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EQUINES OF THE RANGE

IN BANDERA COUNTY. Bandera Enterprise: John Gibbons was up from his ranch on the Medina county line Monday. He reports stock conditions flattering.

IN HOWARD COUNTY. Big Springs Enterprise: Scott & Robertson are getting a big string of cattle together which they expect to ship from Stanton to Kansas pasture tomorrow.

IN STERLING COUNTY. Sterling News-Record: J. E. Cope marketed a nice bunch of yearlings this week, for which he received three cents per pound, delivered at San Angelo.

IN TAYLOR COUNTY. Abilene Reporter: Jack Parramore has news from the King county ranch of a good rain over part of the Pecos, for which he received three cents per pound, delivered at San Angelo.

IN BORDEN COUNTY. Gall Citizen: J. J. Dodson has sold his ranch to J. B. Slaughter for the sum of \$1000. Lobos have destroyed several head of cattle on the Cross C range recently.

IN VAL VERDE COUNTY. Del Rio Record-News: Last week R. W. Prosser shipped 520 head of stock cattle to Indian Territory.

IN CARSON COUNTY. Panhandle Herald: Mr. C. C. Patton shipped 800 steers Wednesday from John A. May's place to pasture near Redding, Kansas.

IN POTTER COUNTY. Amarillo Champion: The rains the past week have been reported general throughout the Panhandle.

FROM LAMPASAS COUNTY. Lampasas Leader: There are a few cattle going out from this section to pastures in the Territories and Kansas and some few also to market.

IN HASKELL COUNTY. Haskell Free Press: Mr. L. Lumsden is preparing to move his cattle to Dickens county. He expects to start Monday with 800 head.

IN NOLAN COUNTY. Sweetwater Reporter: R. H. Logan of Abilene came in Wednesday night from his Sterling county ranch and went out to Roby the following morning.

IN DEAL SMITH COUNTY. Hereford Brand: J. J. Anderson and son of Boom were in the city Saturday and purchased seventeen head of stock cattle and four calves from J. T. Stout.

IN SAN SABA COUNTY. San Saba News: B. R. Russell sold recently on the Fort Worth market 1033 pounds at \$2.75. Brown & Corryell have bought from R. C. Turner two cars of three-year-old steers at \$18; from Walter Walker and T. F. Dimmitt about 20 cows at \$10 and \$12.

IN WARD COUNTY. Barstow Journal: Large consignments of cattle are daily going over the Pecos Valley road at Pecos for shipment to Kansas pastures.

IN THROCKMORTON COUNTY. Throckmorton Times: J. C. Irwin, one of the well-to-do farmers of the south side, was in the city yesterday on business.

IN EDWARDS COUNTY. Rock Springs Rustler: Fields Coleman who now has sheep on Devil's river had business in town Monday. Flelds is looking well and says everything is flourishing out there.

IN WILSON COUNTY. Floresville Chronicle: Mr. Rich of Jackson county was here this week purchasing cattle. He went to the range at Murrey & Houston sold him some and it is understood he purchased some from Messrs. John Griffith, Jas. Thornton and Coughran Bros.

IN MIDLAND COUNTY. Midland Reporter: Alfred Boyd, ranching forty miles west, reports that a light rain at his place Tuesday night; enough, however, to do lots of good in the sand.

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to our local stockmen. The stockmen of this county are making rapid strides in the improvement of their stock.

IN SCURRY COUNTY. Snyder Coming West: W. A. Johnson came in Wednesday from Garza county where he had been looking after his cattle interests, principally the water proposition.

IN BEE COUNTY. Beville Pictograph: Jno. W. Timon came in from his ranch on the Nueces Tuesday and reports two good rains, one on Thursday night and one Sunday night.

IN SUTTON COUNTY. Sutton News: Mont Nolke of Sherwood was in Sutton Tuesday on his way home from Devils river, Mr. Nolke sold 100 muttons to Bud Means of Kansas City at 10c.

IN CHILDRESS COUNTY. Childress Index: Thousands of cattle have been shipped out of this section during the past month.

IN FOARD COUNTY. Foard News: W. W. Overstreet returned yesterday from Ochiltree county where he shipped some of his cattle to pasture.

IN HARTLEY COUNTY. Hartley Courier: Mr. W. S. Marshall, who is a veritable walking encyclopedia as regards Panhandle rainfall and weather conditions for many years past, is smiling and serene.

IN NEW MEXICO. Roswell Record: Samuel Atkinson left for Amarillo this morning to regard to claims for damages on account of burn over range.

THE POET RANCHMAN. Larry Chittenden, the poet ranchman, was an appreciated caller at this office Saturday while in the city.

STOCK SHIPMENTS FROM SAN ANGELO. SAN ANGELO, Texas, May 6.—The stock shipments the last day or two were as follows: March Bros., 3 cars cattle to Elgin, Kan.; J. S. Dabney, 1 car cattle, and Charles Collyns, 6 cars cattle to Elgin, Kan.; 69 Cattle Company, 37 cars cattle to Porter, I. T.; Nat Chilton, 1 car horses to Lindsay, I. T.; Thomason & Willis, 2 cars cows and calves to Sanable, Texas; George B. Hendricks, 27 cars cattle to Saldin, Ok.; W. H. Collyns, 4 cars cattle to Ok., Ok.

