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Labels on Meat Products Must Designate the Contents Plainly, and the Big Packers Will Be Compelled to Track the Strict Letter of the Law

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 1.—Meat products according to the requirements of a circular issued by the department of agriculture today must under the new inspection law be labeled with the true name of the product, the true name of the maker and the actual place of manufacture. Goods labeled "special," "fancy," or "selected" must be just that, or else they will be denied the right to circulate in interstate trade.

An imitation, as for instance, a domestic-made frankfurter sausage, cannot be called frankfurter sausage, but may be called frankfurter style sausage; and with the actual place of manufacture plainly indicated, nobody who wants to know the truth about its origin need be misled.

Some of the examples given by the department for guidance of the inspector will be a good thing for the consumer to memorize so as to make sure of what he is getting when he is served in a retail store. Some of these examples are as follows:

Potted, deviled, minced or otherwise prepared ham. Name considered descriptive unless actually made of ham or ham trimmings. If any other pork is used in the mixture it can be called "pork meats" or "potted meats."

Potted, deviled, minced or otherwise prepared tongue—Must be made of tongue or tongue trimmings.

Picnic hams—Cannot be called hams; may be called "picnics" or "picnic shoulders."

California or Cala. hams—Cannot be called "hams;" may be called "Calas."

Boneless ham (as applied to shoulder butts)—May be called "boneless picnics" or "boneless butts."

Cottage hams—May be called "cottage style ham sausage," if made from ham or ham trimmings.

Dewey Hams Not Hams

Dewey hams are joined. Must be called "Dewey loin;" cannot be called "ham," "York," "halla," "ham," "York cut ham" or "York style ham."

York hams—May be called "York cut ham" or "York style ham."

New York shoulder—May be called "New York style shoulder."

English cured ham—May be called "English style cured ham."

Sausage—Pork sausage—Cannot be so called unless made from pork meat only.

Little pig sausage—May be called "little pig sausage," or "pigmy sausage."

Farm sausage—Call "farm style sausage."

Bologna sausage—Call "bologna style sausage."

Oxford sausage—Call "Oxford style sausage."

Vienna sausage—Call "Vienna style sausage."

Frankfurt sausage or Frankfurter sausage—Names of other ingredients must be shown.

How Pure Lard is Made

Lard—Pure lard—Must be made of sweet, clean, clear hog fat. The addition of not to exceed five per cent of clean, sweet lard stearine is allowed. If lard is rendered by the use of steam from leaf fat of hogs, without the addition of fat from any other portion of the carcass.

Kettle rendered lard—Must be actually rendered in an open or closed kettle, without the addition of pressure or contact of live steam with the product.

Open kettle rendered lard—Must be actually rendered in an open kettle, as above.

Country lard—Must be made in the country in an open kettle; can be called "country" style lard; if rendered in an open kettle.

The grain for these steers was ground. The small size of the mill and kaffir makes grinding imperative where they are to be fed to other cattle or hogs. In the case of mill grinding it is so big a proposition as it is where corn is the grain to be ground, as the grain after and requires less power to crush it.

In conclusion I may say that there is no good reason why the Panhandle of Texas should not become as noted a feeding ground as it has been as a breeding ground. This, too, with dry winters are certainly a great boon in that direction as is also the lack of much severe cold. Cold wet weather is what the experienced cattle feeder dreads to see. There is one drawback at present to the feeding of cattle here, and that is the distance that they must be shipped after they have been fed. This ground must, however, be covered at some time, and, as every experienced slapper knows, the percentage of the shrinkage is less on fat cattle than it is upon thin cattle. When the feeding of cattle is better established in the Panhandle better shipping facilities will be developed, so that this distance will not be so much of a handicap as it is at present.

The above gains would indicate that the one grain crop of all which at the present time seems adapted to make a crop under any adversity that may overtake it, and that may, in fact, be called the corn crop of the Panhandle, dwarf milo maize, is an excellent feed for the fattening of cattle and hogs. From observations made during the experiment and upon our work horses that were fed upon this grain I am satisfied that as a basis grain ration in the hands of an experienced or careful feeder it is a better feed for the above purposes than corn. It appears to be void of the heating properties that are obtained from corn. It has sufficient laxative action to keep the bowels free and the system always cool.

I cannot close without a word about the hog. He should not be neglected. He should be raised for his own sake, as the country is well adapted to his production, and cattle feeding operations should always include enough of him to pick up what would otherwise be wasted. Therein lies the secret of certain success.

DEATH CLAIMS

J. W. DICKINSON
Had Long and Distinguished Railroad Record

The death of J. W. Dickinson, which occurred Tuesday morning at the residence of his son, C. I. Dickinson, Lake and Cooper streets, ends the career of one of the best-known railroad men of the southwest, as well as that of a Texas prominently in the coal and business interests in the western part of the state.

Mr. Dickinson was born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, Sept. 29, 1843.

At the age of 15 Dickinson left his home in Yorkshire as a cabin boy on an ocean liner. Having made five trips across the Atlantic, he settled in New Jersey as an engine wiper for the Jersey railroad. He received rapid promotions, and having served as fireman for several years, was given an engine on that line. As an engineer he was later in charge of the Lake Shore road, where he served until the year 1872, when he went with the Iron Mountain road.

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First Engine into Little Rock

Mr. Dickinson was the first engine into Little Rock across the Arkansas river on a flatboat. With the Iron Mountain he served as engineer and later as a conductor, and finally to the position of train master. The work in this capacity was too confining he soon found, and giving up railroading, he moved to his farm in Kaufman county. In the year 1884 he returned to the railroad business and went with the Cotton Belt road as division superintendent. After serving the Cotton Belt for two years he left and went to the Missouri, Kansas and Texas road in the last capacity. Serving three years with the Katy, he purchased the Sherman iron and machine works, and moved to Sherman, Texas, in 1889. Less than a year later his works were burned and he went with the Fort Worth and Denver railroad in 1890 as division superintendent and was promoted to general superintendent in 1893, when he accepted a similar position with the Santa Fe road. In 1905 he again left railroading and remained at his home in Temple, Texas, until January, 1906, when he died at his home. Mr. Dickinson was manager of the ranch and western land department, which position he held at the time of his death.

Had War Record

Mr. Dickinson served as a captain under General Grant during the late war. He organized a cavalry company in New Orleans and remained in the war to the end, ranking as first captain under General Grant.

Organized Cattle Company

Mr. Dickinson organized in 1879 the Dickinson Cattle Company, with a ranch in Nolan county. All the stockholders in this company were railroad men.

Through his long and unusually active life Mr. Dickinson enjoyed good health. He was a man of regular habits and never had an ailment. His death followed a sudden attack of paralysis, which occurred last Friday while he was in the office of Ligon, Dickinson & Co. and the time there has been no hope of his recovery and he did not regain consciousness.

He is survived by a widow, two sons and three daughters. The sons are W. L. and C. I. Dickinson, the latter of the firm of Ligon, Dickinson & Co. The daughters are Mrs. E. A. Wyman of Cleburne, Texas; Mrs. Moah Mitchell of Okla., and Miss Eva Marie Dickinson.

Mr. Dickinson was a thirty-third degree Mason and a member of the Order of Railway Conductors.

A funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at St. Andrew's parish house. Members of Masonic order will have charge of service.

