

STEER MARKET FIRM

CLEARANCE MADE OF SMALL FRIDAY SUPPLY AT STEADY RANGE OF PRICES.

NOTHING OF HIGH CLASS HERE

Oklahoma Cattle and Grass-Fed Steers in "Q" Division Sell at \$6.55—Cows and Heifers Steady—Stock Cattle Nominal.

Steer trade was nominally firm to May on a run of insignificant proportions. Less than 200 cattle, all told, were received and out of this number very few steers were available.

There has been some enlargement in the movement of cattle into retail market channels this week and some unfavorable trade history has been made.

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QUARTANINE DIVISION, Oklahoma Steers.

Clearance was afforded the few cows and heifers offered on the local trade today at unchanged prices.

Irregular declines have been enforced on cows and all but the strictly good grades of corn-fed heifers and mixed yearlings this week.

FARMERS BEFORE COURT.

Kansas Judge Dismisses Jury to Give Farmers a Chance.

HOGS

ACTIVITY FEATURES TRADE ON LIGHT SUPPLY—SALES MOSTLY 5c HIGHER.

CLEARED UP AT EARLY HOUR

Quality Was Good—Top Price Jumps to \$7.70, With Bulk of Sales Listed in a \$7.15@7.60 Spread.

Packers went after hogs this morning like they needed them, and as the supply was limited a quick and complete clean-up of the offerings was made at an early hour at prices averaging a good nickel higher than yesterday.

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Speculative talent are unanimous in voting the week's trade in this division a decided improvement over the previous six-day period.

Prices ranged from \$7.30@7.70, with the bulk selling at \$7.40@7.60, a week ago at \$7.25@7.75, a month ago at \$7.75@8.00, a year ago at \$6.95@7.20, two years ago at \$6.35@6.42, three years ago at \$7.30@7.55, and four years ago at \$5.90@6.00.

KANSAS HIT BY STORM.

Rain and Hail Do Damage in Eastern Section.

Marysville, Kan., June 7.—A heavy rain fell here Wednesday afternoon. Fully an inch and a half of rain fell in an hour and a half.

GENERAL IN EASTERN PART.

Two-Thirds of Kansas Had Showers Wednesday.

Topeka, June 7.—Heavy rains in spots with some hail and high wind visited Kansas late Wednesday afternoon.

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OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO. CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., June 7.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 10,000. Market strong to shade higher, top \$8.10.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 7.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 500, mostly Texas.

SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., June 7.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 500. Market steady, stillers \$8.70.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., June 7.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 1500. Market steady.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

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GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

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WHEAT. July 109 1/2, Sept 107 1/2, Dec 105 1/2, 1912 103 1/2, 1913 101 1/2.

TO MUZZLE BRONZE HORSE

New York Park Employees Find Bird's Nest in Statue's Throat.

COTTON CROP WILL BE LESS

Yield This Year Will Be 2,500,000 Bales Less Than in 1911.

SHEEP PRICES STEADY

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GOV. HADLEY IN TOWN.

Looking Into Police Department Matters, It Is Rumored.

TOPPED PORKER MARKET.

Sabetha, Kan., Feeder Lands His Hogs at High Point Thursday.

WHEATHER FORECAST.

For Missouri: Increasing cloudiness with probably showers late to night or Saturday; rising temperature.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the New Ardmore—Vaudeville and moving pictures.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Ed. Ciser, of Barnard, Mo., sent in one load of hogs for today's session of the local trade.

TURN FROM CATTLE RAISING

Government Encouraging Diversification of Crops—United States Sells Country Little Wheat or Flour.

Washington, June 7.—South Africa is planning to turn from the raising of conventional crops to stock raising, but the flour industry of the United States will not suffer thereby.

Champion Molasses Feed shortens feeding period, increases gain, reduces cost per pound of gain, equally good with ensilage.

Wright & Elm, of Stewartsville, Mo., contributed two cars of the light supply of cattle on offer here today.

Try the stock yards lunch at Transit House Cafe, best meal in the city for the money.

SERUM SAVED MAN'S LIFE

Packing House Laborer Recovering From Attack of Meningitis.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
For Congress
Having at all times tried to give the people of the Fourth District my best service, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-nomination, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries, Aug. 6, 1912.
CHARLES F. BOOHER.
For Circuit Judge.
I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination, on the Democratic ticket, for the office of Judge of Division No. 2 of the Circuit Court of Buchanan County, Missouri, subject to the decision of the voters at primary, to be held August 6, 1912.
Orestes Mitchell.