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THE SITUATION IS HOPEFUL

El Paso Banker and Cattleman Says Losses in His Section Have Not Been General, and Men Are Strong Financially

"The reports of thousands of cattle dying on the range, and of cattlemen sacrificing their herds at any price offered, are calculated to work considerable injury to the cattle interests in the southwest," said H. L. Newman, president of the Lovdon National bank and proprietor of one of the largest ranches in this section.

neglected to care for their ranges by moving the herds. "We should look upon rain in April and May as a fine thing, and it would mean better prices and a more active market. But so far the rains on our ranges in this country is holding out pretty well, and we should not be worried if we had no rain to speak of for two months yet. I have just made a sale of 1,500 head, 500 to be shipped next Monday and 1,000 to be shipped in two weeks. The sale of 1,000 head was to a man who came here expecting to find all the ranchmen in a mood to give their stuff away and he had no intention of buying at the prices I named. But when he saw my stock, which is all in excellent condition, he closed the contract without hesitation.

"I have heard of losses in the western part of this state, and also in New Mexico and Arizona, but they are isolated, and do not indicate any general disaster. People in my office today who have just been through Southern Arizona report that the cattle there are even good and fat. "The business of cattle raising is being put on a more scientific basis every year. The time is past when herds could be turned out on free range and allowed to graze themselves. I took a tract of land in this county that my friends pronounced practically worthless, and put in wells and fences and other necessary improvements, until it is now a property worth having. All around me other ranchers have taken up tracts and the moat north and east of here, both in El Paso county and over across the line in New Mexico, are dotted with ranch houses and other improvements.

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FORT WORTH, TEXAS, MAY 17, 1904

We QUOTE the Market AS IT IS

Last week's market can be sized up as steady on the best fat steers, 10c lower on medium to good steers, and 10c to 15c lower on common steers.

This week opened with a very light run, and the market advanced 10c to 20c on all killing cattle, except bulls and calves, which should not be shipped here to get the best net value.

There is a very light run of cattle and hogs here today, and the market is 10c to 15c higher on killing cattle than last week. Chicago had 27,000 cattle Monday and was a little lower. St. Louis had 3500. Kansas City 5000. Both of those markets were steady.

Yesterday we sold for G. W. Farmer, four loads cake steers, averaging 1019 lbs., at \$3.30.

W. J. Ward, one load cake cows, averaging 673 lbs., at \$2.75.

Sam Young, one load cake cows, averaging 704 lbs., at \$2.75.

Morgan & Smith, one load cows and heifers, averaging 646 lbs., at \$2.75.

These cows and heifers were sold to outside butchers, and the market cannot be taken from these sales, as they were probably 10c to 25c over the regular market. But the steers were sold to the packers and were in line with the strong sales of yesterday.

The sheep market was very bad here last week, and on some days we could not get a bid on any kinds of sheep. At the present time this is a poor place to market sheep, as the hog buyers, who buy the sheep, dicker around all day before trying to do business. The best muttons are selling from \$4.00 to \$4.25.

The hog market was very changeable last week, and the market opened this week with the tops at \$4.82 1/2 for some 215-pound Oklahoma hogs, with the bulk selling at \$4.65 to \$4.75.

As soon as the run gets a little stronger we expect the medium cows and steers to decline some, but the best stuff should be steady to strong for some time.

When making shipments, remember that we have offices at Kansas City, National Stock Yards, Ill., Independent Yards, St. Louis, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, and at Fort Worth Stock Yards, Texas, under the supervision of thoroughly competent men. Consign your stock to us at either of these markets and receive the highest market price for same.

Our motto: Good sales and prompt returns. Give us a trial shipment, it will do you good.

DESCRIBE YOUR STOCK AND WE WILL TELL YOU ITS VALUE.

SHIP US YOUR STOCK AND WE WILL SET YOU ITS VALUE.

Very respectfully, Barse Live Stock Commission Co.

Table listing various stock items and prices, including HOGS, TRANSIENT CATTLE, and SHEEP.

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CARBOLEUM advertisement featuring an image of a bottle and text describing its use as a safe, economical remedy for various pests.

WRITE FOR OUR FREE BOOK 'The Dipping Proposition' advertisement, offering a comprehensive book on dipping techniques.

COTTON BELT ROUTE advertisement, highlighting swift and convenient schedules for high-grade modern equipment.

STRONGLY ENDORSED BY BUSINESS MEN advertisement, featuring testimonials and details about business school courses.

Advertisement for a live stock commission, mentioning a recent trip to Fort Worth and details about market conditions.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS NOTES advertisement, providing information about a meeting in Denver and related business matters.