Why Panhandle Coves Sell

CLARENCE, Texas, Sept. 26.—Lev Stephens, an Illinois feeder, is here and has purchased 200 head of

PACKERS TOLD TO GET BUSY

New Inspection Law in Effect Monday

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The officials of the agricultural department from Secretary Wilson down, who have to do with enforcing the meat inspection law, will work all day Sunday, getting ready for the taking effect of the act Monday. Secretary Wilson said tonight a thousand new inspectors have been appointed under it and several hundred more will yet be named. There were nearly a thousand in service under the old law. About 200 by slaughtering and packing plants which had inspection under the old law have not received it yet under the new because of failure to comply with the new requirements which will be denied admission to interstate trade beginning Monday.

The department refuses a list of them and hopes most of them will comply in a few days and get inspection. The situation in large cities is now generally bad, but as late as Friday a delegation of meat men from New York city came to plead for leniency because they did not realize their amenity to the law and were not prepared to comply. They were told to go home and get busy, and hurried away to excuses for a meat famine, the secretary says, but his department cannot inflict punishment if the packers start raising prices. That end of the business will be in the hands of the department of Justice.

MATADORS TO GIVE BULLS A CHANCE

Mexican Women Use Bicycle in Fighting Animals

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, Sept. 26.—Senoras Angitia and Heritta and female assistants from Mexico City, will at Matamoros, Mexico, across the Rio Grande from Brownsville, on Sunday, Sept. 30, and Monday, Oct. 7, give an exhibition of bull fighting entirely different from the ordinary, though the genuine article in every respect. On each occasion four bulls will be fought to death. Heritta will use a sword, but they will not be blindfolded, neither will the bulls kill them, thus assuring all who attend that they will not witness the position of training a man's "friend" gored to death by the ferocious bulls.

The best fighting bulls of Mexico will be used, bulls raised for no other purpose than to fight. In the past eight fights taking place, two extra bulls have been ordered. On Oct. 7, the women will also give an exhibition both on foot and riding bicycles. Their methods of throwing banderos into the bulls, a feat that has only been attempted a few times in Mexico.

167 HORSES FOR COMING RACES

Large Number Entered for Ft. Worth Meet Next Month

H. A. Lawler, secretary of the Fort Worth Fair Association, announced Saturday morning that all entries for the races during the fair to be held here from Oct. 10 to Oct. 15, 1906, had been closed and that thus far 167 harness horses had been listed. This is an unusually large number and means that some good racing is in store for local lovers of the game.

In the list of harness horses entered there appears the name of more than one fast animal and good drivers.

"Things are being rushed at the park in order to have everything in readiness for the opening day and Fort Worth folk can expect to see a fair that will be a credit to the town."

SELLS OUT CATTLE

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 26.—B. F. King has sold his bunch of cattle, embracing about 250 head, to J. C. Montgomery. The price paid was \$112.25 per head. Mr. King will farm in future.

DAVIDSON SELLS PASTURE

MEMPHIS, Texas, Sept. 26.—The old Diamond Hill pasture has been bought by J. M. Brodner. The pasture contains twenty-five sections of fine grazing land and brought a pretty stiff figure. It had been leased by Brodner for some time.

THREES BRING \$27.50

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Sept. 26.—Herman W. Gillis has returned from a month's stay in Oklahoma. While spending some time there he sold 700 three and four-year-old steers to Ed Alton and Ray Jones at \$27.50 per head. Delivery was made at the time of sale.

TOO MUCH RAIN

Greer County, Okla., Man Says Crops Are Damaged

Captain D. W. Jones was for many years a citizen of Tarrant county, but moved to Greer county of Oklahoma in the future state of Oklahoma, and settled near the present town of Altus. Altus is the successor of the town of Frazier, which being situated in the valley of the Red river of the Red river, was swept away by a flood, which is a peculiarity of the Red river. To avoid another of these high waters the town was moved to the highest ground to be found for a mile or so from the old townsite and called Altus therefrom.

"We are swamped with rain up our ears," said Mr. Jones. "This is actually so for all the subirrigated lands in Greer are soaked to such an extent that water actually oozes from the ground. All of our crops were hurt by the rains this year. The wheat and oats were a good yield, but after they were shocked the constant rains damaged them to such an extent that they threshed out but half good wheat as was expected. Corn is spotted, being good in some places and damaged in others. I have subirrigated lands and I have not made a full crop in five years. There has been no money to be had from the crops. The wheat and oats were a good yield, but after they were shocked the constant rains damaged them to such an extent that they threshed out but half good wheat as was expected. Corn is spotted, being good in some places and damaged in others. I have subirrigated lands and I have not made a full crop in five years. There has been no money to be had from the crops. 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BETTER DEMAND FOR FEEDERS The scarcity of cattle in the feed lots is becoming so marked that it is...

KANSAS GRASS GOOD John Rhea, the well known ranchman whose home is in Roswell, N.M., has been shipping in for several weeks from a big pasture near Eskridge, Kan., Panhandle steers which he is pasturing there...

DECREASE IN CATTLE J. N. Farris of Floydada, Texas, one of the old time cowmen of that part of the Panhandle county, turned up on the yards yesterday with a shipment of cattle. Mr. Farris has been in that country twenty-two years and has seen it transformed from a wild range to a stock farming country.

CATTLEMEN ENJOY PRISPERITY J. N. Phillips of Big Spring, Texas, one of the prominent young cowmen of that country, says that everything looks rosy this fall in his part of the range country, where he has been for fifteen years. He has been a shipper to these yards for a long time.

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more common occurrence for himself and Governor Sparks to market many thousands of them in one season. They were among the heaviest losers in the memorable winter of 1883, the spring round-up on the Sparks and Timlin ranges showing a death loss of 40,000 cattle.

CONDITIONS IN OKLAHOMA J. C. Miller, president of the well known 9th ranch, which is located in Oklahoma, spent several hours here yesterday. Mr. Miller stated that a force of men were now at work rounding up steers on the ranch, which would be brought in soon.

NEW MEXICO CATTLE According to W. W. Odum of Portales, N. M., that country will contribute a good many cattle to this market during the next sixty days. Mr. Odum is an old time Texas cowboy who rode the plains country of New Mexico for many years.

GOATS ARE INCREASING "Goats are increasing in numbers in Southwestern Texas," remarked Sam Witt of Montell, Texas, yesterday after selling out a string of 517 head of extra good goats.

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CYNTHIA ANN PARKER---THE WHITE SQUAW

By J. Marvin Nichols

Written for The Telegram. Seventy long years have gone by since Cynthia Ann Parker was lost to civilization. In the days when old Fort Parker was destroyed this only captive was a population of only 30,000. They were harassed by 5,000 hostile redskins, chief of whom were the Caddoes and Comanches.

Capture of Cynthia Ann Parker At the fall of Fort Parker on the morning of May 19, 1836, Mrs. Parker was forced to lift her little 9-year-old girl, Cynthia Ann, up behind a heart-breaking cry.

Only Two Men in Fort James W. Parker, Nixon, the two Faulkenburgs, Bates and Anglin were left to the fields, some distance in the Navasota bottom.

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McCutcheon died last night. He was one of the largest cowmen in this section of the state and was well known to most of the cowmen of Texas.

Pumpkins are good feed for lambs in the fall, especially when they are troubled with paper skin, caused by worms in the intestines.

Pickett Back in Texas TAYLOR, Texas, Sept. 26.—Will Pickett, the famous Texas wild steer rider, who achieved such notoriety during the past few years at the Dallas and San Antonio fairs by catching, mounting and throwing wild cattle.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN We will permit anyone to drive cattle to Bovina for shipment, included within the following lines of sale ranch at Texico and running south along the state line between New Mexico and Texas.

