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DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 41 Cars, 1350 Cattle; 40 Cars, 2547 Hogs; 8 Cars, 2039 Sheep.

ONLY SMALL NATIVE SUPPLY

Trade Slow But Prices Steady -Week Trade Slow But Little Change.

RANGE RUN STILL LARGE

Good Kinds Are Selling Well-Biggest Week of Season in Supply of She Stock But Demand Good-Stocker Trade Picks Up a Little-Light Hogs 5 to 10 Lower, Others Off 15 to 25 Cents-Sheep Steady.

cheap grades of steers. The small market was on a steady level of prices and a good clearance was made leav-ing the yards well element. ply was mostly she stock and a few For the week the supplies have con-

or than for the same time last year.

In the last week and a year ago while at the five leading centers the week shows a total of 234,900, making an increase of 15,000 over last week and 31,000 more than for the same time last year. In the local supply there has been a noticeable increase in the run of rangers that are coming and the supply of westerns has shown some falling off, although the cattle from this source westerns has shown some falling off, although the cattle from this source are still coming quite freely for the season of the year. It is nearing time for the ranges to close shipments for the year and if the cold wave that is now prevalent in the Missouri valley sections has extended into the range countries it will perhaps have some effect in checking the run of cattle to market from those sections. While the supplies have been quite liberal there has not been much change in prices for the attractive and useful grades of beef cattle. The trade has had some slow spots and at the finish of the week some grades of steers are quoted a shade lower but the change has been slight and the general market is in a fairly good and encouraging condition. While there have been some very good kinds of heavy beeves here and the sales have demonstrated that there is a market here for the kinds at prices that do not warrant feeders in shipping out of St. Joseph territory to find a market for the fully fat steers. The hest cattle here for gras 18 suffes on And 109 109 00 15 the bulk of the steers from corn belt sections have been selling in a range of \$5.75 @ 6.75 with the commoner and cheaper grades going at \$5.60 down. Right good heavy range beeves have sold up to \$6.75 and quite a number at \$6.00 @ 6.50 with the bulk at \$4.75 @

heifers and prices have shown some strength for the good kinds of killers. The outlook favors a good market for all of the she stock that can be got to this market.

to this market.

Dry fed heifers are quotable at 100 22° 100 00° 12° 14° Zuilles Med is used @4.50. and common kinds at about \$3.00 @3.50. Best dry lot cows might sell up as high as \$5.00 but there are not many coming that sell above \$4.25 and the bulk of fat cows are going at \$3.50 @4.00 with canners and cutters ranging down as low as \$3.00 and under.

der.

The supply of calves has been quite liberal but there is a continued good strong demand for veals and prices have held steady for the week with top veals selling at \$8.25 and the bulk of good calves at \$7.00@8.00. There have been a good many calves coming from the ranges but this source of supply will soon be closed for the winter. Bulls are meeting ready demand. ter. Bulls are meeting ready demand and there has been little change in

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steer and helfer calves to go to feed lots. With the range season nearing the close it would seem that prices

for feeding cattle are now about as for feeding cattle are now about as low as they will be seen this season.

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$4.60 @5.25; medium to good grades \$4.00 @4.50, good to fancy stock steers \$3.50 @4.00, and common to fair \$3.25 @3.75; stock heifers \$3.00 @3.75 for fair to strictly good kinds, stock cows \$3.00 @3.50 and stock

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33Kan 648.74 10 Packers' Cattle Purchases.

Supply Light But Buyers Bearish, Mixed and Heavy 15 to 25c Off.

Right good heavy range beeves have sold up to \$5.75 and quite a number at \$5.00 @ \$5.00 in the bulk at \$4.75 @ 5.00.

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Packers' Hog Purchasen.

Range of Prices. This Week Last Week Nonday.... \$8.25 (a9.10 8.25 (a9.05)

Tuesday... 8.40 (a9.15 8.45 (a9.20)

Wednesday... 8.25 (a9.00 8.65 (a9.35)

Thursday... 8.25 (a8.90 8.40 (a9.30)

Friday... 8.00 (a8.85 8.25 (a9.15)

Saturday... (a... 8.30 (a9.10)

cleaning the normal supply of these kinds up in good season on the day of arrival. The liberal supply of feeder grades included in the supply has resulted in trade with these kinds becoming slow and sticky and sellers had little chance to better prices, although toward the close sales of lambs carrying considerable flesh have been made at steady prices while the light and common grades of both sheep and lambs are still on a twenty-five cent lower level. Sellers have had a hard time in making clearances with the kinds and were forced to hold offerings over from day to day, although at the end of the week pens are pretty well cleared.