MARKET REVIEW

With a fairly good supply of cattle received during the week, the market has continued on the same course as pursued last week.

Choice veal finished steers weighing 1,150 pounds to 1,200 pounds selling at \$4.00 to \$4.10, same class and quality weighing 1,000 to 1,100 pounds at \$3.80 to \$3.90.

Choice heavy fed steers sold with a top for the week of \$4.10, with the bulk of top fed stuff at \$3.60 to \$3.80.

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St. Jacobs Oil advertisement for rheumatism, featuring the text 'The old surety, through its penetrating power, promptly cures Rheumatism' and 'Price, 25c. and 50c.'

Sheep Department

FLOCKS ARE DECREASING.

T. C. Power, ex-United States senator from Montana stands eminently among the pioneers of the great north-west...

ment, in fact, it is essential to the stability of the industry. Australia's flocks have been practically wiped out by drought...

"The sheep proposition looks like a good one for all time to come," said Mr. Power. "Consider first our rapid increase in population and the taste the American people are developing for mutton..."

"What about Montana's losses this winter?" "Light and heavy according to the locality. East of Forsyth I put the loss at 25 per cent, but even that is not surprising..."

"But it is not probable that the small ranchman now taking possession of the northwest will turn his attention to sheep?" "No," replied the Montana man, "and for the simple reason that sheep require constant care..."

WYOMING WOOL SALES. Casper, Wyo., May 11.—The first wool sales of the season were made here this week, when eastern buyers purchased 900,000 pounds at a price ranging from 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cents...

on the ground and no less than six or eight representatives of railroads and the bidding is spirited. The wool is dirtier than it was last year, and even if the owners receive one or two cents a pound less their profits will be equal to as great as last season...

means a good deal of mutton. "Idaho and eastern Oregon are also overstocked with cattle. Some of them must go to the market. In eastern Oregon there is a surplus of 25,000 sheep...

SHEEP NOTES.

The estimate of the amount of wool which will be sheared in Carbon county, Montana, this spring is 3,000,000 pounds. There are 500,000 sheep in the county.

BIG LAMB CROP. "Idaho flockmasters have had a very easy winter," said Ira Tuttle, general livestock agent for the Oregon Short Line. "They did not attempt to winter as many sheep as during the disastrous season of 1902-03..."

"Utah never was as full of moisture as at present. Range conditions are good and the sheep industry is reviving. Considerable winter feeding on hay is now being done."

and grand dam were sired by registered standard pacing horses, provided she herself has a pacing record of 2:25, or is the dam of one pacer with a record of 2:25.

THE HORSE BLEW FIRST. An Irishman who owned a sick horse went to see a veterinary doctor up town some days ago. "So you've got a sick horse, Mike? Well, what's wrong with him?" said the doctor.

"You're not well? What's the matter with you?" "Well, ye see, 'twas this way, sor. O' fixed the paca-pear the way yez tould me, an' shuck it betime the horse's teeth, then O' put me mouth to the other end to blow sor."

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Stock Brands

W. C. BISHOP. Chicago, Dawson Co., Texas. C. D. Crowley, Ranch Manager. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

J. M. & W. L. FOSTER. Postoffice, Shreveport, La. Ranch in Howard and Mitchell counties, Texas. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

I. L. ELLWOOD, DeKalb, Ill. Steers generally carry same brand on loin. Mark under half crop each ear. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

W. R. FELKER, Rogers, Ark. Some cattle branded half circle diamond right side; some TV connected left side; some TU connected left side and lazy S left hip. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

ROBERTSON & SCOTT. Ranch in Crosby County, Texas. Ear marks under slope in each ear. Other brands: Hat left side = left thigh. Under slope each ear. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

J. W. RUSSELL. Ranch in Scurry County, Texas. Steer brand — on left thigh. Postoffice address: Snyder, Texas. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

VAN TUYL BROS. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch in Mitchell County. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

JOHN W. GLOVER. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch in Mitchell County. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

S. A. PURINTON. Ranch located in Pecos county, Texas. Garter above knee and left foreleg. Ear mark, split each ear. Postoffice address: Longfellow, Texas. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

SAM C. WILKES. Postoffice, Light, Texas. Ranch in Mitchell and Garza Counties. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

JOHN CARLISLE. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch between Champion and Silver Creeks, Nolan county, Texas. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

SAWYER CATTLE CO. Ranch located in Reagan and Irion Counties, Texas. Postoffice address: Sawyer, Texas, and Oshkosh, Wis. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

SCOGGIN & BROWN. Postoffice, Claremont, Texas. Ranch in Kent County. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

BEN VAN TUYL. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch in Mitchell County. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

CONNELL, CLARK & SCHARBAUER. Ranch in Garza county. E. W. Clark, Manager. Postoffice address: Leflore, Texas. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

BUSH & TILLAR. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. Ranch in Borden and Scurry counties. Image of a cow with a diamond brand.