THE BEEF CATTLE SITUATION.
What's happened to the cattle boom? This query is being asked by a lot of cattle shippers arriving at market in the past few days, says the Chicago Drovers Journal. They had been drawn here by the exorbitant prices which prevailed only ten days ago. It was a grand time to unload a lot of the half-fat and medium steers, thought they. The demand for them was then in excellent shape, but now things are different.
There has come about in the trade a situation the reverse of that which existed ten days ago. Beef has gone so high in retail cost that the public is eating less of it. Many eastern butcher shops are reported to be practically out of business as a result of the refusal of their patrons to pay enormous prices for beef. This condition of affairs has materially cut the beef sales of eastern concerns and they in turn are trimming down their purchases in the local market.
These are logical reasons which have brought about a weaker general demand in the cattle market, which affects the choicest steers least because that class is in the minority of supply, and has severely hit the plain and medium grades. How long the weaker turn in the market is to continue will depend to a great extent upon the sentiment countryward.

The proportion of light steers is increasing, and particularly the yearling crop. Little 550 to 700 pound stuff, both steers and heifers, have been rushed to market after a short run in pastures, and a lot of this stuff, being bought at \$6.50@7.25 has operated to hold down the demand for the stronger-weight, higher-priced steers.
Meantime Texas is cutting loose some generous supplies of good meadow steers, which are strong competitors against medium to good grade middle-weight corn-fed natives. It is a situation in steer trade generally which will bear close watching upon the part of producers, and will likely require some careful nursing to bring the market tone back into the same vigorous state noted only a short time ago.

SIGN OF CATTLE SHORTAGE.
It was only a few years ago that each recurring spring saw myriads of gaunt, thin-hipped, long-horned cattle being moved from the far southwest to the vast ranges of Wyoming, Montana and the Dakotas. The southwest was the breeding ground and the northwest ranges were the finishing fields and feed lots for these myriads of the bovine tribe that went to furnish a large portion of the beef supply of the country. In those days the spring movement of cattle to the north was a matter of course; it was a part of the regular cattle business of the western country and was too common to be newsy. But within recent years it has become a news event to see a train load of these southern cattle headed for the northern pastures. Newspapers pick up the movement and detail cute young men to go out and write long stories of the thousands of long-horned cattle that are being shipped from the barren plains of the far southwest to the tall grass of the northwest. The fact of the long-horn being passed



Daddy's Bedtime Story—Spring In the Children's Happy Little Hearts

Jane and Boy at the Swing.

JACK and Evelyn had not been in very good humor that day. Everything had gone wrong, a way things have of doing when we start out wrong ourselves.
Evelyn had owned up to being needlessly cross.
'I wish you could have seen two dear little friends of mine today,' said daddy. 'They have a nice big back yard, with a grassy lawn and trees. From one of the trees a swing swings back and forth. Boy and sister Jane use it almost every day. If the rain comes down or the weather is not good enough to allow little boys or girls to play outdoors, the robins and the sparrows hop on the swing, rocking gayly as they exchange the latest news from birdland.
'On such days Boy and Jane press very small piump noses against the window panes and wish that they, too, were little birds so that they might run in and out in the rain without fear of getting damp feet or wet backs. Not that Boy or Jane would mind that. No, indeed, it is quite another person who objects their dear mamma.
'When the days are pleasant now the children spend a great deal of their time in the swing. Sometimes a little friend comes in to play with them, but generally they have just their two selves with Jane's doll or Boy's Teddy bear for company.
'Jane and Boy love to watch the birds, and the birds seem to love to watch them, for the little feathered creatures hop down and turn their brown heads now this way, now that, to get a good look at the children. No doubt they think that such jolly little mites are out of place anywhere but in the treetops.
'But Jane and Boy have no wings so they just skip about in the yard and sometimes their merry laughter does sound very much like bird music.
'One day—it was a perfectly lovely one, with a clear blue sky and the most golden of sunshine making glad the green earth—Jane and Boy were at the swing. Laugh after laugh floated in through the windows where their mamma was sitting.
'I'm just going to ask them what makes them so happy,' she said as she laid down her sewing.
'What makes you laugh so much, dear?' she called to Jane and Boy, smiling as she leaned out of the window.
'The little dears turned up to her two pink and shining faces.
'We jes' can't help it,' they answered. 'We're so happy 'cause every thing's growing.
'And I think that was a perfectly beautiful reason, don't you?'