100 steady, slow, cows weak, feeders Hogs—Receipts, 15,900. Market 10c lower. Top \$8.85, bulk \$7.90@8.70. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000. Market 10

> KANSAS CITY. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 28.— pecial to The Journal: The Drovers

EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS. National Stock
Yards, Ill., Oct. 28.—Special to The
Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reporter.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET Today's cash aviues: Receipts, wheat, 2 cars; corn, 8 cars; oats, 0

No. 2 red No. 3 red No. 2 hard No. 3 hard Corn. No. 2 white No. 3 white No. 2 corn No. 3 white white No. 2 oats No. 3 oats

The following Chicago boar trade quotations are furnished P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New (Forsee Building, St. Joseph, Mo. Options Open- High- Low- Close | Close | Yes';

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in St. Joseph territory, choice, \$2 ton lots, f, o. b. in St. Joseph, \$31. Ko-pres-ko kake—Carlots, per to Ko-pres-ko kake—Carlots, per ton, St. Joseph territory, \$28; ton lots, \$27. Cold pressed cottonseed cake— Carlots, per ton, St. Joseph territory, \$26; ton lots, \$27. Alfalfa meal—Per cwt, choice, \$17

@17.50; prime, \$13@15.50; standard, \$10@12.50.

MISSISSIPPI PEANUT FARMS

People Turning to Lowly Nut as Money

plant peanuts next year as a money crop, just as they are wheat and all other food crops they can handle and which promise profitable returns. The peanut will average, perhaps, forty bushels to the acre on good land, a sandy loam, such as makes the best sweet potatoes, and their cultivation is easy. The price is close to \$1 per bushel, and even at that the crop is well worth trying.

bonka river.

"A heavy thunderstorm came up and we slept in the basket that night. The next morning we saw that it was impossible to move the balloon and we packed up for the journey on foot. We slept in the woods Thursday night. Hawley injured his leg in the afternoon. After we had covered about seven miles along the shore of Lake Chilogama we went into camp early.

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The farmers about Gloster are taking great pleasure in explaining to visitors all they know, and encourage them to embark in the enterprise, declaring the peanut an antidote for boll

LARGER PINE ASSESSMENTS. Pine Bluff, Ark.—The Jefferson hogs packed since March 1 at under-County Equalization Board reported mentioned places compared with last nearly \$200,000 in increased assessference held with State Tax Commisreports:

1600. Market

2500. especially in the case of the Citizens' Light and Transit Company, which was increased a first time last week

the sixteenth century.

In Norway, people who are not vac inated are not allowed to vote at an

Aviators Who Made New World Record Arrived in Quebec Yesterday.

WAS VERY TRYING ORDEAL

But Men Are in High Spirits and Are Proud of Keeping Cup at Home.

WILL START FOR HOME TODAY

Did Not At Any Time Consider Their Lives Were in Danger But Their Food Supplies Did Run Short-Mr. Hawley Relates Interesting Story of Trip From Time of Leaving St.

Special reports to the Cincinnati Price Current show the number of vear:

Chicago2,680,000 Kansas City....1,330,000 Cincinnati was increased a first time last week and which was subjected to another \$50,000 increase Monday.

The game of billiards was introduced into England at the close of Wichita, Kan.... other 13,005,000 For the week ... 465,000 OUR VANISHING DESERT.

Sage Brush Wastes Replaced By Way. ing Fields.

Washington, Oct. 28 .- A quarter of a icentury ago any mention of the great American desert called up visions of a region of limitless extent, sun-baked, parched and desolate. A country associated always with tales of suffering and death, of unfriendly savages, and deadly reptiles, for years