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Horse Department

CRESCUS RECORD REJECTED. The board of appeals of the American Trotting association refused to recognize the record of 1:34 claimed to have been made by a horse on the grounds of the Wichita Fair association at Wichita, Kan., last fall. The finding of the association follows: "The record of 1:34 claimed to have been made by a horse on the grounds of the Wichita Fair association at Wichita, Kan., on the 19th of October, 1902, was not conducted in accordance with the rules of the American Trotting association, governing performance against time, and that the time of 1:34 then and there claimed to have been made by said horse is neither a record nor a bar under the said rules..."

JAPAN BUYING HORSES. A. M. Deming, an English stockman from Cape Colony, who has been in Japan for some months, is at Seattle, commissioned to purchase 10,000 horses in the Pacific northwest to be sent to Japan. Deming explains that army demands have drained the country of all available horses, and that animals are only to be procured in other places in "peaceful" sections, but to supply the remounts for the cavalry, Deming will endeavor to get all the horses required in Oregon and Washington, and will locate supply depots, as was done when England was buying horses for the South African war.

THE TROTTER STANDARD. We have received so many letters recently of inquiry asking if certain horses were eligible to registration that the publication of the rules of the trotting standard at the present time will not be amiss. While an animal meets these requirements and is duly registered it shall be accepted as a standard-bred trotter. 1. The progeny of a registered standard trotting horse and a registered dam and granddam were sired by registered standard trotting horses, provided she herself has a trotting record of 2:30 or is the dam of one trotter with a record of 2:30.

THE PACING STANDARD. When an animal meets the following requirements and is duly registered it shall be accepted as a standard pacer: 1. The progeny of a registered standard pacing horse and a registered dam and granddam were sired by registered standard pacing horses, provided she herself has a pacing record of 2:25, or is the dam of one pacer with a record of 2:25.

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CATTLEMEN WANT RELIEF

That the cattlemen of the Southwest are very much in earnest in the effort they are making to compel the railroads to reduce freight rates on live stock shipments, is a fact...

RAILWAY OPPRESSION

One of the notable addresses delivered at the Denver conference of cattlemen last week was by Hon. Sam H. Cowan of this city, attorney for the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas...

From Childress, Texas, an important shipping point in the Panhandle of this state, the rate on a car of cattle to Rife, Colorado, is \$104.

miles for only \$11 per car more. Cattlemen wonder why it is that if a car of cattle can be hauled 1000 miles for \$11 they cannot be hauled 2000 miles for \$22. Granting that \$11 per car is a very low rate for hauling 28,000 pounds of cattle 1000 miles, yet if it is enough for that distance, logic suggests that the stuff ought to be carried the second 1000 miles for the same additional amount of money.

From Amarillo, Texas to Rapid City, South Dakota, the railroads formerly hauled a car of cattle for \$61 and made the run so that there was but one stop for feed, which was at Denver. Since the tonnage system came into vogue, the rate per car to the same point is \$100, and the cattle have to be fed at least twice, and often three times en route.

There is no question but that the railway people of the country are much concerned over the situation, from the fact that they are forced to recognize the grim determination which is behind the movement for improvement. And one of its most troublesome and disquieting features is that they cannot foresee where it is going to stop.

OBSTACLES TO BE MET

Few of you have any conception of the railroad and corporate power in congress. I assert that there has never been a time when this influence is so great. It is the result of education and constant application of law.

Assuming therefore that the public has the right to reasonable rates, it stands to reason and is incontrovertible that railroads which have so effectively effaced competition in rates should not have the right to fix the rates.

MY HEAVEN The joy that to mortal life is given; And when I would answer with klaship to reason, My heart stands accusing my lips of high treason.

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RAILROADS GETTING GOOD

A letter was received yesterday at the headquarters of the National Live Stock Association from Chairman J. V. Mahoney of the Trunk Line Committee at Chicago, says the Denver Times of May 17, advising the members of that association that all lines between Chicago and the Pacific coast would be glad to take up at some convenient time any complaint which the stockmen may have.

Tutt's Pills This popular remedy never fails to effectually cure Dyspepsia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness And ALL DISEASES arising from a Torpid Liver and Bad Digestion.

national association has appointed the following committee on transportation: H. A. Jastro, California; W. A. Harris, Kansas; Merdo Mackenzie, Colorado; Jesse M. Smith, Utah, and J. J. Hagenbarth, Idaho.

Grass is growing on the Texas range now, and the old cows are casting off their winter coat and adding some tallow to their ribs.

Reports from San Angelo are to the effect that the calf crop in the Concho country is very good this spring, and the buyers are very hopeful over the outlook.

THE RULE MODIFIED

Captain John T. Lytle, secretary of the Cattle Raisers' Association of Texas has received the following letter from Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson, modifying the federal regulations governing the dipping of cattle that have been exposed to mange or scabies.

Very respectfully, JAMES WILSON, Secretary.

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J. B. GOODLETT SOLE AGENT..... QUANAH, TEXAS.

WE DON'T WANT YOUR MONEY unless you find, after personal inspection, that our VEHICLES and HARNESS are all we claim for them and the best for the price.

