again this week, there being only 882 head on the market. Our market has advanced from 15c to 20c per 100 pounds since last week's close and we quote top hogs, weighing around 200 pounds, at from \$5.90 to \$6.00, according to quality, lighter hogs of fair quality \$5.70 to \$5.90. We are badly in need of some stock hogs and could use several cars for our customers at from \$5.00 to \$6.00 per 100 pounds, and would suggest that you notify us a day or two before shipping so we will have time to place them for you.

Sheep receipts this week were 562 head. Our sheep are selling at from \$3.00 to \$3.50, stockers \$2.00 to \$2.50 per 100 pounds. We give below a few of our representative sales for the past week:

Cows and heifers—25 head, average 111 pounds, at \$2.40.	32 head, average 841 pounds, at \$2.15.	15 head, average 664 pounds, at \$2.00.	9 head, average 215 pounds, at \$3.56.
27 head, average 830 pounds, at \$2.25.	25 head, average 732 pounds, at \$2.10.	21 head, average 811 pounds, at \$1.95.	11 head, average 170 pounds, at \$3.50.
41 head, average 813 pounds, at \$2.15.	26 head, average 813 pounds, at \$2.10.	30 head, average 811 pounds, at \$1.85.	37 head, average 204 pounds, at \$3.50.
30 head, average 842 pounds, at \$2.10.	10 head, average 697 pounds, at \$2.00.	20 head, average 661 pounds, at \$1.85.	67 head, average 212 pounds, at \$3.50.
20 head, average 683 pounds, at \$2.10.	15 head, average 679 pounds, at \$2.00.	27 head, average 692 pounds, at \$1.85.	25 head, average 183 pounds, at \$3.00.
28 head, average 727 pounds, at \$2.10.	6 head, average 773 pounds, at \$2.00.	Steers—26 head, average 862 pounds, at \$2.75.	23 head, average 146 pounds, at \$3.50.
18 head, average 660 pounds, at \$2.00.	24 head, average 675 pounds, at \$1.90.	23 head, average 811 pounds, at \$2.50.	21 head, average 204 pounds, at \$3.50.
11 head, average 742 pounds, at \$2.00.	14 head, average 563 pounds, at \$1.85.	21 head, average 826 pounds, at \$2.65.	10 head, average 283 pounds, at \$3.00.
30 head, average 624 pounds, at \$2.00.	12 head, average 783 pounds, at \$2.35.	83 head, average 694 pounds, at \$2.30.	-Bulls—3 head, average 1073 pounds, at \$1.80.
19 head, average 754 pounds, at \$1.90.	12 head, average 882 pounds, at \$2.15.	10 head, average 748 pounds, at \$2.50.	Hogs—79 head, average 283 pounds, at \$5.85.
23 head, average 727 pounds, at \$2.35.	19 head, average 799 pounds, at \$2.15.	18 head, average 775 pounds, at \$2.50.	Sheep—10 head, average 80 pounds, at \$3.00.
14 head, average 891 pounds, at \$2.20.	10 head, average 824 pounds, at \$2.10.	Calves—71 head, average 195 pounds, at \$3.50.	
	9 head, average 927 pounds, at \$2.00.		
	17 head, average 619 pounds, at \$2.00.		

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