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LAST EDITION LIVE STOCK MARKET

Official Receipts 70 Cars, 2,054 Cattle; 42 Cars, 3,103 Hogs; 45 Cars, 11,281 Sheep.

STEERS STRONG TO HIGHER
Prime Steers Sold up to \$5.75
And Good Kinds Sold
Around \$5.20 to \$5.30.

MARKET HAD GOOD LIFE

Active Demand for Butchers' Stock
With Prices Ruling Strong to 10c Higher—Yard Traders Created a Lively Market for Stock and Feeding Cattle at a Higher Range of Prices—Hogs in Small Supply and Market 2-2c to 5c Lower—Big Supply of Sheep and Lambs and Market Active and Steady.

RECEIPTS FROM JANUARY 1, 1905.

The following table shows the receipts from January 1, 1905, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1904:

	1905	1904	Inc
Cattle	97,000	120,908	23,890
Hogs	475,873	407,698	68,175
Sheep	233,620	173,569	60,051
Horses	6,575	6,187	388

Receipts—	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Monday, Mar. 20	1,607	5,390	6,352
Tuesday, Mar. 21	2,967	7,111	5,757
Wednesday, Mar. 22	1,481	6,058	4,496
Thursday, Mar. 23	2,178	6,827	6,997
Friday, Mar. 24	315	4,990	2,615
Saturday, Mar. 25	80	1,350	275
Total for week	7,548	29,738	25,301
Previous week	9,672	30,434	20,113
Month ago	7,110	31,100	11,300
Year ago	8,521	22,287	15,352

Shipments—	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Monday, Mar. 20	779	4,500	5,500
Tuesday, Mar. 21	608	4,500	4,500
Wednesday, Mar. 22	608	4,500	4,500
Thursday, Mar. 23	526	4,500	4,500
Friday, Mar. 24	482	4,500	4,500
Saturday, Mar. 25	673	4,500	4,500
Total for week	3,405	29,000	4,702
Previous week	4,110	427,458	4,548
Month ago	2,969	45	3,615
Year ago	3,423	116	6,129

LIVE STOCK IN SIGHT.

The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Chicago	22,000	40,000	20,000
Kansas City	7,700	7,000	13,300
South Omaha	8,300	4,000	10,400
South St. Joseph	2,100	3,100	11,300
East St. Louis	1,900	3,600	800
Totals	38,000	57,600	61,800
Saturday	650	20,000	4,500
Week ago	39,000	47,900	37,000
Month ago	43,000	61,900	54,000
Year ago	45,700	51,000	46,100

RECEIPTS OF STOCK BY CARS.

The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads centering at the stock yards:

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Burlington and Missouri	54		
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy	54		
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific	6		
Great Western	2		
Hannibal and St. Joseph	3		
Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs	35		
Missouri Pacific	16		
St. Joseph and Grand Island	29		
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe	24		
Total	169		

CATTLE.

Prices Rule Strong and Higher on Moderate Receipts.

The market on all kinds of cattle ruled active and higher today. The total at five markets was of moderate volume, bulletins indicating only about 36,000 for opening day of the week. Outside markets were reported steady to higher. On the local yards the supply was light but included a fair proportion of well fattened steers. Demand was good and a quick clearance was made with values ruling full strong to 10c higher.

A very good quality of steers, fat but lacking weight, sold at \$5.20 to \$5.30. Bulk of fat steers on offer sold in a range of \$4.75 to \$5.10 for good light to medium weights, with coarse quality at \$4.50 to \$4.75 and good light weight dressed beef steers at \$4.40 to \$4.75 with common killers at \$4.00 to \$4.30. The market is starting out in good condition and opinion with the trade favors strong prices for the week.

DRESSED BEEF AND SHIPPING STEERS.