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Going for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Don't put yourself in this man's place, but keep a bottle of this remedy in your home.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT

THE CHICKEN MITE
One of the most formidable enemies of the poultryman is the chicken mite.

POULTRY NOTES.
We often hear people recommending moth balls to destroy vermin in the nest of setting hens.

TURKEY RAISING.
Newly hatched poulters are very delicate and require close attention on the part of the attendant.

and for more than one litter, we have tried both, and now claim the sow that is ready to farrow soon after she has twelve months old, and breeds and produces at least three litters in two years.

SAVE THE PIGS.
At this season many farmers are losing pigs, and are often at a loss to know the cause.

SKIMMED MILK FOR PIGS
Skimmed milk is by all odds the best basis on which to build up a balanced ration for little pigs.

HOG NOTES.
Prof. Jared G. Smith, assistant entomologist of the United States department of agriculture, says that "the feeding value of the bean has been found to be greater than that of any other known forage plant except the peanut."

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SEARCHING FOR DATA OF TEXAS

A. N. Evans, secretary of the Texas Real Estate and Industrial Bureau, which was organized in this city several months ago, and in which most of the railroads of the state are interested.

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Our double strength trees are fully guaranteed. Made by R. T. Frazier, Pueblo, Colorado.

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Hog Department

PROFITABLE SOWS.
Select for a breeder rather than for show. It is notorious that some of the most noted breeders have produced some of the highest priced animals have not had the form to fill scale of points as show animals.

active sow and not the overfed lubber, that is likely to do us the best service in the breeding pen. She must be a great eater, but she must give her bulky rather than concentrated food.

SOW ALFALFA FOR ELKS AND WILD ANIMALS

LIVINGSTON, Mont., May 6.—It is the intention of the government to sow a large tract of land in the Yellowstone Park, near Gardiner, in alfalfa for the purpose of feeding the park elk and other wild animals in that neighborhood during the winter months because of the scarcity of feed in the park.

EL PASO CATTLE COUNTRY

To the Editor of The Stockman: EL PASO, Texas, May 8.—It may interest you to hear from this part of the great state of Texas, which in the past few years has grown to be of some importance as a grazing country and cattle ranching.

POISONING THE BOLL WEEVIL

The publicity given the work of Captain Marsten in poisoning the boll weevil in the cotton fields of the state has attracted the attention of the general public.

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Leading thereto is "The Line of Least Resistance" and provides double daily solid trains with Pullman Palace Drawing Room Sleepers, all meals in Magnificently Appointed Cafe Cars (a la carte) at reasonable prices, the privilege of numerous stopovers and schedules saving many hours time. It is shortest by exceeding THREE HUNDRED MILES per round trip (see any map) and is the only line offering SOLID THROUGH TRAINS from the SOUTHWEST

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WE CURE ALL STOMACH TROUBLES

HERE ARE TWO THAT'LL INTEREST YOU:



CHICAGO, ILL., April 16, 1903.
Pepsin Syrup Company, Monticello, Ill.
Dear Sir: While in the Santiago, Cuba, I contracted a severe case of indigestion which continued until I had lost fifty pounds. A friend who had used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and had been cured of indigestion, insisted I buy a bottle. The first bottle gave me such relief that I bought four more bottles, and I take pleasure in saying that I was completely cured, and within five months I had gained forty-two pounds. I truly believe that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cure any case of indigestion.
Yours truly, HARRY E. KEATOR, Lieutenant I. N. G.
No. 2505 Michigan Ave.

AUGUSTA, GA., March 29, 1902.
Pepsin Syrup Company, Monticello, Ill.
Gentlemen: I was troubled with indigestion two years with periodical headache, which at times troubled me so that I was convinced there was something radically wrong. I took headache powders and other remedies; some of them gave me temporary relief, and others none at all, but two bottles of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin effected a complete cure.
I am very much pleased to make this statement, believing it will help others who are troubled as I was to a permanent cure.
Respectfully,
MISS BERTHA H. INGRAM,
No. 638 Broadway.

AT ALL DRUG STORES, 50-CENT AND \$1.00 BOTTLES.



Little Mavericks

VENEZUELAN CATTLE IMPORTED

Secretary Wilson reports that the department of agriculture had granted permission to the Venezuelan government to import into the United States 1,000 head of Venezuelan cattle. No duties will be paid on the cattle. They will be shipped to New York consigned to an abattoir. No breeding cattle are to be among the number imported, the idea being to use them exclusively for food. The department is exceedingly careful about all importations of "live stock and each head of cattle imported from Venezuela will be rigidly inspected.

KING COUNTY DRY.

G. E. Hamilton made a trip to Guthrie the fore part of the week to look after a case in court there. He reports that country in hard shape. Cattle are doing better and grass and water are very scarce indeed. The country is in such a fearful condition that the people could not well leave their homes to attend court, so no court was had.—Matador Maverick.