Adirondacks. Of course, the growing scarcity of pine timber largely has instigated this work of growing new stock, and it promises to spread to very much larger area in the near future.

IOWA WEEKLY CROP REPORT

Late Planted Corn Shows a Fair to Good Yield.
Des Moines, Ia., June 6.—The past week was exceptionally favorable for field work, notwithstanding the fact that excessive rain fell over some of the northwestern counties on May 26 and 27, and heavy showers occurred in the southwestern and west central districts on Friday night, and light to copious showers occurred in all other parts of the state some time during the week. Considerable damage was done in Cherokee county by the heavy downpour of rain. Fields were badly washed and several bridges were taken out by high water. The average temperature was about normal, although the nights were cool. Planting and replanting of corn is nearly finished. The late planting is coming up and shows a fair to good stand. The first cultivation has begun, and fields are generally clean and in good condition. Small grains and grass have continued to make rapid progress except in a few localities, especially in the southwestern and southeastern counties where the rainfall was deficient prior to the last week. The late rains will, however, be of great benefit in all sections. Winter wheat and rye are heading in northern, and the first cutting of alfalfa was harvested in southwestern counties. Most of the late planted potatoes are up and give promise of a good crop. Strawberries are beginning to ripen in southern districts with prospects of fair to good yields.
GEORGE M. CHAPPEL, Section Director.

HORSED VEHICLES PASSING

London Streets Now Given Over Largely to Motors.
London, June 6.—The increase of motor-traffic in the streets is gradually diminishing the number of horsed vehicles, and one proof of this which strikes one forcibly is that the sight of a horse down, formerly one of the commonest and most frequent incidents, is now comparatively rare.
But there is one interesting feature that remains, and that is the van dog. It is generally a rough-haired active little mongrel which does sentry—so backwards and forwards over the load and patrols to right and left, with an occasional professional glance at the horse just to see that that subsidiary animal is also doing its work properly. It is impossible to conceive of a creature more absolutely devoted to the sense of its important duties than your little van dog.
It is an absorbing passion. He is as jealous of intrusion as a cathedral verger, as resentful of trespass as a gamekeeper. The van and its contents are sacred to him and no profane hand may even be stretched toward his charge without angry protest, and to touch any part roves him to frenzy. He knows the mischievous London boy thoroughly well, and keeps his eye upon him as he passes. This development of the sense of guardianship in the mind of an animal whose progenitors were predatory is one of the most wonderful things in the natural world.

GIVE CHICKENS GOOD CARE

Birds Should Be Examined During the Hot Months for Mites.
All the old birds, and young, too, should be examined frequently during the hot months because then it is that the lice and mites thrive.
If cut bone or chopped meat is fed during the summer extra precautions must be taken to have it perfectly fresh.
Many birds die from eating bone and meat scraps which have been allowed to lie around exposed to the heat and the flies.
In feeding chickens, always remember that they are provided for to produce fresh eggs for human food and therefore their own feed should be just as pure as that we eat ourselves.
The hot sun will cause young goslings and ducklings as well to topple over and die. Provide shade for them until they are strong on their legs.

HE WENT OVER THE WABASH

Story of Stuyvesant Fish's Futile Effort to Teach a Switchman to Be Polite.

Elmer T. Stevens of Charles H. Stevens & Bros. told the following story at the Association of Commerce luncheon at the La Salle hotel in Chicago:
'When Stuyvesant Fish was president of the Illinois Central railroad, he was sitting in his office one morning with the door closed, looking over some reports. The door was suddenly opened and in came an Irishman with his hat on his head and his pipe in his mouth, and, walking up to Mr. Fish, he said: "I want a pass to St. Louis."
'President Fish, somewhat surprised, looked up and said, "Who are you?"
'The man replied, "I am Pat Casey, one of your switchmen."
'President Fish, thinking it was a good chance to teach the man a little lesson in etiquette, said: "Now, Pat, I am not going to say that I will refuse your request, but there are certain facts that a man should observe in asking a favor. You should knock at the door before you come in, and when I say "Come in," you should enter, and, taking off your hat, and removing your pipe from your mouth, you should say, "Are you President Fish?" I would say, "I am, Who are you?" Then you should say, "I am Pat Casey, one of your switchmen." Then I would say, "What can I do for you?" Then you would tell me, and the matter would be settled. Now, you go out and come in again in a little while and see if you can do better."
'So the switchman went out, closing the door. About two hours later there was a knock on the door and President Fish said, "Come in." In came Pat Casey, with his hat off and his pipe out of his mouth. Pat said, "Good mornin", are you President Fish of the Illinois Central?" President Fish said, "I am. Who are you?" "I am Pat Casey, one of your switchmen." "Well, Mr. Casey, what can I do for you?" "You can go to —, I got a pass over the Wabash."