No.	Av. Price	No.	Av. Price
1	1602.5	76	850.00
2	1273.5	77	1005.4
3	1388.5	78	856.4
4	1350.5	79	903.4
5	1196.5	80	864.4
6	1220.5	81	1008.4
7	1195.5	82	786.4
8	1225.5	83	

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

Receipts in the sheep stock line were light and with all buyers riding freely the market ruled strong to 10c higher. Range of prices is wider than recently, owing to deterioration in quality and reports of sales do not show as high figures as recently, but the country should take quality into consideration. Good to choice fat corned cows and

heifers can be quoted at \$4.00 to \$4.50 but the bulk sold at a range of \$3.40 to \$3.90 with common killers at \$3.00 to \$3.99. Canners went at \$1.50 to \$2.75 with bulk at \$2.00 to \$2.50. Bulls and calves were about steady with receipts very light.

BRISERS.

	1905	1904	1903
1	707.4	549.3	500.0
2	881.3	500.3	500.0
3	602.3	787.3	40.0
4	845.3	815.3	35.0

BULLS AND STAGS.

	1905	1904	1903
1	1070.4	1460.3	3.00
2	1070.4	1630.3	3.00
3	1070.4	1700.3	2.85
4	1070.4	1570.3	2.75
5	1070.4	1490.3	2.65
6	1070.4	1370.3	2.65
7	1070.4	1600.3	2.60
8	1070.4	90.4	0.00
9	1070.4	190.3	0.75
10	1070.4	130.3	0.75
11	1070.4	149.3	0.75
12	1070.4	137.3	0.75
13	1070.4	130.3	0.75
14	1070.4	149.3	0.75
15	1070.4	137.3	0.75
16	1070.4	130.3	0.75
17	1070.4	149.3	0.75
18	1070.4	137.3	0.75
19	1070.4	130.3	0.75
20	1070.4	149.3	0.75

VEAL CALVES.

	1905	1904	1903
1	170.5	170.4	0.00
2	190.5	190.3	0.75
3	190.5	190.3	0.75
4	170.5	190.3	0.75
5	170.5	190.3	0.75

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Local buyers were out in full force this morning and made a good strong to 10c higher market for all offerings at hand. Supply held over from last week was not large and traders were wanting fresh supply. Some extra good blacks sold up to \$5.00, but this is a high figure to quote for feeders, a very good class of strong weights going at \$4.25 to \$4.50 and the bulk at \$3.75 to \$4.00 and common to fair quality at \$2.25 to \$3.00. Light young cattle are in good request at \$3.25 to \$4.25 with an attractive quality of yearlings at \$3.75 to \$4.00.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

	1905	1904	1903
1	1284.5	1400.4	1.25
2	985.4	802.4	1.15
3	985.4	700.4	1.00
4	985.4	700.4	1.00
5	985.4	700.4	1.00
6	985.4	700.4	1.00
7	985.4	700.4	1.00
8	985.4	700.4	1.00
9	985.4	700.4	1.00
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15	985.4	700.4	1.00
16	985.4	700.4	1.00
17	985.4	700.4	1.00
18	985.4	700.4	1.00
19	985.4	700.4	1.00
20	985.4	700.4	1.00

YEARLINGS AND CALVES.

	1905	1904	1903
1	592.4	410.3	3.50
2	675.4	480.3	3.50
3	690.4	387.3	3.25
4	690.4	351.3	3.25
5	690.4	351.3	3.25
6	690.4	351.3	3.25
7	690.4	351.3	3.25
8	690.4	351.3	3.25
9	690.4	351.3	3.25
10	690.4	351.3	3.25
11	690.4	351.3	3.25
12	690.4	351.3	3.25
13	690.4	351.3	3.25
14	690.4	351.3	3.25
15	690.4	351.3	3.25
16	690.4	351.3	3.25
17	690.4	351.3	3.25
18	690.4	351.3	3.25
19	690.4	351.3	3.25
20	690.4	351.3	3.25

FEEDING COWS AND STOCK BRISERS.

	1905	1904	1903
1	480.3	583.2	8.85
2	733.3	373.2	6.65
3	390.3	351.2	5.50
4	550.3	610.2	5.00
5	450.3	660.2	2.25
6	587.3	335.2	0.90
7	580.3	2.00	

FEEDING BULLS AND STAGS.

	1905	1904	1903
1	1060.3	2.25	

QUARTAIN CATTLE.