RANCHMAN SHOT Quarrel Over Steers Results in Death of Participant ALPINE, Texas, Sept. 24.—News was received here of a shooting affray between Dick Riggs of this place and J. W. McCutcheon on the latter's ranch in Jeff Davis county.

ROCK ISLAND SLEEPING CAR LINE TO CHICAGO The Rock Island operates the only ROCK ISLAND SLEEPING CAR through sleeping car line from Texas to Chicago. Car leaves Dallas at 7 p. m., Fort Worth at 9 p. m., daily, via Kansas City.

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ECHOES OF THE RANGE

Weekly Compilation of Interesting Ranch and Stock News from All of the Great Range Country of Texas

In Donley County, Clarendon Banner-Stockman. One of the prettiest bunches of steers ever raised in Donley county went at a bargain last week when Mr. F. Crabtree sold to H. B. Lovett 180 head of 2s past at \$20 around. Delivery was made Saturday, the steers dehorned and started on the trail. Mr. Lovett's ranch in Gray county. Mr. Lovett also bought sixty-eight head of dehorned 2s from John F. Sims at about the same price. All these cattle were good and in prime condition.

John B. Pope of this city is out of the cattle business after many years' service on the ranges of the Panhandle. The last of his cattle were sold last week to Smith & Gibson of Memphis. There were about one thousand head of stock cattle in the deal and the price averaged about \$17 around. For some months Mr. Pope has been engaged in selling off his range lands to actual settlers, and so far has disposed of about seven sections in lots of 160 and 320 acres. This ranch is in Hall county, running right up to the Donley county line, and contains some very fine farming land. The price of the land has ranged from \$10 to \$17.50 per acre. Mr. Pope has ten or twelve sections left, which will be sold in the same manner as fast as applicants appear.

In Childress County, George Baber of Dudley, Edgar county, Ill., has been in the city all week, guest of A. J. Pires, who is a cousin. Mr. Baber made the trip for

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ber of stockmen are going in for goat raising and Brewster county on boat of a large number of Angora and graded goats, as well as being the finest goat country in West Texas.

C. C. Hurley has arrived from Atascosa county and expects to go into the cattle business.

Alpine is becoming filled with health-seekers, mostly lungers, attracted by our high altitude, dry atmosphere, pure water and beautiful scenery.

The latest organization in Alpine is a business mens club, and while just organized, a plan is on foot to build a large hotel and larger school house, both being badly needed. Our school employs five teachers, but not less than seven are really necessary, and the building is only about one-third the size it should be. But these things will come, as the country is being rapidly settled and inside of six years incorporation will have to be.

It is not our desire to boast of Alpine in any way, because it is on no boom, but a steady, substantial growth, and the Orient railroad is being built this way from both directions, which means, of course, a greater future for this town than for any on the Southern Pacific railroad. Our people are moral, high-cultural, and well-to-do, and we are a city of churches, there being five denominations with handsome buildings.

The Alpine school this year is under the supervision of Professor John W. Kinzey, late of Dallas, a fine educator, with a corps of able assistants.

Joe Moss, who has recently bought the Morris farm in the suburbs, is now occupying his property.

Fine sweet potatoes from the vicinity of Toyah are on the market now. Sweet potatoes do exceedingly well in this country. Peanuts are another good crop, but not extensively planted.

Talk about your farming counties! This country certainly takes the prize on pumpkins. T. N. Crenshaw has produced on his farm about five miles north-east of Alpine, a pumpkin that measures six feet around. It is Mr. Crenshaw's intention to present this pumpkin to the editor of the Times, and it stands to reason that the editor and his family will be "some pumpkins" this winter.

Most of our local truckmen are planting strawberries, as they are proving that they are a very profitable crop here, growing large and luscious.

T. B. Templeton has brought to town some of the largest and best-flavored peaches ever seen in this county. These peaches are in diameter and are both pleasing to the eye and delicious to the taste. Mr. Templeton is now marketing his apple crop, which is also extra fine.

Grapes and apples are our surest and most profitable crops, and while almost everyone has a very good crop planted, still it would pay someone to plant more extensively, as the supply for even the home market is hardly equal to the demand.

Some people think that this will never be a farming country, but the man with the hoe is rapidly proving it to be as good farming country as any in Texas. The reason for this is that it should not be, as our valley soil is rich and productive, water easily obtained for irrigation purposes, and all that is lacking is a few more men of that industrious nature and experience to make it the finest country anywhere. Land is plentiful and cheap.

In Scurry County
Snyder Coming West.
W. A. Johnson recently returned from Kansas and Mexico, looking for a location for a cattle ranch. Mr. Johnson found plenty of cheap grazing land in old Mexico, but says the deeds that the states give are not good and that a sale of the land amounts only to a lease, and that for an indefinite time. He visited the plains country in Texas while on the trip and says immigration is pouring into that section by the train load. Land on the western border of the state is selling from \$10 to \$15 per acre.

In Gonzales County
Gonzales Inquirer.
The body of J. P. Lewis was found by the searching party, which had been looking for him for the last three days, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mr. Lewis left his home on Monday noon, stating that he was going to look over his ranch, which he had recently purchased. When he did not return Wednesday a searching party was sent out to look for him. The search has been continued since last Wednesday noon. The body was found two and a half miles from his residence. It was in an advanced stage of decay and was buried last evening where it was found. It is believed he must have been dead since Monday night. Mr. Lewis had not been subject to illness, but the morning before he left home he had complained of dizziness. It is believed he became lost in the confusing paths between his residence in Austin, and was finally overcome by exhaustion. A week ago today Mr. Lewis had moved with his family to the ranch, and may have been killed in a quarrel with the country. Mr. Lewis was 43 years of age. He leaves a wife and two children. His father is Hugh Lewis of Gonzales. His mother-in-law is G. N. Dilworth, also of Gonzales.

In Sutton County
Sonora News.
The bunch of cows Walter Davis sold to Fred Millard averaged 836 and brought \$2.35 per hundred.

Save all the feed, you may need it next year or the one after. Look upon it as an insurance fund.

O. T. Word & Son of Sonora sold to J. A. Whitaker of El Dorado 325 yearling steers at \$3. Delivery made Sept. 26.

B. M. Seward, the land and live stock man, wants a chance to find you a purchaser.

Russell & Bevans shipped from Elgin, Kan., to the Kansas City market 20 bulls, weight 1,911 pounds, which brought \$2.05.

Russell & Blocker shipped from Foster, Okla., to the East St. Louis market on Sept. 17, 34 heifers, 751 pounds, and brought \$3; also 51 cows, weight 756, and brought \$2.40.

If you want to sell your property list it with B. M. Seward, who will rustle you a buyer.

Russell & Bevans shipped from Foster, Okla., to the East St. Louis market on Sept. 17, 196 steers, weight 1,015, and brought \$2.90; also 46 steers, weight 1,194 pounds, which brought \$2.85.

In Edwards County
Rock Springs Times.
J. W. Hamilton sold to A. Miers five head of yearlings and five twos at \$12 and \$16, delivery last Wednesday.

J. J. Minter sold and delivered to J. M. Sinter 746 head of stock cattle—his entire brand—at \$10 for all branded cattle and \$5 for unbranded calves.

J. J. Ellis sold to J. M. Bensen his stock cattle at \$10 around and leased his pasture near town to the same party.

In Llano County
Llano Times.
Mr. Will Gray came in Sunday from the Territory with a set of saddle horses he had been using there. He has closed out his stock of cattle there, consisting of between 3,000 and 4,000 head. His suits with the railroad are still pending settlement, in

which he lost several cars of cattle in a wreck near the Texas line.