DEEP MYSTERIES OF LIFE

If We Could Fathom Them Little Would Be Left for Us to Do Here.

If we could fathom life's mysteries there would be little left for us to do on earth. If we could understand why the sun shines for some and the shadows deepen for others there would be no use to try to work out the problem of existence. It would be solved for us beforehand and the great questions which now quicken our souls into being would never rise to the surface. It is the mystery of it all, the uncertainty of everything save the existence of God, which makes life such a wonder puzzle, a puzzle to be picked out piece by piece and fitted together in his own good time. It is true that sometimes we grow weary of our work. We find the processes too slow to suit our impatient desires and the results not altogether equal to our expectations, but for all that we never lose our ambition to correctly solve the problem as it is presented to us for solution. We are in this world to work out our destiny and the means to this end are placed within our reach from the very outset, but it so happens that our very humanity binds us at times to our best interests, and we carelessly and even willfully pass by the very things which would prove of most service to us. Because our inclinations lie in other directions than those for which by nature we seem best fitted we often make the mistake of beginning wrong, a condition which naturally forestalls any hope of success.—Charleston News and Courier.

Value of a Man.

The value of a man to the world is not measured by the wealth he possesses, or the business interests he directs. The world is poorer for the loss of the men who went down with the Titanic, not because a few of them were millionaires, or captains of industry, but because all of them were men, men with the heroism, the self-devotion, to help others—not their loved ones alone, but strangers—to safety, and then step calmly back to wait for death.
Poorer! Yes, but richer, too! It is not grief alone that brings tears to our eyes and lumps to our throats as we read the story, but pride and thankfulness, as well. There come times to most of us when, discouraged by someone's folly or weakness—perhaps our own—the world seems to us a sordid place, hardly worth saving. But we take heart again at every fresh revelation, such as this, of the divine in man.—Zion's Herald.

Above the Laws.

Some men think that money can do anything. A certain rich man sent for the doctor, who looked him over and then pronounced judgment.
"You have been living too high."
"Maybe so."
"You have violated nature's laws."
"I guess I have."
"You must pay the penalty."
"Pay the penalty? Oh, come now, Doc. Can't you get me off on a technicality or something?"

Afraid to Stay Away.

"Our culture club generally has a full attendance."
"The ladies are brought through mutual admiration, no doubt."
"No, through mutual distrust."

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**ST. JOSEPH HAY MARKET.**  
Local Quotations Corrected to Date by Local Dealers.

The following quotations are furnished daily by the St. Joseph Hay Receivers and Shippers Association for the benefit of Stock Yards Daily Journal readers:

Timothy—Choice, \$21@22; No. 1, \$19.50@20.50; No. 2, \$18@19; No. 3, \$16.50@17.50.

Clover—Choice, \$20@21; No. 1, \$18.50@19.50; No. 2, \$17@18; No. 3, \$15.50@16.50.

Old alfalfa—Choice, \$12@13; No. 1, \$11@12; No. 2, \$9.50@10.50; No. 3, \$8@9.

New alfalfa—Choice, \$12@13; No. 1, \$10.50@11.50; No. 2, \$9.50@10.50; No. 3, \$8@9.

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# Was He a Coward?

By Cora A. M. Thompson

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When Fred Winters departed for Cuba with his regiment the know-it-alls in society said there was an engagement between him and Ruth Burt, and that when the war was over and the lieutenant came marching back again there was to be a wedding.

By and by there came rumors from the front. In no case could they be traced to a fountain head, but those who held them in greatest contempt had a half-belief just the same. Some one was giving out and repeating that Fred Winters had shown cowardice in the face of the enemy. The newspapers didn't have it, but letters came back affirming and denying it.