There was only a small number offered on the southern side today, and the eagerness with which they were taken would indicate that many more could be sold to equal as good advantage to the shipper. The demand was very keen and prices ruled 10c to 15c higher than last Monday, the offering of steers today being the same brand, but not of as good quality, as those offered a week ago. The few cows offered also sold stronger and were in strong demand.

STEERS.

	1905	1904	1903
R. H. Hoss, Okla.	108	1044	4.80
R. H. Hoss, Okla.	1	1130	4.80
R. H. Hoss, Okla.	1	825	3.50
R. H. Hoss, Okla.	1	870	3.90

COWS.

	1905	1904	1903
L. A. Robbins, Tex.	24	686	2.05
L. A. Robbins, Tex.	4	662	1.50

BULLS.

	1905	1904	1903
R. H. Hoss, Okla.	2	1550	2.50

Packer's Cattle Purchases.

	1905	1904	1903
Swift and Company	400		
Nelson Morris & Co.	296		
Hammond Packing Co.	113		
Totals	809		

Packer's Hogs Sheep.

	1905	1904	1903
Swift and Company	976		
Hammond Packing Co.	296		
Cudahy Packing Co.	296		
Totals	1,568		

Stocker Movement Saturday.

	1905	1904	1903
Missouri—			
M. Whitford, Guilford	1		
Adger Owen, Fairfax	1		
Totals	2		
Kansas—			
W. D. Maker, Morrill	2		
H. E. Burs, Leona	4		
J. E. Bailey, Sabetha	1		
S. W. Howard, Hiawatha	3		
R. E. Huff, Concordia	4		
G. E. Yager, Cummings	1		
Totals	15		
Nebraska—			
Peter Dodson, Humboldt	1		
Ira Jacke, Salem	1		
John Johnson, Holdrege	1		
Frank Detrick, Red Cloud	1		
Jacob Newton, Og.	1		
John Hancock, Bertrand	1		
J. H. Daniels, Verdon	1		
Totals	7		
Grand Total	24		

HOGS.

Heavy Receipts East Caused Break in the Market.

Concentration of supplies in Chicago caused the hog market to rule lower today regardless of the nominal supplies at outside points. Local receipts were very small for the first commercial day of the week and quality was generally good, offerings running pretty largely

of the unfavorable conditions sellers conceded a 2 1/2c decline, and the only slowness in trading was instances where sellers thought they were not being bid the market. Owing to the few on sale, however, a rather early clearance was made. Prices were again in small quota and prices indicated no special change from the close of the week.

Prices ranged from \$5.15 to \$5.30, the bulk selling at \$5.22 to \$5.35, week ago \$5.17 to \$5.25, a month ago at \$4.80 to \$4.90, a year ago \$5.20 to \$5.25, two years ago at \$4.20 to \$4.35, three years ago at \$6.70 to \$6.85 and four years ago at \$6.00 to \$6.05.

The average cost was \$5.22, as compared with \$5.28 Saturday, \$5.20 a week ago, \$4.83 a month ago, \$5.20 a year ago, \$7.27 two years ago, \$6.74 three years ago and \$6.00 on the same day four years ago.

PIGS AND LIGHTS—190 LBS AND UNDER.

No.	Av. Shk. Price	No.	Av. Shk. Price
70	1.0	5	1.15
81	1.24	5	1.25
89	1.65	16	1.15

HEAVY AND MIXED—200 LBS AND OVER.

No.	Av. Shk. Price	No.	Av. Shk. Price
61	2.53	5	3.00
57	2.68	40	2.75
66	2.48	5	2.75
63	2.36	5	2.75
64	2.44	5	2.75
64	2.26	80	2.75
17	2.80	5	2.75
114	2.49	5	2.75
64	2.26	5	2.75
64	2.27	5	2.75
63	2.48	80	2.75
65	2.50	5	2.75
59	2.78	80	2.75
57	2.33	5	2.75
66	2.27	40	2.75
61	2.69	5	2.75
68	2.35	5	2.75
80	2.34	5	2.75

ODDS, ENDS AND WAGON HOGS.

No.	Av. Shk. Price	No.	Av. Shk. Price
1	423	5	2.75
5	3.32	5	2.75
33	2.34	5	2.75
8	2.33	5	2.75
8	2.38	5	2.75
18	2.31	5	2.75
5	3.52	5	2.75
15	1.71	5	2.75

Packer's Hog Purchases.