J. O. Thompson, a staunch friend of this market, was here today from Guilford, Mo., disposing of one car of hogs.

R. E. Woods, a prosperous feeder it was passed over by congress as worthless. The marvelous transformation which has been wrought in two decades in this land of silence and sunshine furnishes one of the

two decades in this land of silence and sunshine furnishes one of the most interesting and inspiring pages in the annais of our republic's development. The great American desert is vanishing from the map. Its boundaries have shrunken and it no longer presents a formidable barrier to the growth and progress of the far west. Twelve million acres of this rainless country have been subdued by means of agriculture and irrigation and are producing bountiful and assured harvests every year. A quarter of a million families are residing on farms and as many more have found homes and occupations in the cities, towns, and as many more have found homes and occupations in the cities, towns, and villages which have sprung up in the midst of the agricultural areas. Great dams have been constructed to impound the floods and through 70,000 miles of canals and ditches the life-giving water has been turned upon the dusty desert. The streams have been harnessed for power and an era of manufacturing is dawning in which all of the raw products of the farm, the forests and the mines will be prepared for the markets of the world. The comforts and luxuries heretofore unknown in agricultural regions already are obtainable in many of the western valleys. The farmer lights and heats his home with electricity and his heavy work is done cheevily by the found of butcher stuff.

Rhoades & Layson, large feeders of Bethany, Mo., were here today with one load of butcher stuff.

The best place to eat and drink. Hadley's Cafe, 112 South Seventh St.

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to get the eastern drift. That carried
us up over the lake to Point Au Sable,
rey, us up over the lake to Point Au Sable,
near Ludington. At that point the
wind veered slightly to the north and
we passed over Traverse City. From
the neight and were high over Georgian bay and the country immediately morth of it. We made our higheter alitudes at this stage of the journey. The wind had a strong drift to
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and the really choice locations are so
few that it is only a question of time
now when the increase of land values
there will make it as difficult for the
poor man to get a foothold as it is
today in the east. Letters are pouring in to the statistician of the reclamation service at Washington, D.
C., for information about the lands
which are ready for settlers on the
several reclamation projects. Apporximately 500 farms are now open
to entry under the homestead act,
with water ready for irrigating in
Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota,
and Oregon. Are you looking for a
home of your own?

AMUSEMENTS.

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At the Tootle-Saturday matinee and night, Oct. 29, "Wildfire."
At the Lyceum-Last half of week, "The Passing Parade."

Cattle and hogs like Champion feed.

for years a beautiful new courthouse of counties do not contain four seccosting \$450,000 is being constructed tions and the acreage in some of those at the corner of Tenth and Main streets, and enough of the work has already been completed to give the average person an idea of what a Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Mo. handsome structure it will be when completed. The finest of stone is being used in the construction of the building which will be finished on the SOLD FOR \$6000, BUYS FOR \$33000 inside in a most attractive and serviceable manner.

Best meals, best rooms, Transit

Al Bright handles all kinds cotton seed products, linseed meal Cherrymo. Exchange Building, So. St. Joseph.

Texarkana, Arx. - News here from Rodessa, La., thirty miles south of here, that an oil well has been brought in near that place, Adam Stuart's land, by the Standard Oil people, who recently obtained a

lease from M. Stuart. Oil was struck at a depth of 170 feet, but it is not stated what the yield is, although it is said to be highly satisfying. Rodessa 1,255,000 is only sixteen miles from the Caddo Twin Peaks Mining Company, and the are said to be very similar in the two

Make your visit complete. Eat, drink and smoke at Hadley's Cafe, 112

FOR SALE—Double deck load of breeding ewes, three to four years old, weight 120 lbs. Bred to recorded Sh spaire buck to lamb March 1. Address T. S. Howard, Morrill, Kan.

135,000 In six out of the past nineteen 480,000 years the deaths in France have ex-

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

per with headquarters at Edgar, Neb., was represented on today's market with one load of hogs.

Bethany, Mo., were here today with one load of butcher stuff.

The report shows that there are 3,955,788 acres of public school land yet unsold, located in a number of counties, Brewster, El Paso and Presidente de la counties are la counties are la counties.

dio containing large areas.

As many as eight sections of 640 acres each may be bought by actual settlers in the counties of Brewster, Crockett, Edwards, El Paso, Jeff Day-

CHANDLEE PAINT, GLASS AND Wall Paper, 417 Edmond, St. Joseph.

Sacramento, Calf. — Russ D. Stephens, one of the leading fruit growers of the state, paid \$23,000 in a court auction recently for sixty-six acres of vineyard adjoining his place on the Folsom road, nine miles from this city, which he sold for \$6,000 in 1878 to Adolph Jean; from whose estate the purchase was made yester-day. This figure established a price of \$500 an acre for the land. property is in vineyard, planted principally with tokay grapes.

Champion Feed cheapest and best.