COULD BE WORSE

W. H. Neel, the cattlemen of the firm of Hysham & Neel thinks that the ranges are in very good condition, being worse than at this time last year but not so bad as two years ago. Hysham & Neel have a good many cattle in the Sulphur Spring valley, but have not lost very many this season. This section can get along with less rainfall than almost any other.—Arizona Range News.

DEVIL'S RIVER COUNTRY

Steve Murphy, the well known publisher of the Devil's River News, Sonora, was among our welcome callers last week. He said that Sutton and surrounding country were in good shape, but more rain would be beneficial. Shepherds are riding the top run in the Devil's River country. Many sheep are changing hands at prices ranging from \$2.50 to \$3 after shearing. Territory cows are selling around the ten dollar mark, and a good many are changing hands. Mr. Murphy likes San Antonio so well that he says he does not know exactly when he will return to his home.—San Antonio Stockman and Farmer.

SCHOOL LAND LEASES.

Land Commissioner Terrell said that he will reduce the lease. He had to business to raise it. It's such things as that, that will make the stacked plains a desert. Men that pay big lease, work the soil to death, kill off the grass and give the owner back their lands. Men that own their lands will not overstock, but will give grass time to seed, so that when the old grass runs out new grass will take its place. Give the grasses a chance then they will not go back on you. Because men who are able to own cattle by the thousands run them on millions of acres made money, it is generally supposed that every cow man that he can, makes big money, which they ought to, and the little one can make a moderate living. What the state ought to do is to give us a land law that would be equitably to all. Dispose of its land as rapidly possible to actual settlement. Give the land commissioner his work, shorn him of the power of doing his will. Let the state get out of the land business.

RANGE OUTLOOK GLOOMY.

Reports bearing nothing but gloom continue to come in from the ranges all over the great southwest, where both cattle and sheep are uniting in protest against the apparently unjust discrimination of the weather against this section of the country. While it is believed that the losses of the cattlemen thus far has exaggerated, it is conceded that unless rain comes very soon, rain that is general and heavy, the loss in New Mexico and Arizona will be very heavy. In Kansas it has been a good season, ever so far west as the Colorado border. In West Texas and the Panhandle country there has been heavy rains, enough to see the cowmen through the season. But in New Mexico and Arizona there has been no rain and none is in prospect.

CATTLE MOVE SLOWLY.

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OUR ENGLISH COUSINS.

Figures for January and February, 1903, show the great preponderance of the United States as the source of Great Britain's foreign meat supplies. Seven-eighths of the cattle and six-sevenths of the sheep imported came from the United States. British ports are closed to live sheep and cattle from Argentina, otherwise these proportions would probably be reduced.

MORE RAIN NEEDED.

The recent rain has done some good but was not sufficient to make the grass come in a hurry. The death rate for some is great while for others it is light. We believe that stockmen must get down to business and run their business by business methods and not to be governed by men who have had no experience. The state of Texas said through its commissioner that 64 head could be run on a section while experience of fifteen years teaches us that twenty-five head is sufficient and we believe that when these rules have been faithfully kept not one hoof of cattle has been lost more than during any other ordinary year. If we want to raise better cattle we must protect them by giving them food.—Midland Gazette.

PRESIDENT TURNEY'S VIEWS.

Hon. W. W. Turney returned this morning from Denver, where he presided over a meeting of cattlemen, called for the purpose of taking action to secure better treatment from the railroads in the matter of shipments. This meeting, he says, was attended by representatives of every cattle association west of the Mississippi and he believes it will result in great good to the cause. It was styled the Interstate Cattle Growers' association and Mr. Turney, who is president of the Texas Cattle Growers' association, was elected as first president. The executive committee will have charge of the matters in hand and the permanent meeting place will be in Denver and at the call of the president.

NEW MEXICO PRICES.

The annual spring sales of steers in the Magdalena district are beginning about a month earlier than last year, due to causes in effect all over the west. A. Baer of Leadville is dividing his time between Deming and Magdalena, but has yet closed no deal. He is said to be offering \$11 for ones and \$14 for twos. Tom Richmond of Trinidad and probably representing Messrs. De Tice and Nesbitt of Denver, has taken an hold early, as usual, in looking the local cattle over and sizing up the situation carefully. He offers \$11 and \$15, which seems extremely low for the class of cattle to be secured here and at three-to-four dollars less than the prevailing figures of last season. The amount of cattle which he secures and the nature of the transfers later on, will show how accurately he has estimated the strength of the summer market. Among the breeders who will trade with him on the basis of these prices are W. H. Sanders & Son, William Gar-

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The meeting, Mr. Turney says, was harmonious and throughout the entire time that it was in session there was no abuse of the railroads or others, but the cattlemen assembled, discussed affairs in a purely business manner and all felt certain that the troubles could be settled when the railroad managers are made fully acquainted with the real situation.—El Paso Herald.

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The stock, though a bit thin, is normally strong for this season, and being early gathered and ranging near the railroad, will be no trouble to deliver in good shipping condition. This transfer seems to "break the ice" and the other cattle growers of the district are also putting themselves in shape for almost business later on, with the exception of those who are not willing to turn loose at present prices or who prefer a late summer gather, and deliver to some of the Pacific coast buyers who trade here every fall.—Abuquerque Journal.