	1905	1904	1903
Swift and Company	1,478		
Hammond Packing Co.	893		
Nelson Morris & Co.	686		
Totals	2,974		

Range of Prices.

This Week	Last Week
Monday	\$5.15 to \$5.30
Tuesday	5.15 to 5.30
Wednesday	5.15 to 5.30

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THE RURAL TELEPHONE. A writer in the "Chicago Tribune" says: A cattle buyer drove into the yard of a farmer about fifty miles from Chicago the other day and made an offer for all the cattle and pigs on hand, delivery to be made at once.

WERE MARRIED ON A "DARE" Now the Father of the Bride Has the Bond Joining Youthful Couple Annulled.

SAYS WIFE SHOULD WORK. Professor of Political Economy Thinks Women Should Also Labor Though Married.

BIG IMMIGRATION INCREASE Present Year's Figures Expected to Be Greatest in History of the Country.

ENGLISH CLING TO LUGGAGE Brits Show Antipathy to Being Separated from Baggage While on a Tour.

BLONDE WOMEN WEAKER. Their Darker Sisters Less Prone to Disease, Declares a London Physician.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS. The Chicago Great Western Railway will on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, January to April inclusive, sell homeseekers' tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mexico, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia and Wyoming.

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12 JACKS 12. From 2 to 6 years old, good colors, black, with white points, massive bone and body, range from 1,500 to 2,000 lbs. All jacks were raised on my farm with one exception. Also seven No. 1 Jennets. All are well bred and will bear the closest inspection. Come and see or write. JOHN H. CAREY, Agency, Mo. On Lexington branch, A. T. & S. F. Ry, 12 miles southeast of St. Joseph.

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INN IS STILL INTACT.

HISTORIC TAVERN AT HARTSVILLE, PA., UNCHANGED.

Was Favorite Stopping Place of Benjamin Franklin and a Prominent Relay Station in Early Stages of Postal Service.

Hartsville, Pa.—An ancient tavern is still standing in Hartsville which is of special interest to history students because of its association with Benjamin Franklin's connection with the postal service of colonial days.

It was known as the "Old Cross Roads hotel" in the long ago, when Hartsville was called "Hart's Cross Roads," because the Bristol road and the York road here intersect.

He is noted as having been a man of fine appearance and great physical strength, and while in Plumstead he had been prominent in the capture of the Doans, who, during the revolution, took advantage of the troublous times to rob and murder many of the citizens of the region, and even to plunder the county treasury at Newtown of several thousand dollars.

The early stages carrying the United States mail from Philadelphia to New York ran on the York road, and always stopped at the old hostelry. Here they took a relay of horses, and it is a tradition that on their way from the north, when the driver reached the top of Kerr's hill, a mile distant, he gave a long, loud blast to his horn, a signal that the fresh horses at the hotel should be brought out of the stable ready to be attached to the coach.

COAL MINE IN THE SAND.

Mexican Merchant Will Reap a Net Profit of Over \$140,000 on an Investment of \$110.

Coatzacoacoas, Mexico.—Six years ago a three-masted schooner loaded with 10,000 tons of good coal was sunk in the Coatzacoacoas bay, a short distance from shore.

Emilio Frank, a merchant of Coatzacoacoas, took a look at the situation and came to the conclusion that the construction of the harbor jetties here would cause the sand to drift over the bulk, and that in the course of a few years he would be able to mine the coal at a shallow depth under the sand.

The sand now almost covers the bulk of the stranded vessel, and in a few more months he will begin mining the coal. It came from the United States, and as it is worth \$14 to \$20 in gold a ton at this place he will obtain a net return of \$140,000 to \$200,000 on his investment of \$110.

UNFORTUNATE YOUNGSTER.

Irk some Restrictions That Surround a Young Heir to Many Millions.

There is a four-year-old boy in New York, heir to \$10,000,000, who is going to miss a whole lot of fun. His guardians have set out to bring him up "ideally." To this end everything that money can do will be done.