Jim Slaughter has been buying some more cattle for his Kinney county ranch, his latest purchase being 890 head of stock cattle from J. J. Minter of Rock Springs. The price is given by the Rock Springs Rustler as \$10 for the branded cattle and \$5 for the unbranded calves.

In Scurry County
Snyder Light.
H. A. Goodwin and his corps of surveyors returned Saturday night from the Bush & Miller ranch, where they surveyed and cut up over hundred sections of land, situated in Scurry, Borden, Mitchell and Howard counties. This land is on the market by means of a contract. Goodwin's helpers were H. R. Looney, Iron Martin, Bert Haugh and Hiram Hedges. They were absent five weeks lacking two days.

In Taylor County
Ahlens News.
Dr. J. W. Parker of San Antonio, and Dan McCuningham of Williamson county, together with a force of veterinarians composed of Drs. Jno. D. Throner, C. Conley, R. W. Beattie and J. B. Ehrhart, came to Taylor war on the ticks, having been commissioned by the agricultural department at Washington to do this work. They are now busily engaged in inspecting the different herds of Mitchell and adjoining counties where fever has been reported to exist among cattle, and will leave no stone unturned in an effort to eradicate this much dreaded disease.

In Brewster County
Alpine Advance.
W. T. Henderson shipped yesterday one carload of cows and one carload of three-year-old steers to New Orleans.

W. T. Henderson has sold to J. B. Irving 162 yearling steers at \$15 per head.

W. S. Blevins has sold to Mrs. Kate Kurtz about 130 stock cattle at \$12 per head.

J. W. Eppy and Ben Pruett brought in a carload of yearling steers and a carload of cows and sold them to Jackson and Harmon, who shipped them to Fort Worth Sunday.

In Howard County
Big Springs Herald.
W. H. Brennan sold and delivered to J. Slaughter, of Borden county, Wednesday, twelve registered Hereford bulls, one year old past. This is as fine a bunch of Herefords as was ever sold and Mr. Slaughter has been in the cattle business long enough to know fine cattle when he sees them.

Cy Fish purchased of J. T. Joyner twenty-six head of two-year-old steers and one steer, all registered Herefords. This was the finest bunch of beef steers ever shipped from here and brought \$3.50 per hundred, the highest market price. The steers averaged 900 pounds.

B. H. Settles shipped sixty-two cows to market this week.

John Roberts shipped sixty-two steers to market this week.

R. C. Sanderson shipped 143 calves to market Monday.

In Sutton County
Sonora News.
James A. Cope sold for S. G. Taylor of San Antonio, 125 head of cows, and four-year-old steers to Bob Flutes of Mount Kavett at \$22.50 per head.

W. B. Stillman of the commission firm of Stillman, Campbell & Evans, of El Dorado, was in Sonora Wednesday and reports having sold for Bob Cauthburn to B. E. Taylor, of San Antonio, a fine bunch of registered about twelve miles south of Sonora and about 500 head of stock cattle. This deal footed up a total consideration of about \$14,000 and is a cash deal.

In Tom Green County
San Angelo Standard.
A. J. Roberts has been ranching in the Alpine country for the past several years, has sold his ranch and invested in a fifty-acre alfalfa farm near Artesia, New Mexico.

Horse buyers in this community report that good horses are hard to find and that when found the prices asked for them are exorbitant. A man in this county makes horse purchases and has found that the prices asked for good horses nowadays finds that there is money in the business.

J. M. and G. P. Mitcham have sold the ranch of G. P. Mitcham, about seventeen miles north of San Angelo, to J. M. Cox at private terms. J. M. Mitcham left Tuesday for his home in Weatherford. He has been in the city for several days on business and is visiting his son, G. P. Mitcham, and family.

FARMER'S FORUM

Nodular disease in sheep is due to a worm that cannot be killed by medicine, says the Breeders' Gazette. In the absence of generous feeding this disease (commonly known as "rotty guts") badly affects sheep, and where nutritious food is freely given from weaning time until sheep are ready for market it seems to do little harm. Feed generously for the first six months of equal parts whole oats and bran, adding a little flaxseed meal or cake; also change pasture, allow free access to salt and supply some sunlight food.

Horses will sometimes eat large quantities of food, but grow thinner in flesh and be dull at work. This condition is usually caused by indigestion. Boll one teacup of flaxseed into a pulp with water and while hot pour it on half a pail of bran and make a mash of it. Give a mash of this kind once a day for a month with one of the following powders in a Mix four ounces each of sulphate of iron and nitrate of potassium and divide into twenty-four doses.

For puffs on neck joints of a horse mix two drams of biniodide of mercury with two ounces of lard, says American Agriculturist. Rub on a little with the fingers. Let it remain on for twenty-four hours, then wash off. Repeat the blister in the same way every third week until the puffs disappear. Keep the animal in the stable with the head tied, so that it cannot get its mouth to the blistered part. After the blister is washed off the animal can be turned out to pasture.

Brittle hoofs are usually the result of standing too much on a dry floor. Soak the feet in a clay puddle two or three times a week, or you may pack the feet with molasses or oil cake meal two or three nights in the week. In addition mix four fluid ounces each of whale oil and pine tar and once a day rub a little well into the coronet and upper part of the hoof. It is desirable to turn to pasture daily. At least give daily exercise and reduce the feed if not in service.—Atlanta Constitution.

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Cotton Seed Advancing
SAN ANGELO, Texas, Sept. 26.—Cattle feeders in this city say that the price of cotton seed oil mill products is advancing rapidly and predict the price of meal will reach \$22 before many weeks. There is not much worry over the situation, however, for there is plenty of rough feed in the country and the range was never finer.

Cable Cattle Shipped
BIG SPRINGS, Texas, Sept. 26.—Just about the finest bunch of cattle ever shipped from the west has just

left here for Kankakee, Ill. There were eighteen cars, 350 head, in the bunch, and they were the finest Hereford and Shorthorn steers ever seen here. These cattle were bred and sold by G. C. Cable to T. F. B. Sotham, one of the best known Hereford breeders in the United States.

The great number of uses to which lime may be put, make it desirable to have a barrel on hand all the time.

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as a rule, be grown in the same parish—sheep and dogs. Sheep are most profitable, but dogs are the favorites with too many farmers.

Confinement is much against the sheep's nature, and unless it has a variety of food, such as could be gleaned from the fields, it will be much poorer in the spring than when taken off the pasture the fall before.

When wool will pay all expenses of keep, whatever growth the sheep are making, whatever lambs they are raising, may be counted as profit. If the sheep are worth no more at the close of the year than they were at the beginning, there will be no profit. It is not only important that the flock as a whole should gain in value, but each sheep of the flock should be gaining. It is better to cull at an early age and not wait until a sheep has lost you money before it is sold.

HIGH PRICE FOR LAMBS

All indications point to feeder lambs selling at advance prices this fall. The breeders are holding back for good prices and it is probable that those who purchased Western lambs will have to buy at a price in advance of last fall. Already 60 per cent is being talked on the Omaha market for feeders and those who last year paid 5 1/2c and lost will consider their bank account and feed for quite a while before paying 6c. It is likely that Southern and Mexican lambs will be sold on the range at 5 1/2c, but even this price is prohibitive, as the most practical breeders claim that unless the lambs are laid down at their feed lots or at a good shipping point, close by, at 5 1/2c they are bound to lose money.

SHEARINGS

Sheep will eat 450 different kinds of weeds. Bran, malt, oats, hay, carrots and green grass or clover are suitable for sick or convalescent animals. Every farmer should have a small flock of sheep on it to keep down the weeds and turn them into dollars.