"It's a lie, and I know it!" exclaimed Miss Ruth's only brother, who had reached his sixteenth birthday. "It's the work of some of his jealous rivals."

"I do not know a gentleman that would stoop to anything of the sort," replied the sister.

"Well, some one has been stooping. Have you written to Fred what is being said about him?"

"Of course not. Indeed, I am not writing to him at all."

"Just like a girl to condemn a fellow unheard! Hang it, I'll write him myself."

"You'll do nothing of the kind. I can manage my own affairs."

"Go on, then, but I'd give my pony to find out the liar."

"We shall know all about it when the soldiers return."

"Yes, and I'll challenge and fight the man that first set the rumor afloat!"

And the youth puffed out his chest and walked to and fro in the long parlors and tried to look determined and ferocious.

When Miss Ruth's letters ceased to put in an appearance, Mr. Winters was on his dignity at once. There was some good reason, but was it for him to beg it? He had written last, and now he must wait. At the front there were no rumors of cowardice. It was the other way. Lieutenant Winters had received high praise from his superior officers.



No One Knew Their Mission.

He was in at the beginning and at the finish, and he returned home no wiser about Miss Ruth's silence.

"If he calls, then what?" asked the brother.

"He won't call."

"All right for you. Ruth, you are as stubborn as a mule."

"A coward has no place in my estimation."

"How about the half dozen fellows hanging around you? Do you know whether they are cowards or brave men?"

"It isn't necessary for me to know. I am going down the country and shall forget all about it."

Young Mr. Burt took a resolve, and next day he hunted out the returned warrior and put the case to him straight from the shoulder.

"And is that it?" was mused in reply. "This is the first time I have heard of the rumors, and it's pretty late in the day to put up a denial. Thanks for your interest."

Young Burt went home to sit down and purse his lips and say to himself: "Let's see? Let's see? The governor and the duchess are keeping hands off, and the thing has been flung on my shoulders to settle. Very well; I will settle. Fred Winters must prove he is not a coward, and Ruth must apologize for doing him an injustice. I bring about a marriage, make two souls happy and gain a tip-top fellow for a brother-in-law. Um! I am equal to the occasion."

Eagle's Nest is a manor house. So is the Birches. They are three miles apart. Two days after Miss Ruth reached the Nest, Mr. Winters reached the Birches. It just happened so.

As the ex-warrior had his auto with him, and the girl had her electric sent down, it could be only a question of time when the two must meet. Young Burt imagined that meeting and smiled. Not a word—not a nod—not a look! For three days he disappeared from the paternal mansion and a detective might have traced him to a country inn between the two manor houses. He was there on business. He saw his sister and a friend out in the electric, but he took good care not to be seen himself. In his company, much to the wonderment of the landlord and others, were three beetle-browed men who seemed to ache to cut throats. No one knew their

# NOTED POET WELL GUARDED

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The answer came at once: "Impossible, my dear lady, impossible! I could not sanction it! Mr. Paludan-Muller is weak; he is good-natured; he is only too ready to go into society. It is my privilege to prevent it. I say to him, 'You are too delicate, my dear, to mix with others. You must positively consider your health.'"

Miss Fog feebly asked whether the poet might not himself be appealed to, "Such old friends! so small a party! so early an hour!" The lady was quite obtuse, however. "I could not trust him with your message. He is so weak, so good-natured. His place is at home with me. I do not wish to dine abroad, why should he?"

# PUTS OUT PETROLEUM FIRES

Caustic Soda Solution Mixed With Alum Is Found to Be Most Efficacious.

There are no fires more disastrous than those in which petroleum mineral essences, benzoin, etc., play a part, on account of the difficulty of getting them under control. No really efficacious method has ever been put into use to extinguish fires of hydro-carbonic origin. Water is utterly useless. Danger may be at times reduced to a minimum by preventing contact of air with the flame, choking it between blankets, mats, damp cloth, earth, or sand, but this is by no means always sufficient. For this reason scientists are interested in some experiments made recently in German laboratories bearing on the possibility of controlling fires of varying chemical origin. It is said that if a stated quantity of caustic soda solution be mixed with an equal quantity of alum it forms a dough—or mortar—fifteen times as great as the original single quantities. This dough is very light and foamy. If this substance be flung over the petroleum, etc., and the entrance of air impeded, the fire will at once be put out.

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### FIRES HARMFUL IN WOODS

SPRING BURNING DOES THE MOST DAMAGE.