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Household Department

VERNIE LAWSON, Editor

A WILD NICHE.

There is calling of the plover,
In a wild niche that I know;
And the small of distant clover,
In a wild niche that I know.
There are songsters full of singing,
There are softest echoes ringing,
And the breath of summer clinging,
In a wild niche that I know.

Oh, the gladsome birds are nesting
In a wild niche that I know,
And the years are coaxed to resting,
In a wild niche that I know.
There are mating doves a-cooing,
And the sunshine is a-wowing,
There is happiness a-brewing,
In a wild niche that I know.

There are laughing waters gleaming
In a wild niche that I know,
And the world is all a-dreaming,
And the world is all a-dreaming,
In a wild niche that I know,
There are yellowed daisies growing,
There are scented breezes blowing,
There are streams of music flowing,
In a wild niche that I know.

Oh, my thoughts are backward turning,
In a wild niche that I know,
And my heart goes out in yearning,
To a wild niche that I know.
And when lovers are a-maying,
And the barfoot children playing,
Then my footsteps will go straying,
To a wild niche that I know.

I will see the soft sun setting,
In a wild niche that I know,
And my heart will come from fretting,
In a wild niche that I know,
I will live my childhood over,
In the calling of the plover,
And the small of distant clover,
In a wild niche that I know.

LETTERS FROM SUBSCRIBERS
Dear Mrs. Lawson: I am writing to the
Household department because I
have a few minutes to spare but
because I enjoy it. I like very much
to read the letters that are published
on the Home page and think there are
more sensible women in the world than
are generally credited to it.

No wonder that America is proud
of her women. She has a right to be,
for they are a production to be proud
of. Some people think that a woman
who manages her own home and does
the greater part of the work herself
should be too busy for anything else.
But I don't think so. The work of a
home, no matter how large the family
is, can be arranged so that the woman
at the head of it can find time for
something beside drudgery. I do my
own work for the simple reason that it
is harder to get it done. It is no more
than it is to do it myself. So I save
time and money and get better satisfac-
tion by being my own servant. But I
believe you forbade the use of that
word and so I look little enough in
myself at that particular subject.

I have six children and they are all
small but I manage to keep things
going and with a little time to spare.
It may be that some women are so
about their work, or do not know how
to manage it, that they are not to be
blamed if they work twenty-four hours
out of twenty-four. There is so many
things to do that look little enough in
themselves that take more time than
one would think. I have heard of a
woman who just about fills up a
woman's day, and sometimes laps far in-
to the night.

I have known many mothers to sit
up and sew until midnight for some
of seven, and when I remonstrated
with them would sigh and say they
were obliged to do so in order to keep
the children properly cared for. I feel
sorry for those mothers, but I think
they have a misconception of what a
mother's duty is. Anyhow they will
kill themselves and receive neither
thanks or reward for doing it. I do
not mean to say that I do not love my
children, but I do not sit up until
midnight to do it. I try and sew two
hours every day except the days I
wash and iron, and most of the time
I sew from ten to five. But then I
have another woman who has her
method and say "What a poor man-
ager." One way would do for all
women and each must find her own way.
I think I will close now and give
some one else a chance to write.

Will you please request a
bleach for clothes? Best wishes to the
Household.
A sensible letter and accepted at its
full value by the Household. Do not
forget to come often. We shall always
be glad to welcome you. I can't see
how you can be so busy. But then I
think many of us could accomplish so
much, and that but few of us even
know the proposition with a trial. A
day's work is soon done in the mind,
but the grim reality is not so easily
performed. We will dream of great
things; but a very few of us ever mas-
ter them. But when we see a woman
who does accomplish something, we
rejoice in her admiration and we envy
her the energy which makes fulfill-
ment of purpose possible.

USEFUL RECIPES.

As we have so many recipes from
readers who are perhaps wondering
why they do not appear in these col-
umns we will omit other talks until
the next issue. The letters received
during the absence of this department
will be published in their turn.—Ed.

DELICIOUS BEVERAGES

We are indebted for the following
recipes to Mrs. W. Jones, who writes
"Reader" and says, "women talk too
much anyway," but we are thankful
just the same.

Imperial—Mix in a jug, one-half
cup of cream tartar and one quart
of boiling water; flavor with lemon
peel or essence of lemon, and sweeten
to taste. This is refreshing and pleas-
ant.

Concentrated Lemonade—Make a rich
syrup of two and a half pounds of
sugar and one pint of cold water and
boil gradually. Pour it hot on one
and a half ounces of citrus acid and
bottle while hot. One tablespoonful
will suffice for a glass of lemonade.

Portable Lemonade—Mix a quarter
of a pound of white sugar with the
juice of three large lemons, and pour
over this the strained juice of the
lemon. Pack in a jar. One tablespoon-
ful of this will be sufficient for a glass
of water.