Among the proverbs bequeathed us by our ancestors is one which supposedly originated among the Spaniards, to the effect that "The sheep has a golden hoof."

When starting a flock, be sure to get the best ewes that you can find. It seldom pays to buy old ewes, as it takes so long and is so hard to get your flock to any high standard.

The executive committee of the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association recently made an appropriation from associated funds for an oil painting of Lewis F. Allen, the founder of the Shorthorn herd book.

Consul General Howe reports from Antwerp that there is a ready market in Belgium for 100,000 lean cattle, annually, for feeding. Belgium depends on France and Holland for lean cattle, and the supply is inadequate. The public utility of the Shorthorn cattle—Colonel Frank O. Lowden, at Oregon, Ogle county, Illinois, thirty-four females averaged \$462.17, seven young bulls averaged \$247.15, the whole lot sold, being 41 head, averaged \$425.36 per head.

There seems to be a natural tendency with all kinds of live stock to degenerate and unless a persistent effort is made to select those that show greatest evidence of improvement the grading up process will be a failure.

An investigation of sheep raising in the Southern states develops the fact that as sheep advanced in value some of the owners of small bands of sheep sold all their stock ewes and went out of the sheep business. This is on a par with a San Antonio dairyman who always sold his best cows and kept his poor ones. The time to sell lambs and muttons is when they are ready for market, and the time to sell stock ewes is when they have outlived their usefulness as breeders.

SELECTING THE NEW FLOCK

If one is raising lambs, both for market and to perpetuate the flock, the animals ought to be carefully watched during the period of growth so that the best ones may be selected, marked and reserved for breeding purposes. It takes some little time and close watching to know just which lambs are the best, but it surely pays to spend the time thought necessary. Be careful also about the pasture the lambs have; the old sheep can manage more or less tough grass, but the lambs should have the tender spots and should also have access occasionally to a field of rape to furnish variety. Unless the pasture for both lambs and sheep is all that it should be, do not depend too wholly upon it, but feed more or less in the way of hay, the tender portions going to the lambs, of course. Then remember the question of water, bearing in mind that all domestic animals suffer from thirst during the summer. Remember how thirsty you get in very warm weather and so treat your animals on the water question as if they were your other selves.—American Stockman.

EAST MUST BREED SHEEP

It should require nothing more than a glance at present prices for feeding lambs and sheep at this time to convince the farmers of the eastern and central portions of the United States that they must pay more attention to the production of lambs for their own use.

Feeding lambs selling at \$6.70 at this time of the year is a heretofore unheard of tax upon the man who would feed and lamb crop all considered—the good flock of thrifty breeding ewes even at their high cost when bought one year ago.—Agriculturist-Journal.

CAREFUL DOCTOR

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance: "Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation."

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Long, short, or upright pasterns, short or upright, they make a horse unpleasant to ride, and on account of extra concussion are apt to cause ossific deposits.

Toes turned in or out. The twist generally occurs at the fetlock. Toes turned out are the most objectionable. When toes turn out, the fetlocks are generally turned in, and animals so formed are likely to cut or brush.

Hind legs too far behind; good propelling power will be wanting, and disease may be expected in the hocks. Very wide or very close behind, or with very straight or very bent hocks. They cause undue concussion; the last are apt to give way.

Spit-up, that is, shows much daylight between the thighs; propelling power comes from behind, and must be deficient in horses without due muscular development between the thighs.

CAREFUL WITH SHY HORSES

Sometimes the shy habit is caused by defective vision, and in the case of horses of excitable temperament it may be induced by strange objects suddenly brought into view. If caused thus, shying is the most easy thing to correct.

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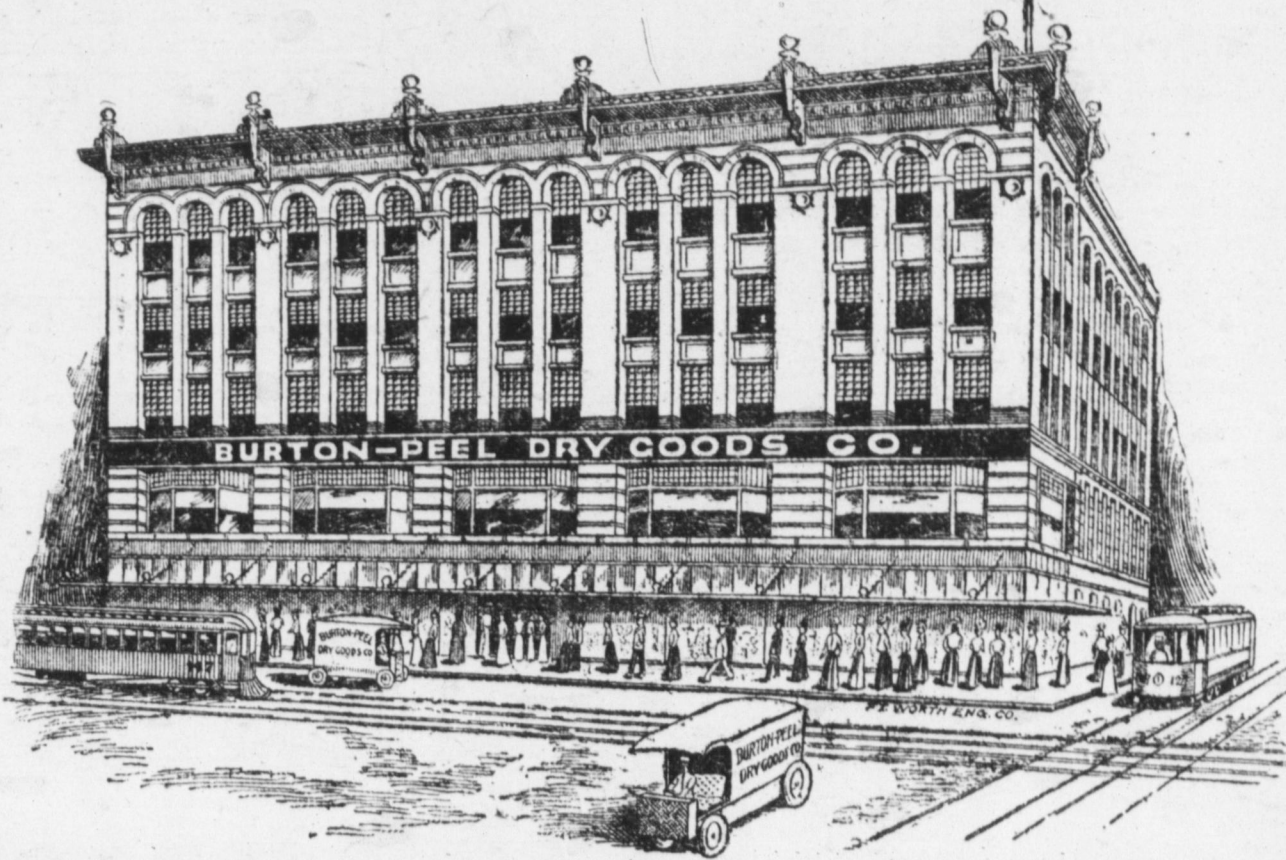
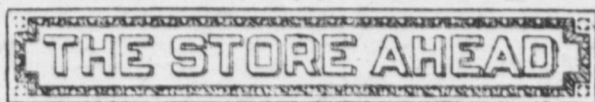
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Dress Goods, the domestic and imported fabrics, plain, plaid and fancy for tailored gowns. Soft fabrics for reception dresses and evening wear, wedding gowns, etc. "Madam Bartels," the leading modiste in the entire South, has charge of our Dress Making Parlors, and will be pleased to consult and give estimates on high grade work. Wedding outfits a specialty. Parlors fifth floor; take elevator.