By J. A. Ferguson, Professor of Forestry, University of Missouri.

Forest fires are most likely to occur during the fall and spring, when the ground is covered with dry leaves and twigs. At such times every precaution should be taken to prevent their burning in the wood lot, for they do great damage to the trees. It is generally believed that greater damage is done to trees by the fall fires, when the ground is dry and the fire burns deep through the leaves, than by spring fires, when only the upper layer of leaves is dry and the fire burns lightly over the ground. But just the opposite is true. Spring fires do the most damage, because at this time the trees are becoming active. They are full of sap and the young buds are beginning to swell and the tender shoots to form.

In this condition the trees are more likely to be scorched than in the dormant fall condition. Trees are more seriously injured by scorching than by actual burning. Because trees do not show immediate damage from fires, many believe the surface fires do little damage in the wood lot. But a fire that is not hot enough to burn the bark of a tree is often hot enough to scorch the tender living layer of wood just beneath the bark, called the cambium layer. So long as trees are vigorous they will withstand the effects of fungi and other tree diseases. But when a tree becomes weakened in this way it becomes a prey to these diseases and the wood begins to rot and the tree to be attacked by insects.

Not only does a fire injure the larger trees, but it burns the seeds and kills the young trees. If these are destroyed year by year, there can be no future to the wood lot and when the old trees are removed it will all be gone.

The soil is also injured by the fires so that the trees cannot grow so well. Grass and weeds cover the ground thickly, and crooked, slow-growing, stag-headed trees are the result. The fire is an enemy to the wood lot. Past and vigorous growth cannot be expected where they are allowed to burn.

### DAIRY CALF BEST IN FALL

University of Missouri Dairy Gives Reasons Therefor.

Many dairy farmers hold to the idea that the calf should come in the spring to take advantage of the grass. The practice at the University of Missouri dairy is in favor of fall calves. The reasons are several.

The spring calf is just passing the weaning stage in hot weather, and he is in danger of digestive trouble. Flies pester him and prevent the best growth. At the time when he needs the best food, grass becomes dry and unpalatable. And if he is raised on skim milk, as all calves should be, it is difficult to keep the milk always in first-class condition.

Furthermore, the spring calf needs care at the same time that the corn and all the other crops need attention. Usually the crops get the attention and he calf is stunted instead.

If a calf is dropped in the fall he starts his life on dry food, with no flies, no sored milk and plenty of time for care. He is weaned along in the spring, when the grass is about ready to start, and he has the best possible opportunity to stretch out and make a vigorous growth during his second six months. The best dairy authorities are agreeing that the fall calf has the better chance in life.

Selfish.

He—They say pearls are a disease of the oyster.  
She—Incurable, I hope.

### CROPS TO GROW FOR SILO

CORN IS PRE-EMINENTLY THE GREAT SILO CROP.

C. H. Eckles, Professor of Dairying, University of Missouri.

The silo has been tried as a means of preserving nearly all the common crops grown on the farm. However, it cannot be said to be an unqualified success except with a few. Corn is pre-eminently the crop for the silo. The yield of total nutrients per acre of this crop is greater than is usually secured from any other. It has the further advantage of packing well to exclude the air and contains the proper amount of sugar to form the acid needed to preserve it without becoming too sour. The best results are obtained as a rule by using the variety of corn best adapted to the locality and grown in the same manner as is done when grown for grain.

Larger yields of silage per acre may be secured from some of the special varieties known as silage corn, but these produce a less amount of grain, and the total feed value obtained is no more than from other varieties grown for grain.

### Cowpeas for Silage.

On account of the fact that corn silage lacks protein, it is a rather common practice to combine a certain amount of green cowpeas with the corn. The cowpeas, on account of their high protein, improve the silage as a ration in this respect. This combination has been found successful if too large a proportion of cowpeas is not used. If one-third cowpeas and two-thirds corn are put together in the silo the resulting silage is of excellent quality and somewhat better in feeding value than that of corn alone.

The plan of growing corn and cowpeas together has been recommended. This works well with the exception that it is found to be a difficult matter to harvest a crop, on account of the vines tying the crop together. However, some Missouri farmers have followed this plan for several years and continue to use it. Others who follow the plan of mixing the cowpeas with the corn in the silo prefer to grow them separately. In the latter, one load of peas is cut to two loads of corn. Cowpea silage alone is not of good quality. It undergoes a change more in the nature of rotting and does not make a palatable or a satisfactory feed. Both clover and alfalfa have been frequently tried, but neither is very satisfactory, on account of the poor quality of silage resulting.