Excellent Sherbert—In a quart of
water boil six or eight sticks of
rhubarb ten minutes.

APPLE WITH LEMON.

Make a syrup of sugar and water.
Slice a lemon into it, and let it boil
clear. Pare and core sound, tart ap-
ples, cut into quarters and lay them
carefully into the syrup; let them
cook gently until a straw can go
through them, taking care not to
break them. Lay the pieces of ap-
ples in a glass dish, boil down with
syrup, and when slightly cool, pour
over the apples.

BOILED ASPARAGUS.

Scrape the stems of the asparagus
lightly, but make them very clean,
throwing them into cold water as you
proceed. When all are scraped, tie
them by bunches and equalize the size
and evenly, that all may be of the
same length, and put into boiling
water. Prepare several slices of deli-
cately browned toast half an inch
thick. When the stalks are tender lift
out and season with pepper and salt.
Dip the toast quickly into the liquor
in which the asparagus has been boil-
ed, and dish the vegetable upon it,
the points meeting in the center of the
toast. Pour rich melted butter over it,
and send to the table hot.

GLAZED HAM.

Take a cold boiled ham from which
the skin has been removed, and
brush it well all over with beaten egg,
or a cup of powdered crackers allow
enough rich cream or milk to make it
into a thick paste, salt it, and work in
oil and season with pepper and salt.
This evenly, a quarter of an inch thick
over the ham, and set to brown in a
moderate oven.

A DAINTY SWEETMEAT

This is a rich sweet that is equal-
ly good eaten hot or cold, served in
the dish in which it is baked. Grate
the peel of two or more lemons and mix
with half a pound of ground almond
(or almond powder) and eight ounces
quantity of powdered sugar and but-
ter, well beaten together. Moisten
with the whipped yolk of six eggs, a
wine glass full of sherry, and a table-
spoonful of melted butter. Spread
this evenly, a quarter of an inch thick
over the ham, and set to brown in a
moderate oven.

TO CLEAN BATHTUBS.

A mixture of whiting and ammonia
is excellent for cleaning bathtubs. It
should be rubbed on thoroughly and
rinsed off with hot water. The same,
or ammonia alone, rubbed on with a
soft brush, will keep nickle mountings
bright.

WINE STAINS.

Wine stains may be removed from
linen by rubbing on both sides with
soap (yellow), then laying on a thick
paste of starch and water. Rub in well
and expose to the sun and air.

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AUSTIN, Texas, May 12.—Ex-Senator
E. A. Steele of Laredo was in Austin
yesterday conferring with the attorney
general in reference to some legal matters.
Asked for the news on the агрider he
told some stories of the onion crop raised
in the vicinity of Laredo this year. It is
bordered on the marvelous. Within a
radius of a mile or so of Laredo about two
hundred acres of land were devoted to
onions. The crop from this acreage had
just been marketed and brought \$75,000,
or \$75 per acre.

He gave one instance of what a man
of moderate means can do raising this
crop. Albert Urbahu owns eighteen
acres under an irrigation ditch which he
leased or rented to John Harvey. The
rental being made payable in a share of the
crop. Mr. Harvey had just disposed of
the last of the crop, paid Mr. Urbahu
\$2,500 for his portion and pocketed \$7,-
500 for himself.

This eighteen acres yielded a crop worth
\$650 per acre.
Senator Steele said a company was be-
ing formed in Laredo with a capital stock
of \$100,000, that would provide a supply
of water sufficient to irrigate 1,800 acres,
all of which, it is presumed, will be
devoted to onions. The crop is planted
in October and only seed from the Ber-
muda islands are used.

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Scott, Kan.; Columbia, S. C.

BUDGET OF NEWS FROM COLORADO

Killing Occurs Near There in Difficulty Between Cattle- men Over Pasturage

COLORADO, Texas, May 12.—A tele-
phone message was received here night
before last at 11 o'clock that Simon Year-
gin had shot and killed a Mr. Ingle. The
difficulty occurred in Borden county, in
the "Triangle pasture," belonging to Bush
Miller. Mr. Yeargin is what is generally
called a stray boss on the "Triangle
pasture," and Mr. Ingle had some lands and
cattle inside of the "Triangle pasture." It
seems that Ingle was charged with turn-
ing his cowboys into the pasture, and
Yeargin surrendered to the officers.

WINS PRIZE MEDAL

At the close of the high school here a
few days ago Miss Belle Chaplain received
the prize medal awarded to the member
of the graduating class most proficient in
scholarship, deportment and punctuality.

OUT ON BOND

John Daugherty, who was recently im-
prisoned at Abilene on a charge of robbing
the post office at Latah, this county,
was also put under a \$500 bond at this
place for the alleged offense of breaking
into the bank at Mitchell county on April
master, Carl Daniel, was also put under
bond in the federal court, charged with
being an accomplice.

CANDIDATE DOES NOT RESPOND

Hon. W. J. Miller, generally known in
this district as "Absque," failed to appear
yesterday in the