GOLD STRIKE IN ARIZONA. Clifton, Ariz .- Reports keep com ore shown from the 60-foot level fairly bristles with gold and silver, and as the Fraser Bros., promoters of the company and original locators of the property, have ample backing, big reduction works will be erected as fast as scientific and careful development

WEATHER FORECAST For Missouri and Kansas: Generally fair tonight and Saturday; slightly warmer Saturday, Kansas: Generally fair; warmer tonight and Saturday, Nebraska: Generally fair; warmet Saturday and in west portion tonight. \$37.00

SOMETHING NEW.

A Splendid Rug Offering

To Those Who Appreciate the Merits of a

Good Body Brussels Rug

Twenty styles best Five Frame Body Brussels Rugs, all 9x12

feet. These Rugs are especially desirable for library, dining room or bed rooms, being easy to sweep and do not shed any lint. Beautiful Turkish medallion and small all-over Persian de-

signs in the soft green and brown tints. Our regular \$30.00 quality, your choice this week......\$22.50

The Brady Carpet & Drapery Co.

Other Rug Specials

In the extra large sizes.

Tapestry Brussels Rugs, 11-3x 12 feet, in floral and Oriental

week\$18.50

Wilton Velvet Rugs, 11-3x12 feet, enoice variety of

regular \$30, this week .. \$22.50

Axminster Rugs, 11-3x12 feet, beautiful soft colors, fine qual-

ity, regular 840, this wk. \$32.50

Twenty Made Up Axminster

Rugs, made from remnants, 10-6x12 feet, regular \$30, this

week\$20.00

2 and 4 Horses

Unequaled in capacity, draft or ease of operation. Warranted capacity, four horses, 30 bus ear corn; 25 bus wheat; 40 bus shelled corn. 20 bus snapped corn. Grinds head kafir corn in large quantities.

Not a miserable little coffee mill to turn out feed by the spoonful.

Not a toy, made of pot metal, to go quickly to pieces.

Patterson Machinery Co. 1226 West fith Street, KREERS City, Mo.

ALSO

Obio Feed Cutters.

J. B. Pat-

& Jackson

for Iowa, Neb., and So. Dak.

Not a horse killer, either.

But a successful machine.

styles, regular \$22.50, this

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A plat of thrifty, well-established

WAITED TOO LONG.

holding up right along there have been very few bargain days for the bargain hunters. Cheap feeding stock is a thing of the past.

more profitable than feeding it to his for higher grades of paper pulp. which has been existing up to the Examinations For Positions Now in see where blame can be attached to the farmer for this. The money Packers, being heavy users of short time money, got caught in the pinch and were forced to pound prices. It was not unnatural that farmers should refuse to put 76-cent corn into 5-cent.

Michigan, Minnesota, and Alaska, to fill vacant positions as assistant forest rangers on the national forests. The examinations are held at national forests are located, except in national forests are located, except in all states in which national forests are located, except in all states in which national forests are located, except in thickens when cold add two table-spoonful of flour, one tablespoonful of flour, one tablespoonful of sugar, one tablesp Arkansas and Oklahoma, and will last two days.

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The positions pay at entrance, a salary of \$1,100 per annum. Men who enter the national forest work as assistant rangers are eligible for promotion to positions as rangers, and later to the position of forest supervisor, if they are good enough. The later position pays a salary of from \$1.600 up, and calls both for all-round executive ability and for a certain amount of practical knowledge of forestry. Rangers work under the forest center.

farmers and their wives, the king beat Jack Frost to it and rounded out to a full and glorious ripeness this fall. Farmers, editors of country papers, professors in the agricultural colleges, possessors in the agricultural colleges, professors in the agricultural colleges, toots and others are now singing the glories of the corn crop. It surely is the greatest of all of the grain crops

the corn plant. Probably very few of the men who raise the corn crop of this country know that the pith of the cornstalk has come to be used largely in the construction of our battlehsips in the construction of our battlehsips that plow the oceans and have never yet been chased to cover by an enemy. Some of our monarchs of the ocean are protected with a belt of corn pith are protected with a belt of corn pith cellulose, and the same material is cellulose, and the same material is persons in this country under 50 are aged to a large extent in the manufac- married.