### Sorghum for Silage.

The silage crop next best to corn is undoubtedly sorghum. Almost as much feed per acre is obtained as with corn, and the quality of silage is good. Care should be taken that the sorghum is quite well matured before being put into the silo. The tendency is for an excessive amount of acid to be formed, due to the large amount of sugar present in the cane.

### Kaffir Corn for Silage.

Numerous inquiries have been received in the last few years regarding the use of kaffir corn for silage. This crop is more closely related to the sorghum plant than to the corn plant, and when used for silage makes a quality of feed somewhat between the two. It can be recommended only in those sections of the country where kaffir corn can be grown to better advantage than can ordinary field corn.

In the case of range cattle the bulls are allowed to run at large with the herd. In the case of dairy cattle or any pure-bred stock this is a system which will bring certain trouble. The bull should be kept to himself. However, this does not mean that he should be neglected. His food should be abundant and well balanced, that he may always be vigorous and robust.

Knicker—April showers bring May flowers.

Bocker—And April chills bring May bills.

### PERFUMER'S DAY WILL COME

Then He Will Have Odors That Will Move Mankind Most Profoundly.

A perfumer was talking shop. "When will my trade," he said, "develop as it should? When will perfume sway men's minds as drink and fame do now?"

"I have a dog. Often in the country my dog will spy a dead, rotting, sun-dried bird or fish. The odor of that carcass fills my dog with ecstasy. He rolls upon it in a delirium. It is difficult, even with a club, to make him stop. Well, there, just there, is the perfume that sways dogs, and a dog perfumer, patenting it, would become a billionaire.

"The serpent arum is a plant of strong odor. The arum has, indeed, a stench. Well, this stench attracts to it from miles around all those insects that fed on carrion. If you look into the cup of the serpent arum you are sure to see a very inferno of insect drunkards—hundreds of them, intoxicated by the arum's odor, whirling and leaping and spinning in a mad dance. For the serpent arum's odor is the odor par excellence of insects, as the rotten, sun-baked fish odor is the odor par excellence of dogs.

"Have I any perfume that sways mankind like that? No, none. Imagine my new-mown hay drawing a lady from her milliner's or her pet pianist's! Imagine my giraffe drawing a man from his beer or his jackpot!

"Yet the day will come, I am convinced, when we shall have perfumes that will move mankind as profoundly as the spoiled fish perfume moves a dog and as the serpent arum perfume moves the Dermestes and Saprinidae. In that day my address will be Riverside drive, Newport, Jekyll Island, Monte Carlo and Los Angeles."

### WOULD HAVE MISSED FIRE

Julius Kahn's Story of Hoosier Who Locked Himself Into His Hotel Room.

Julius Kahn had just been re-elected to congress by a very small margin, and one of his political supporters was reminding him of the service he had rendered in the campaign.

"What would you have done if it hadn't been for me?" he asked. "Why, I would have been in the position of the Hoosier in the hotel," replied Kahn. "He and two companions occupied one large room together. After a day in the metropolis devoted principally to following fire engines in the hope of seeing a conflagration, the cement sidewalks proved too much for feet that were accustomed to plowed ground, and he retired. When his companions returned a few hours later they found the door locked. They kicked on the door until they awakened him and asked for the key.

"I threw it over the transom," he replied. "When they had found it and unlocked the door one of them asked: 'What would you have done if there had been a fire?'"

"Why, I wouldn't have went!"—Saturday Evening Post.

### Plants That Go to Sleep.

Plants have a mind of their own on the subject of winter sleep, and gardeners have tried various methods of waking them up prematurely to furnish blossoms at a time when they are scarce and costly. Mere greenhouse heat and moisture failing to yield the desired results, they have successfully tried warm baths and ether vapors to shorten the hibernating period of buds. From Germany comes a description of the latest plan devised by a man named Weber. By sticking a needle into the base of the bud he has caused it to unfold two or three weeks ahead of its fellows. Still more time was gained by injecting water into the buds. Not content with water, a physician has tried injections of water with ten per cent. of alcohol. By this means he succeeded in gaining ten days in the budding of oak twigs.