Japan Honors German Prince. Tokyo, March 27.—On the eve of his departure for Bayla to attend the wedding of Crown Prince Frederick William and the Duchess Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, Count Arco-Valley, the German minister to Japan, was dined and given a reception by Prince and Princess Arisuwaga.

There is great danger that the boy who is "ideally" brought up will become a narrow-minded, snobbish, selfish man.

RELICS OF A REVOLUTION.

Gold Watches Hid in Paris in Stormy Days of 1797 Discovered in a Bed Bolster.

Paris.—A young chauffeur who had lodgings in a hotel in the Rue Bocador had recently been complaining to the hotelkeeper that his bed was so uncomfortable as to prevent him from sleeping.

WHAT YOU OWE TO MOTHER

Orison Sweet Marden Tells in His Magazine Success How to Make Her Comfortable and Happy.

To manifest an interest in whatever interests or amuses her. To seek her comfort and pleasure in all things before your own.

To make her frequent, simple presents and be sure that they are appropriate and tasteful.

To lift all the burdens you can from her shoulders that have grown steeped in waiting upon and working for you.

To treat her with the unvarying courtesy and deference you accord to those who are above you in rank or position.

To study her tastes and habits, her likes and dislikes, and cater to them as far as possible in an unobtrusive way.

To do your best to keep her youthful in appearance, as well as in spirit, by taking pains with her dress and the little accessories and details of her toilet.

Not to shock or pain her by making fun of her religious prejudices if they happen to be at variance with yours, or if they seem narrow to your advanced views.

To introduce all your young friends to her and to enlist her sympathies in youthful projects, hopes, and plans, so that she may carry her own youth into old age.

To talk to her about your work, your studies, your friends, your amusements, the books you read, the places you visit, for everything that concerns you is of interest to her.

To remember that her life is monotonous compared with yours, and to take her to some suitable place of amusement, or for a little trip to the country, or to the city if your home is in the country, as frequently as possible.

The girl who endeavors to pay back what she owes her mother is the one who will be most sought after by the people who are worth while, and be apt to make the most successful life.—Success.

CONFEDERATE BATTLE FLAG RETURNED.

Washington, March 27.—Acting under authority of a special act of congress, Gen. Alsworth, the military secretary, has commenced the delivery to the governors of all southern states affected, of all Confederate battle flags captured by the Union forces during the war of the rebellion.

McCORMICK GOES TO PARIS.

Paris, March 27.—Official exchanges between Washington and Paris have brought about an understanding whereby the transferees of Ambassador Porter and McCormick will occur at the end of April as originally planned.

JAPAN HONORS GERMAN PRINCE.

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KANSAS ARBOR DAY.

Topeka, Kas., March 27.—Governor Hoch has issued a proclamation designating Friday, April 7, as Arbor Day. He urges that school children and all citizens devote the day to tree planting.

TORPEDO BOAT SUNK.

Toulon, March 27.—During naval maneuvers off this harbor to-day torpedo boat No. 250 sank. Her crew were saved.

HEAVY FLOUR ORDERS.

Minneapolis Millers Receive Orders That Exceed All Their Expectations.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 27.—Japanese flour orders continue to pour in upon Minneapolis millers at a rate that has exceeded all expectations.

The last week brought in calls for consignments ranging from 5,000 to 25,000 sacks. One of the big companies states that it is thirty days behind on Japanese orders with every mill running to its maximum capacity.

Other companies report like conditions. These orders are all made clearable from the seaboard within two months. This shows that flour is wanted immediately by the Japanese government.

Quotations are holding firm and millers expect no variations for the present.

HOCH MAKES APPOINTMENTS.

John Q. Boyce Gets Bank Commissioner—Other Places Filled.

Topeka, Kas., March 27.—Gov. Hoch announced these appointments tonight. Bank Commissioner—John Q. Boyce, Phillipsburg. Members of the Board of Control—E. B. Schermierorn, Galena; H. C. Bowman, Newton; Sherman Elliot, Lawrence. Woman Visiting Committee to Charitable Institutions—Mrs. W. Eugene Stanley, Wichita; Mrs. Cora G. Lewis, Kinsley. Directors of the Penitentiary—W. I. Bidde, Leavenworth; to succeed Mark Tully of Independence; T. C. Ballinger, Burlington, to succeed C. L. King of Eldorado.