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Occupying the entire fourth floor, 100x125 feet. The showing for this season comprises Suits from \$12.50 on up to \$150.00. Truly a representative of fashion's foremost varieties for street wear, handsome tailored gowns, evening and reception costumes. The styles and materials include the broadest range to meet your individual preference. Suits and imported models. All the correct coat lengths, made of the leading fabrics. Skirts in the noblest walking or dress lengths, Street Wraps, Coats and Evening Wraps. Nobby plaids and plain cloths. Rain and Auto Coats. Every sort from the \$5.00 lines up to \$125.

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First Floor South---Better and enlarged to meet the new conditions and equipped to supply the most exacting requirements. Understand, not only better tailored garments than sold hereabouts, but as fine as are produced--on a strict equality with the best that the metropolitan establishments can offer.

Men's Suits and Overcoats \$10 to \$40
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FARMERS CAN SURPLUS CROPS

Cherokee County Has Solved Problem Successfully

J. W. Wiggins, a stockman well known in Cherokee county and also around the stock yards as shipper and trader, was in with some stuff which he disposed of and then was ready to talk.

"I live at Jacksonville, Texas," he said, "and in fact was born in Cherokee county south of Jacksonville. Everything, mostly, is good with us, for we have so many avenues thru which to gather in the shekles that we hardly miss one should it fall us. We have very good corn, and all the crops that we raise are the same with the exception of cotton, which is too badly handled by the boll weevil this year to amount to much. Besides these two crops our farmers raise all kinds of vegetables and fruits and there is hardly a time during the summer and fall that something is not ready for harvesting. This gives employment to all who wish it and, as most of them are home folks, the money goes into circulation at home."

"The farmers have small canning establishments at home and when sales become stagnant they can the stuff and bring it to town and sell it on the square to home people and also ship a large part of it. Our cattle are being improved gradually but still the most of them

are still the old east Texas stock. Our hogs too are receiving more attention than in the years past and good hogs are becoming common, but we still have the old razor back as a reminder of the times when it was safer to breed for speed than fat. We are bound to keep some of them for we have a fine meat country.

"Our people are all more or less stock farmers in addition to the regular business. Bermuda grass is our main stay for grazing purposes and with peavines and goober hay we are well prepared for eventualities. Of course we are never at a loss for hog feed, for with the sweet potatoes and other truck hogs will always find good feed even if they are not razor backs."

THE DUPING OF WM. ARCHER

Wm. Archer, miser, was doubtful of the proper plan of action when a shabby man appeared at his door and pleaded for an interview.

Mr. Archer went through life fearing that somebody would ask him for something. He was rich, and good, to himself. But his friends, or those who passed for friends, knew him for a "tight wad."

"It will be to your profit, sir," whined the man. "Just let me tell you my story and you will see that there is money in it for you."

"Money," said Archer, and the creases in his forehead smoothed out and he looked almost happy as he opened wide the door and escorted the visitor to a seat.

"It is like this, sir," said the stranger. "Thirty years ago I was gardener in this very place. I worked for a very rich old woman, and she trusted me. She was dreadfully afraid of thieves and more afraid of burning banks. One day she showed me a

chest and told me that it contained a fortune and that she had dreamed that burglars were going to enter the house and steal it. It was all in gold, she said, and amounted to more than \$10,000. She said we must hurry the money, and in the night, together, we went to a place on these premises and buried the box safe and deep, sir."

"Go on," gasped Archer, rubbing his hands. "This is highly interesting."

"As I was saying, we buried the swag—er, I mean, the money, and next morning my poor mistress was found dead in bed, while the room was turned upside down. The burglars came, sir, and heart disease killed her, but the money is still in the ground."

"And where is it—where—tell me!" "Softly, sir, softly. I'll tell you when you agree that I shall get half. You shall see for yourself that this is no trick. You get hold of the money before I get anything."

"I accept your terms," said Wm. Archer.

"It was near midnight when the shabby man with a spade, escorted Archer to a corner in his own garden, pried up a flagstone and began digging. In ten minutes the spade encountered some obstacle, and a moment later the lid of a rusty iron box was pried open and a great canvas bag was pulled out, a merry clink giving evidence of its golden burden. The bag was carried into the house and the store, somewhat soiled by moisture, was poured into a glittering heap and the division was made.

Archer was as anxious to have the stranger leave the town at once as the stranger could be. The miser was anxious to be alone with his store, and he gladly gave the man bills for his share when the stranger suggested that he could not carry so much gold. It was lead, and a miser fell in a

faint beside the "board," while twenty miles away a shabby man fell of a large roll in his inside pocket and then roared with laughter.

AN UNSIGNED LETTER

In a village in the interior of Russia a police raid was directed to the home of Paul Nekrasoff. It was a period of unrest. Reformers were sought with all the skill of the spies and the force of the soldiery and police. Nekrasoff had been abroad, he read much of English books and so was in the records as a plotter against the czar. The descent upon his cottage was secretly made and carried out at night, but to the great disgust of the police, neither Paul nor evidence of his guilt was found.

Failure of the raid was explained, however, by a slip of paper that had been left behind by the fugitive in his flight. It was an unsigned note in a woman's fine, almost unreadable handwriting, telling of the designs of the police.

Governor Koltsoff raged when the report reached him, but his anger was directed more to the author of the warning letter than Nekrasoff. Only his daughter, Anna, had known that he contemplated making the arrest. The police were notified only when the time for action arrived. That Nekrasoff had ample warning was proved by the fact that he had time to remove all incriminating books and papers, with which the spies had reported his house to be stored.

The governor did not know that the girl had met the reformer while driving, that he had saved her at a time when the driver had been unseated and the horses attached to her sledge were plunging badly across the

stopper. In silence she heard her father de-

nounce the woman who had given the warning and that he would rather capture her than the fugitive himself. Alone in her room the girl was tortured by the deception she had practiced upon her father. Whether to confess and receive the penalty of his wrath or to hide her guilt was a problem that drove sleep from her eyes and filled her mind with doubt.

Late the next morning she ordered breakfast served in her room. Then, all doubts having been dissolved, she marched resolutely to her father's study. He turned from the documents that held his attention and drew her to his side. In a brief but clear narrative she confessed her wrongdoing and expressed her willingness to bear the punishment he might choose to inflict.

"My dear," he said, tenderly, drawing her to his side, "I recognized the handwriting the moment the letter was handed to me, but wanted to see whether you would conceal your action from me. Had you done so I would not have spared you, but now I know I have a daughter who is not only brave but honorable. I am proud of her."

Years later, when the governor had passed away and a general pardon had permitted Nekrasoff to return to the country, the fugitive and the governor's daughter met at a select reception in St. Petersburg. There was no need of any introduction.

When they had discussed their experiences he took her hand and said softly: "And, years ago you gave me liberty, but at the same time you took my heart prisoner. Will you render it back to me now?"

Raising her eyes fearlessly she asked: "Paul, will you not take mine instead?"

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JAILED IN EL PASO

Dick Riggs Held As Prisoner for Six Hours

EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 1.—Dick Riggs, the ranchman who shot and killed J. W. McCutcheon on the latter's ranch about fifty miles southeast of Pecos recently, was a prisoner in the El Paso jail for six hours yesterday.