### Art.

Art is the great and universal refreshment. For art is never dogmatic; holds no brief for itself; you may take it, or you may leave it. It does not force itself rudely where it is not wanted. It is reverent to all tempers, to all points of view. But it is wilful—the very wind in the comings and goings of its influence, an uncatchable fugitive, visiting our hearts at vagrant, sweet moments; since even before the greatest works of art we often stand without being able quite to lose ourselves! That restless oblivion comes, we never quite know when—and it is gone! But when it comes, it is a spirit hovering with cool wings, blessing us, from least to greatest, according to our powers; a spirit deathless and varied as human life itself.—John Galsworthy in the Atlantic.

### A Card to the Club.

Old Colonel Dick Bright of Washington was shaved for many years by a negro barber, who, not being blessed with the splendid longevity of the colonel, finally died. Bright went to the funeral, and at the dinner table that evening said he had put his visiting card in the old barber's coffin.

"That's the craniest thing I ever heard of," remarked a friend. "What on earth did you do it for?"

"Well," explained the colonel, "if he goes to heaven, he won't need it. But, if he goes to the other place, it will introduce him to a lot of good fellows.—Popular Mechanics.

# Consignment Hides Steady

THE demand for hides has improved somewhat during the past week or two owing to better quality of stock being received. Grubs are disappearing and cattle are shedding liberally in some sections, thus improving the quality of the hides. No change in quotations for the coming week.

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Horse hides, green, No. 1.....	\$3.50@3.00	
Horse hides, No. 2.....	\$2.50@2.00	
Green pony hides and glue.....	\$1.50@75c	
Sheep pelts, green.....	\$1.00@25c	
Dry, according to wool, per pound.....	10c@9c	

  

## WOOL

### MISSOURI, IOWA AND SIMILAR

Choice medium combing.....	21@23c
Medium clothing and combing, mixed.....	18@20c
Low and braid.....	16@18c
Light fine and fine medium.....	15@17c
Heavy fine.....	13@14c

### KANSAS, NEBRASKA AND OKLAHOMA

Bright medium.....	17@19c
Dark medium.....	14@15c
Light fine.....	13@14c
Heavy fine.....	10@11c

### COLORADO, NEW MEXICO, UTAH AND TEXAS

Light medium.....	15@16c
Light fine.....	13@14c
Heavy fine.....	10@11c

Deductions on burry wool from 3@5c per pound. Short, dirty or defective stock proportionately lower.

Angora mohair, 12 months, 2@25c; common, burry and defective, half price.

Loose wool 2c per pound less than fleeces tied.

  

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**Commission Firms.**  
Butler, James H., rooms 337-38.  
Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204.  
Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 329-331.  
Cridler Bros. & Co., rooms 393-397.  
Dally, C. M. & Co., rooms 317-119.  
Davis & Son, rooms 206-17.  
Drinkard, Emmert & Co., rooms 309-15.  
Emmert Com. Co., rooms 302-4.  
Kansas City Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 229-32.  
Knollin Sheep Commission Co., rooms 213-25.  
Lee Live Stock Commission Co., rooms 210-13.  
Missouri Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 201-203.  
National Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 333-40.  
Nichols, Blanchard & Gilchrist, rooms 325-25.  
Stewart & Cooper, rooms 318-22.  
St. Joseph Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 212-14.  
Shaw, R. O., Commission Co., rooms 205-207.  
Wood Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 312-14.

**Officers of Exchange.**  
The officers of the St. Joseph Live Stock Exchange are as follows: President, A. F. Dally, vice-president, W. True Davis; secretary, E. F. Erwin. The board of directors is composed of A. H. Baker, M. W. Wyatt, J. G. Adams, L. E. Cooper, M. F. Blanchard, R. G. Denham and M. K. Stewart.

**Stock Cattle Brokers.**  
Aikins, J. V. & Co., room 301.  
Adcock, George, room 302.  
Baker, Joseph, & Son, room 319.  
Baker, James, room 316.  
Dawson & Reynolds, room 201.  
Gillette, M. H., room 318.  
Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 306-8.  
Morlock, W. H., rooms 234-36.  
Prey, John, room 319.  
Roundtree, W. R., room 316.  
Rockwood, Geo., room 319.  
Timmerman, W. O.  
Street, James.  
Wright, Perry.

**Sheep Dealers.**  
Lyon, J. E., room 219.  
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Good Health is More Valuable Than Riches, Say the United Doctors.

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to supper, "do you know why I am like a donkey?"

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