Daddy's Bedtime

Little Lamb and the Wild Animals

Lost Lamb isn't always the great, big, strong animal or man that gets along best." said daddy one evening. "Let me tell you about a poor little lamb

which fared better than some of the big wild beasts of the forest. "This lamb was a little creature, afraid of everything, even of his own shadow. His home was near a great forest in which lived wild animals of different sorts, and the lamb's mother warned him many times not to go into the woods. 'If the big beasts catch you they will surely eat you up,'

Well, one day the foolish little lamb said to himself: 'I'll go just a little way into the woods. I'm sure I can flud my way back home before any of the big animals see me.' But he was quite mistaken, for he had gone only a little way among the trees when he became lost, and then, instead of going back to his home, he went farther and farther into the forest. After a time he reached a place where a lot of big, flerce animals were sitting down talking. There were a lion and a tiger and a big deer and a wolf and others. When they saw the little lamb the lion said:

"Well, well, see who is coming! He'll make a nice mouthful for me, I think.' And he was just about to get up when the tiger said: "Oh, let him alone, lion. He's such a tiny fellow he won't make more

than a mouthful for you. Besides, we're all too full just now to cut such a tiny thing. Why, he can't roar, he can't run, he can't do anything. "All right,' said the lion. 'I don't think he's much good either. He's pretty enough to look at, but he can't make a sound but "b-a-a-a!" ' And all

the animals laughed to hear the great big lion make fun of the poor little

lamb. Only the lamb didn't laugh. He was too scared. "'Well,' the deer said, 'I don't think his voice is so very bad, but you ought to see him try to run. I liked him well enough until I saw him leap. He kicks with his hind legs in running, and with all his skipping he gets over very little

"Just then the big animals heard a sound that made them all shiver. It was the hunter's horn. Big and brave as they all were, they were afraid of scarcely fall short of being among the man with the gun. So they started to run away, but the hunter and his the most profitable parts of any farm | companions found them all and shot them. When the men reached the place upon which swine husbandry is given where the little lamb was playing quite calmly they picked him up and said:

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She knew she had time, and so, ome down, she amused herself by hand over the upholstering of the man's mark had not been entirely care much for the game. erased. She studied it a moment.

"It's either \$2.25 or \$2.75-I can't make out which," she concluded. "I a Polly Jardine, who was always tryalways knew it was a cheap thing. So ing to hob-nob with the best society that's the kind of presents old Miss in spite of the fact that her father Dresser with all her money gives to was up to the eyes in debt. And to Humph!"

She set the vase back in its place. besides it lay a photograph in covers. Cal Wiesmer, just out of the bank She peeped between the covers, ex- and hurrying along. pecting to find a face that was not ture to her," she thought with a jeal. There's something special I must ask ous thrill. But the face that looked had Polly out riding with her in the new red car. She never notices me-" There was a step in the hall. She Polly entered the room, she was stand-



vell and humming an innocent air, so absorbed in her task that when Polly poke to her she turned with a start. "My dear!" And then she kissed note and gave a cry. Polly, leaving the impression of a nor! And she's written me a personal

an to turn on more heat.

"Now, don't do that! I'm warm enough, really. Come, sit down. I can't stay long, and I want to talk every minute."

"Oh! you've got on your new furs!" Polly admired. "How beautiful they the pink satin as a honey-bee whose

"Oh, they're well enough." She twirled the big muff on her hand. "It's quite newest shape, see? I wanted white but mother insisted they would always have to be going to the cleaners, the way I wear things. And a good set of furs costs enough without that. What are you going to have new this winter?"

"Why-" Polly looked embarrassed. Lillian knew, of course, they were having their annual attack of hard times. "I presume I sha'n't have anything, really. Miss Cole is going to help me make over my blue dress.

And I've cut down some sleeves." "Isn't it nice you can see?" Lillian looked enthusiastic. "I couldn't even if I had to. I have to hire every little last ling done and the best dressmakers are so high-priced. I will employ only the best, since I have to pay out just so much money, anyway." She changed the subject. "I saw you out in Ventnor's new car last week with Ruth."

"Yes," Polly brightened. Ruth was one of her girlish loves.

"How nice of her to take you! She such a kind-hearted girl. Pretty, too. They say she's turning heads all ways since she's back from abroad. There's a wager out that Dick Moffatt and Cal Wiesmer will come to blows over her yet." Lillian laughed.

Polly was quite pale. She was looking down at her hands and twisting her fingers in that childish way she had when she was miserable. The shot about Cal Wiesmer told.