MAY LIBERATE CONVICTS.

Japanese Expected to Capture Russian Penal Camps When Port Is Free from Ice.

St. Petersburg, March 27.—According to government mail advices brought to the mainland from Sakhalin and telegraphed from Khabarovsk, the Japanese were expected to land at Korsakov within a fortnight.

The Russians are not in a position to resist, the whole force on the island being less than 2,000 soldiers and prison guards. There are 6,000 convicts in the penal camps, the remainder of the population consisting of 3,000 natives and 6,000 time-expired convicts, with women and children who have settled on the island. The prospect that the convicts may be landed on the mainland in the vicinity of Vladivostok by the Japanese is being considered.

SMALL ITEMS BY TELEGRAPH

Linevitch, in a dispatch dated March 25 reports no change in the position of the armies. Two men were killed and another was injured in a freight wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Stanton, six miles south of Wilmington, Del.

An imperial order relieves Gen. Gripenberg from the command of the Second Manchuria army but permits him to remain as aide de camp to the Emperor.

The sultan of Morocco has appointed Kaid MacLean (formerly of the British army) to command the Moorish troops during the visit of Emperor William.

The court at Caserta has held for trial the servant of the late Miss Catherine McCready of New York and the servants father, on the charge of murdering Miss McCready.

Broadway theatre Denver was crowded with people who come to attend memorial services in honor of the late Senator E. O. Wolcott who died at Monte Carlo on March 1.

A great landslide occurred at Semlin, Hungary. A squadron of soldiers who went to the rescue of a buried woman suffered severely, eight of their number being killed and nineteen injured.

An organized depot of arms and bombs was discovered recently on the premises of a rich merchant named Barasoff, in Moscow. Investigation disclosed a conspiracy to distribute arms. There have been over 300 arrests in connection with the affair.

ARGUMENT IN TRUST CASE.

Kansas City, Mo., March 27.—The final arguments were made before Judge Glover in the suit of twenty-five independent live stock dealers to dissolve the Kansas City Live Stock Exchange and Traders' Live Stock Exchange.

The attorneys for each side will file briefs in the case and Judge Glover will decide it later.

CHEAP CLEAN FUEL.

Kansas City, Mo., March 27.—After a careful examination in Kansas City, I am convinced that there would be a market for 40,000 barrels of fuel oil a day in Kansas City, if it could be brought in here at a reasonable price," said a Southern Kansas oil man at the Midland hotel.

There are lots of manufacturing plants here that would be only too glad to have a chance to use it. Fuel oil is smokeless and is both the cleanest and the most convenient.

HOTEL BURNED AT WELINGTON.

Wellington, Kan., March 27.—The Aetna hotel, a large frame building, was discovered to be on fire about 10 o'clock Saturday morning. So rapidly did the flames spread that the guests narrowly escaped with their lives. The building was entirely destroyed. Estimated loss above insurance, \$6,500.

LIFE STORY OF MRS. CHADWICK.

Cleveland, O., March 27.—In an interview Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick announced that her autobiography was in preparation and would soon be given to the public. Mrs. Chadwick said that she had received a handsome offer from a well known publisher and that the work would be printed in the original style without alteration.

MEXICANS ARE PLEASED.

Mexico City, March 27.—The respect shown by the Washington Ambassadors Apirion gives much satisfaction here. A suitable reception will be given the body on its arrival in Mexico.

HEAVY OKLAHOMA STORMS.

Guthrie, Ok., March 27.—Violent storms throughout the territory have resulted in four deaths and many injuries. Near Watonga, Dean Reichen and John Thomas were struck by lightning and killed. Near Weatherford lightning killed Charles R. Schopover, a wealthy farmer, while he was standing in his front door watching the storm. Near Kaw City heavy rains have swollen the streams and to-day Orville Pemberton was drowned in Salt creek while attempting to cross in a boat.

NEODESHA GETS CONFERENCE.

Iola, Kas., March 27.—The next South Kansas M. E. conference will be held in Neodesha. There were three candidates, Neodesha, Oswego and Emporia. During the discussion as to where the conference would go it developed that the only organization of infidels in the state was at Neodesha, so it was thought a good place to go. The conference voted to increase its fund for superannuated preachers \$1,000.