He was brought in by Captain J. H. Rogers of the state ranger force and

turned over to Sheriff Leavill of Reeves county, who carried him to Pecos. After the killing, which occurred in Reeves county, Riggs surrendered to the rangers in Alpine, in Brewster county. He was accompanied to this city and on to Pecos by his two brothers, Monroe and Tom. At Pecos it is understood his brothers will make an effort to have him released on bond through habeas corpus proceedings.



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FORT WORTH MARKET

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WEDNESDAY'S MARKETS... Receipts of cattle today were again almost liberal, 2,800 head being in for the forenoon selling.

Beef steers were fairly numerous, but were not wanted except at liberal concessions in value. Bids were so out of line in the estimation of the scales at 11 a. m. that the few that finally sold were quoted from 10c to a quarter lower.

Stockers and Feeders... The sales of stockers and feeders were as follows: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.

Butcher Cattle... The friendly disposition of buyers toward cows on the first two days of the week had all evaporated overnight, and opening bids were fully a dime lower than on yesterday.

Sales of cows... The market was steady to strong. The market for calves was steady to strong.

Bulls... The bulls were few in the count, going principally to speculators at unchanged prices. Sales of bulls: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.

Calves... Call receipts came in today to the number of about 600 head, coming chiefly from west Texas. They were of very fair quality, but the packers were not inclined to buy many calves.

Hogs... The run of hogs today was moderately large for the third market day of the week, about 300 head coming in, mostly from the territories, with a few from Texas points and twelve drive-ins.

Receipts of heavy packing hogs... The heavy packing hogs averaged from 204 to 235 pounds, and mediums from 180 to 198 pounds.

Mediums... Mediums were sold at \$3.75 to \$3.85, and light hogs at \$3.50 to \$3.65.

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The market was fully steady with yesterday. Sales: Av. Wt. Price. 75 mixed 102 55.00. 36 lambs and yearlings 68 5.42 1/2. 245 weathers 90 5.00. 15 culls 78 3.50.

FRIDAY'S MARKETS... The Friday cattle receipts were light, probably caused by the dull trade of the past three days.

Beef steers... Up to the noon hour no trading in beef steers had been indicated in all the ten loads were on the market.

Stockers and Feeders... One lot of stockers and feeders sold as follows: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price. 49... 1,090 \$3.30.

Butcher Stock... Butcher stock were equally as dull as steers. Not a car load had crossed the scales at 11 o'clock.

Cows... The calf market suffered a break of 2c to 3c at the opening bid.

Hogs... The hog market has been fluctuating one all the week.

Calves... The run of calves today came to about 700 head, coming in chiefly from the northern division.

Bulls... The bull market was steady to strong. Sales of bulls: No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. Price.

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VIEWS ON THE MARKET

Godair-Crowley Commission Co. Steer Trade... The low values of last week were felt materially in the receipts on the opening day of this week.

Stockers and Feeders... The market is strong and active on all cattle that can be classed as feeders. Stocker and feeder steers, where they show breeding, are selling at prices ranging from 2.85 to 3.10.

Butcher Stock... The week's market opened with a moderate supply of butcher stock. The bulk of the offerings showed fair quality and flesh.

Cows... The cow market was steady to strong. Receipts of heavy packing cows averaged from 204 to 235 pounds.

Hogs... The hog market was steady to strong. Receipts of heavy packing hogs averaged from 204 to 235 pounds.

Calves... The market opened with a liberal run of calves in. Receipts of heavy packing calves averaged from 204 to 235 pounds.

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\$2 to \$2.75. In view of the light receipts and the tone of the market, we look for some improvement in prices next week.

Practically no sheep are coming to this market just at present, although there is some inquiry on the part of the quotable at \$4.75 to \$5.

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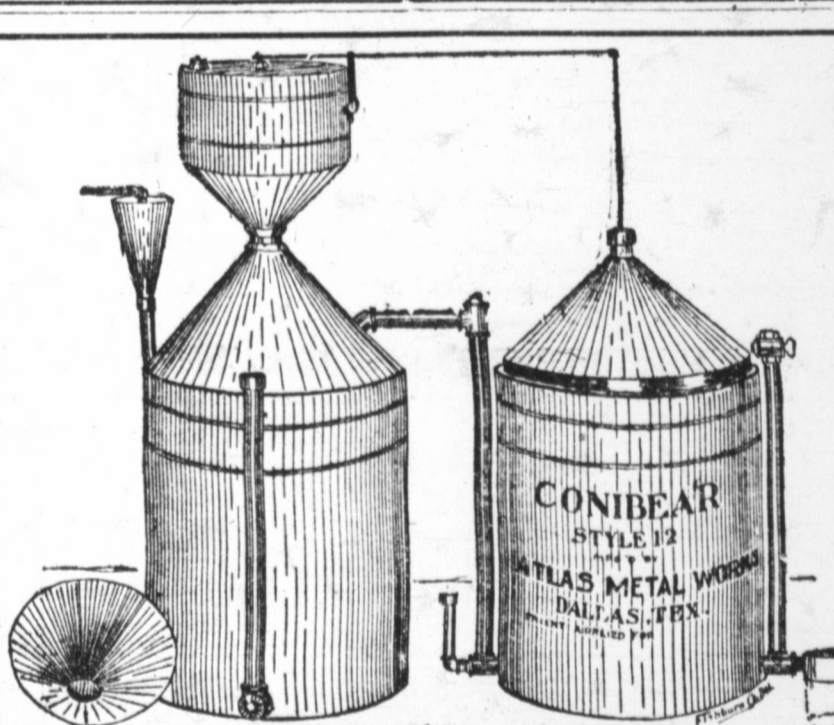
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TEXAS CLIMATE GETTING BETTER?

D. T. Cogdell Says Seasons Growing More Favorable

D. T. Cogdell is one of the best-known business men in North Texas, and especially in Fort Worth. He is a large land owner, stockman, farmer and banker. "Yes," he says, "I have lived in the state all of my life, and think that I could not have been raised in a better part of the Lord's footstool. But there have been many changes and evolutions in the various interests of the state and even in the characteristics of the people. One of the greatest changes that has struck me as most wonderful is the alteration in the climate, or rather in the rainfall or moisture for crop raising. Now I live in Granbury, in Hood county, and there is not a better agricultural county in Texas for cotton, corn and other crops that go to make up the crops of this section. It is not once in a while, but it has become the regular thing to have a seasonable year. Now, I can remember when I was a boy my father lived in Dallas county, now considered one of the best corn counties anywhere, and which never fails to make a corn crop. Well, that did not happen to be the case in those days, but the whole of Dallas county and North Texas west of the Trinity was looked upon as nothing better than grazing land, where no crop would grow. A half crop every three years was about the best they could expect. I can remember distinctly when there was no corn anywhere and I had not seen a grain in two years somebody told me that a man had some down the river and a lot of us boys set out afoot and walked fifteen miles to the man's place and brought some of the seed all the way had. It was a hard flint corn, very little bigger than popcorn, but it was corn all the same, and we were glad to get it. That is a sample and would apply to all the country at that time. It is useless to call your attention to the changed conditions now, for you know what they are without my telling you. Hood county today has fine crops of all kinds and the cotton crop will be as good as we have ever had. Of course, we have some boll worms, but they cannot hurt most now; it is too late.

"I am selling my cattle off and am going to sell part of my land to farmers and hold the rest for a while. We have no boll weevil in our country to hurt, but I suppose they are there all right. I am of the opinion, as many other old-timers are, that the boll weevil has been with us all the time and we did not discover him until the government got to looking around and stirred him up and located him. My reason for this is, we have always had raising of blooms, forms and small in-keepers up with the plant and consequently, mature bolls, and especially did this occur when the weather was wet and shedding.