"I've been teasing Cal about her." Lillian went on easily, "but he declares that he doesn't care a straw for her. She isn't his style. He doesn't admire dark girls." Polly and Ruth were both dark, while Lillian was of baby fairness. "He had Sunday-night lunch with me-he and his great friend Jack Price. Did you meet him while he was here, Polly? We made a rarebit. And the dreams I had! Does any. thing give one worse dreams than a rarebit, I wonder? Oh, by the way, Jennie Romain is in town! She was at the house yesterday for tea. I hardly knew her, she's grown so stout. But she's happy and in love with Arizona.

lext spring, but that's too far away for me to promise." Lillian looked con-

Polly's eyes were wide and full of pain. Jennie Romain had been one of her dearest friends.

"It's isn't necessary to tell her that Jennie has been summoned back on account of her Aunt Nancy, who is dying and has some money to leave her," she thought. "I never could endure Jennie myself, but I called her in while she was waiting for Polly to yesterday and gave her a cup of tea just to find out." She was saying walking around the room and investi- sweetly. "How long I always stay gating into secrets. She passed her when I get here! This chair is so quaint and so comfortable. I often tell sofa, shuffled the nap of the carpet mamma that I wish we had somebody with her foot and inspected the lace to leave us charming old furniture inof the curtains. From the table she stead of having to buy every bit new. lifted a vase. On the bottom of the No, I must go, really. Mrs. White is vase was a paster the size of a post- giving a little whist party this evenage stamp, from which the trades- ing and I am going, though I don't

Certainly it was her day for luck She would teach that little upstart of folks. And Polly her own nece. think of her setting her cap for a spendid fellow like Cal Wiesmer. At the corner she all but ran into

"Oh, Mr. Wiesmer, how fortunate.

her hand familiarly through his arm and turned him round to walk her way, chattering with might and main. dropped the photograph, and when Down at the Jardine house was a stir at the parlor curtains, and she knew that Polly was watching. She had him, and what could he do.

During the week that followed, Lillian was very busy and very happy. Armed with her new furs and her most taking manner, she went boldly up to call on Ruth Ventor. "After that she'll have to ask me to her party." she reasoned. She was effusive in her admiration for Ruth, and innocently let fall a few remarks that were not likely to increase Ruth's fondness for Polly. Sure enough, Ruth sent her an invitation and straightway the went up to tell Polly about it,

"It will be the swellest thing, Polly! All the flowers and catering out of town! There'll be lots of new gowns there. Mary Hilton has ordered one from New York. I shall wear my pink sath. What shall you wear?" "I'm-I'm not asked," said miserable

Polly.

Polly looked out the window blinking back the tears. The postman was coming, but of course he had nothing. Yes, he was stopping, her mother's voice came down the open stairway: "Will you bring up the mail if there

is any, Polly?" There was only one tiny note, it was directed to Polly. She went back to "I Always Knew it Was a Cheap Lillian, wondering, with it in her

hand.

"Don't mind me, read your correspondence dear," said the young lady, and opened a book. Polly opened the "Oh, Lillian! It's from Ruth Vent-

note asking me to come to the party! should have asked her after all she (Lillian) had said and done!

But she did not see Polly again until the night of the party. Radiant in business was to gather and dispense sweets, but who in reality stung most cruelly-she saw a back at a distance-a strange young back covered exquisitely-and approached it. If that was Polly, where did she get that dress? It was Polly, a transformed Polly in one of the loveliest gowns in

make it yourself?"

"Oh, no! Polly laughed joyously. "Aunt Flo Dressers sent it to me fresh from the shop. Wasn't she a dear? It

eled. But she drew her last arrow.

"You can ride home in the carriage with me," she offered magnanimously, "I suppose you haven't any cab?" "Oh, thank you!" Polly said, stumbling over the words in her excite-

Wiesmer is going with me-" energy that it slit in a dozen places.

"Then it is true that she has him dangling by a string," she said. "She! Ruth?" Polly's eyes were big. "Why they're just friends. I thought you saw—I thought you knew—that that—why's he's asked me to marry look after visitors distanced that—why's he's asked me to marry look after visitors distanced that why is he's asked me to marry look after visitors distanced that why is he's asked me to marry look after visitors distanced that when the look after visitors distanced the look after v him." said Polly simply.

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"Not asked! And I thought you and Ruth-" Lillian's heart rose like a bal-

"How nice!" But Lillian's mouth drooped a bit. To think that Ruth

"Why, how nice you look!" said Lil-"And your frock-you didn't

At the close of the evening she and Polly again met in the dressing room. Polly's eyes were like stars. She had come through the party without a plait or a pucker out of place. Beside her through the drudgery to lose the re-Lillian felt suddenly wan and dishev-

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