KANSAS TEACHERS ELECT.

Lawrence, Kas., March 27.—The annual convention of the Northeastern Kansas Teachers' association, which has been held at the university, closed with an address by State Superintendent Dayhoff and the election of officers. Those elected were: President, I. B. Morgan, Kansas City; vice president, F. M. Hammil, Hiawatha; secretary, Miss Mary Pefferhorn, Leavenworth; treasurer, W. R. Rice, Oskaloosa. Hiawatha was chosen as next year's meeting place.

NEW KANSAS BANKS.

Salina, Kas., March 27.—The State Bank of Smolan and the State Bank of Falun have been organized in this county. Each has a capital of \$10,000. It is understood that the bank in Falun is backed by the Farmers National bank and the bank in Smolan by the National Bank of America of this city. Falun and Smolan are small trading points located in farming communities and the stock is owned principally by farmers in each instance.

OIL PRICES CUT AGAIN.

Chanute, Kas., March 27.—A Standard Oil company cut in the price of crude oil for the Kansas field affected all grades of oil two cents. Thirty-two degree gravity and above is now quoted at 68c and thirty-degree oil, the lowest grade the Standard is now buying in Kansas, 48c. The quotation for twenty-two to twenty-eight degree oil is 26c.

ROBBERY POSTOFFICE.

Wright City, Mo., March 27.—Robbers entered the post office at this place and, by breaking the lock on the safe, obtained \$376 in cash. The tools were stolen from a blacksmith shop in the town. Heitman Bros.' store was entered, it is supposed, by the same persons, but nothing was taken.

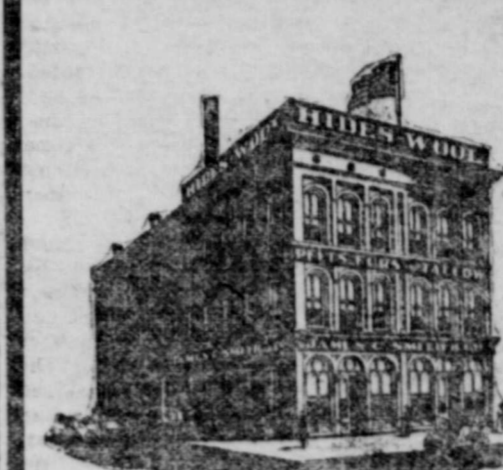
TEACHERS MUST BE BACHELORS.

A scheme recently drawn up for the governing of one of the greatest public schools in England contains a proviso that all the 22 masters shall, with four possible exceptions, be bachelors, or live as such.

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GREEN HIDES

Table listing prices for various types of green hides, including No. 1 Large, No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, and different grades of sheep and cow hides.

All hides will be trimmed and put in first-class condition before weighed. We do not pay for water and salt on hides.

Consignment Prices Good Until April 1

Table listing prices for various types of furs, including Mink, Otter, Raccoon, Skunk, Wolf, and Muskrat.

Advertisement for 'FURS!' with a list of prices for various types of furs and skins.

Advertisement for 'WOODWARD STOCK CO.' featuring 'Syrac' theatre and 'The Van Dyke Co.' with details about a woman's story.

Large advertisement for 'San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma' with a large '\$25' price tag and contact information for R. W. Crozier, D. P. A., St. Joseph, Mo.

Advertisement for 'Prizes Won International 1904 By Hogs Fed' featuring 'Swift's Digester Tankage'.

Advertisement for 'PREVENTS BLACKLEG' by Parke, Davis & Co., featuring an illustration of a dog and text about vaccination.

Advertisement for 'Swift's Digester Tankage' with details about classes on foot and carcass competition.

Advertisement for 'NELSON MORRIS & CO.' featuring 'Dressed Beef' and 'MUTTON, PORK AND PROVISION DEALERS'.

Advertisement for 'Swift & Company, Chicago' with contact information for various cities.

Advertisement for 'Special Low Rate Excursions South' for 'LOUISIANA and MISSISSIPPI' with a price of '\$22.85 NEW ORLEANS and RETURN'.