"Again, the same thing prevails in the crop of live oak acorn crop. Some years the crop is fine and nothing troubles it, and then the next year the acorns all fall off and every one has a small hole in it and a worm similar to the boll weevil worm crawls out. This always happens during showery weather after a slight drought and under similar conditions that produce the boll weevil. The weevil that affects the acorn is precisely the same as the boll weevil, except that it has no strong feelers, one on each side of its head. In the case of the boll weevil these feelers are used as stays to hold the body of the weevil in position while he bores his way with his strong bill into the form or young boll. The acorn borer does not need these guys and therefore nature dispenses with them in his makeup.

"To exemplify the evil that the boll weevil can do I will relate a case in point that came under my own observation. There was a farmer down with me who rented some land from me and planted a crop of cotton, sixty acres or more. I had a mortgage on the crop for rent and a merchant in our town had one on the goods furnished. In the course of time the cotton season plant, caused by the rain after a dry spell, and the inability of the forms to take on the growth to the ground, was shivery and the ground damp. We came in that this particular man was opened and picking began, but word of it to the sudden new growth of the not picking any cotton at all. The merchant came to me at the bank and told me what was said and I promised to look into the matter. Being called to my ranch the following Sunday, my son and I passed this man's cotton and

it looked vigorous and fine. Coming to his house, he was not at home and I asked his wife if I could look through the cotton, and she said: "Oh, yes; look away." In a disgusted tone. We went in and looked over the field, and I gave you my word there was no sign of blooms, forms, bolls or cotton; the weevil had done their work successfully and the man had no cotton to pick.

"I look upon Kaffir corn as the best feed all around in the country. I have raised two crops and speak from experience. It does not grow well with us as a constant crop; it is too moist for it, but it is certainly good stuff and is making West Texas. I am going on a trip to the line of New Mexico and Texas in the Panhandle. One of our old citizens who had moved up there came back the other day with samples of cabbage, onions, fruit, etc., that beat anything, and he said they had been raised by dry farming. If they can do that without water, what would they not do with it? So I am going up to look into the matter."

RAISING MORE FRUIT

Grayson County Farmers Taking Advantage of Opportunity

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CONDEMN TEN CARS OF MEAT

Big Shipment Comes Under Ban of Inspector

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—Two cars of cold storage chickens and ten cars of meat was condemned by Inspector Murray and his assistants. In each of fifteen carcasses of diseased cattle and four calves. The condemnation of the chickens was due to private advices received by Murray from Canada. When he learned that the lot had escaped him and was on the way to New York he notified the authorities there so that they may carry out the instructions.

RANCHMAN KILLED

George O. Howell Mets Death When Thrown From Horse

EL PASO, Texas, Sept. 27.—George O. Howell, a prominent ranchman at Van Horn, this county, was killed instantly while rounding up cattle, his horse stumbling in a hole and throwing him. The body was found twenty miles from Van Horn, after several days' search.

RIGHT HOME

Doctor Recommends Postum From Personal Test.

No one is better able to realize the injurious action of caffeine—the drug in coffee—on the heart, than the doctor.

When the doctor himself has been relieved by simply leaving off coffee and using Postum, he can refer with full conviction to his own case.

A Missouri physician, prescribed Postum for many of his patients because he was benefited by it. He says: "I wish to add my testimony in regard to an excellent preparation—Postum. I have had functional or nervous heart trouble for over 15 years, and part of the time was unable to attend to my business.

"I was a moderate user of coffee and did not think drinking it hurt me. But on stopping it and using Postum instead, my heart has got all right, and I ascribe it to the change from coffee to Postum.

"I am prescribing it now in cases of sickness, especially when coffee does not agree, or affects the heart, nerves or stomach.

"When made right it has a much better flavor than coffee, and is a vital sustainer of the system. I shall continue to recommend it to our people, and I have my own case to refer to." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkg. "There's a reason."

LLANO STOCK CO. MOVES HERE

Changes Headquarters to Be Nearer Business

Fort Worth being recognized as the center of the stock interests of the state and of the southwest, very many stockmen have so arranged their affairs as to make this city their headquarters and others are moving from other cities, where they have heretofore made the centers of their business, and are moving with the intention of making their homes here for the future. Among these latter is the Llano Live Stock Company, which heretofore has made its home in Dallas. "Yes, I have moved to Fort Worth," said E. T. Ambler, president of the company, to a reporter, "and will build me a home on some lots that I bought some two years ago with a view to the possibilities of this move being necessary. In the meanwhile I have rented the home of Fountain G. Oxshier and shall occupy it until my home is completed and ready for occupancy. Oxshier will go to the ranch and spend some time with his wife, giving her a rest, he says, and will board at the Worth when he returns, so you see this comes in handy for me.

"The Llano Live Stock Company is located in Garza and Lynn counties. The ranch is known as the Currycomb. I am the president of the company, which has had its headquarters in Dallas. We have 115,000 acres of land and 8,000 head of cattle. The ranch lands are located partly on the plains and partly below the cap rock. This gives us a good summer pasture in which to run our stock and in the meantime the portion below the cap rock is growing grass for the winter. The open country of the plains makes it very hard on stock in the winter and it is necessary to have some kind of protection for the cattle. The breaks and draws that are found below the cap rock are full of very fine mesquite and cattle can keep warm and thoroughly protected from the fierce northerners during the hardest winter.

"There is plenty of well water of good quality and the grass is mesquite and black gramma. The cattle on the ranch are grades, the original stock being Shorthorns, but we have for some years been crossing with registered Hereford bulls and this makes a better cross and best cattle for all purposes. They possess the good qualities of both breeds. Grass is simply excellent this year and I never saw it better. They are fat and water go into the winter in as good shade as possible.

"When I made up my mind to leave Dallas and come over here my friends urged me not to leave; said that I could do business from there and come to Fort Worth two or three times a week on the interurban, but I knew better. The place for a man who has business interests such as mine must be on the ground all the time where the business is conducted and be ready to take advantage of everything turning up. Fort Worth being the cattle center, it necessarily follows that those interested in stock must locate where the market is and where they can meet the stockmen from the various sections of the country. This is self-evident and there in Fort Worth has the advantage of all other places in the southwest. I shall go to the ranch about the first of each month."

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NO INSPECTION OF FOREIGN MEATS

Law Just Passed Applies to Home Markets

WASHINGTON, Sept. 28.—The secretary of agriculture has just received from the attorney general the text of the important opinion rendered, the latter answering in the negative the question submitted to him as to whether or not the meat inspection law passed at the last session of congress applied to meat products imported into the United States from foreign countries.

Mr. Moody held that the provisions of the meat inspection amendments has reference entirely to domestic slaughtering and meat packing establishments, having been passed immediately in response to the message of the President to congress, transmitting the Neil-Reynolds report of the conditions in the Chicago stock yards and packing houses and urging the passage of legislation providing adequate inspection of meat and meat foods in products entering into interstate commerce and for the supervision of the methods of preparing the same.

New Mexico Tract Sold

DALHART, Texas, Sept. 28.—A. A. Ball of Dalhart has sold to the Wheatland Investment Company, also of Dalhart, 63,000 acres of land in New Mexico, near Tucuman. This land, known as the Carls Springs grant, was owned by Buchanan, Jackson & Taylor, and the price paid was \$150,000. The Wheatland Investment Company purchased this land for a colonization proposition and expects to establish an office on the land and run an automobile line from Tucuman out to the land, which lies twelve miles from the railroad.

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