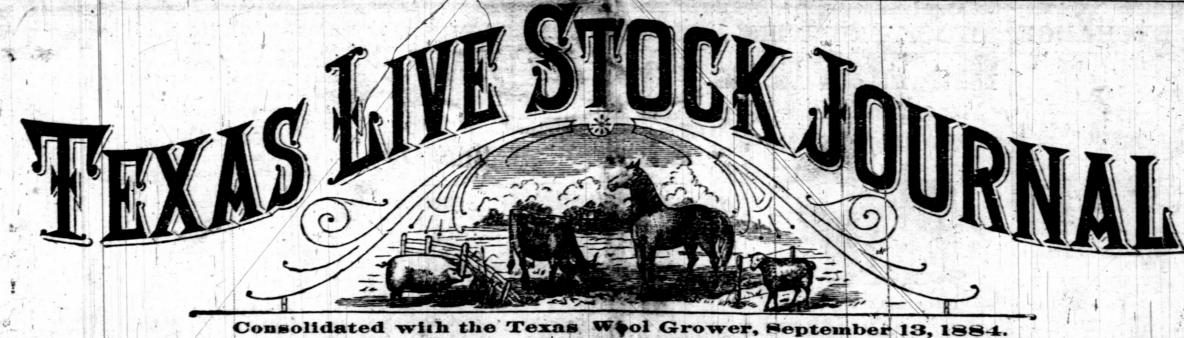
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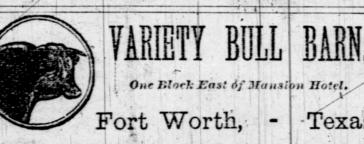
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several head of mules in above brand on the left shoulder. Any information liberally rewarded.

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vear ago. Mr. Jesse Sherwood says that the market will be unsatisfactory Latest From the Principal Censo long as feeders hold their present idea, that it does not pay to full feed. There is much truth in this. The market has for weeks and months been CHICAGO, Ill., Feb., 12, 1886. overstocked with low priced cattle that have been fed corn perhaps six weeks, Sales of cornfed Texas cattle rang while there has been almost a dearth from \$3'20 to 4 20; choice to extra fat

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO MARKET.

steers would fetch \$4 30, or a shade

more; bulk of sales going lat \$3 75 to

ert Strahorn & Co. sold for J. M. Ma

for Riddels, one car 1085 lbs, at \$4 00 Texas hogs quotable at \$3 50 to \$4 20.

Texas sheep \$1 75 to \$4 00. Don't ship

anything but fat stock and the market

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ers and feeders \$2 75 to 4 20.

KANSAS CITY MARKET. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 12, 1886.

Cattle-Receipts 896; Shipments 351 shippers slow and weak and a shade

lower; butchers steady; stockers and feeders firm and active; exporters \$500

to 5 20; good to choice shipping \$4 60

to 4.90; common to medium \$4.90 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders \$2.60 to

Hogs Receipts 8100: good and

choice 5c higher; others steady at \$3 60

N'W ORLEANS MARKET.

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NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12, 1886,

Cattle market improved in condition under influence of light receipts; quotations for Texas and western beeves. \$4 00 to \$4 50 for choice; 2 50

to \$3.75 for grass and half fed

steck. Shipments should be made on advices of commission men. Calves quotable from \$5 00 to 9 00 according

to quality; yearlings \$9 00 to 11 00; sec-

CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

Throwing Away Corn - Something For Feeders to figure on

-A Salesman's Opinion:

Regular Correspondent to Texas Live Stock

Doubtless the cold weather is respon-

think the matter over, and each one re-

with the herd is unprofitable business.

stock must look remarkably well in

The Denver convention interfered somewaat with the movement to se-

ure double deck sheep cars from the

T. Keenan who is a member of the

outlook and thinks the railroads can

be persuaded to do the fair thing by

Among the transactions in sheep

lately were the following: 411 head of

95 lb. Nebraska muttons at \$4.50. Jas.

H. Campbell & Co. sold these for J. F.

Horine Bros. & Co. sold for J. W.

of 88 lb. sheep of his own feeding at

Attention is called to the fact that

cattlemen in the west are picking up a

good many of the best young grade

Hereford bulls, and paying \$50 for

them: Some are selling lower, but

that is about the price for the kind

"Tired of feeding corn." This is

what is the matter with the cattle market, and is what has been the mat-

all the way to Chicago.

the sheepmen.

Meiker of Pawnee, Neb.

most ! worth buying."

For really fat Texas cattle, hogs and sheep, there is a good demand, but

UNION STOCK YARDS,

Спіслео, Іп., Гев. 8, '86.

ond quality \$6.00 to 8 00.

0e higher; \$2 60 to 4 00.

3 75; cows \$2.00 to 3 20.

NATIONAL STOCK YARDS,

EAST ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12, 1886.

Cattle-Receipts 1400; shipments

will be all right.

Special to Texas Live Stock Journal.

UNION STOCK YARDS,

of finished stock. A. C. HALLIWELL.

\$4 00 for 800 to 1050 pound lots. Roo-ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER. Sales of Cornfed Texas Cattle and this 90 head 1004 lbs steers at \$3.95; Hogs.

> EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL., Feb. 9, 1886. Regular Correspondence TEXAS LIVE STOCK

Notwithstanding the liberal influx of cattle in the leading Eastern and interior stock centres prices at this point were well maintained as a general thing. True, our offerings were by no means 400: market steady on good cattle, slow excessive at any time, yet were quite and easier on common; good to choice fair. The quality was nothing to brag shipping \$4 75 to 5 20; common to me- of. The bulk of the receipts consisting

dium \$3 90 to 450; butchers' steers of native and Southwest steers, comand cornfed Texans \$3 25 to 4 25; mon to fair, with occasional droves of cows and heifers \$3 25 to 3 75; two good fat beeves. Feeders are not macars choice heifers brought 4 124; stock- turing their stock to any extent, consequently ripe steers bring from \$1 00 to Hogs-Receipts 3600; active and 5 to \$1 50 per 100 lbs. more money than steers in fair tesh. In other words a thick, fat steer of 1600 lbs. will sell at \$5.50 to \$5 60, while a 1350 to 1400 lb. steer, only half fat, will bring from \$4 00 to \$4 50. This is the difference, and a large one it is. Plenty of native steers of 900 to 1150 and 1200 lbs. bring only \$3.50 to \$4.10 per 100 lbs.

Thick fat cattle are now wanted, no matter if natives; Southwest, Colorado, or wintered Texas. So far the run of Texas steers has been limited. However, dealers here inform me that from this on the receipts will be larger. Good well fattened Texans are wanted and bring decent figures. Here are a

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The \$3 10@	\$3 40 sales	CONTROL OF CASE OF THE PARTY OF

Texas, the others cornfed. Choice cornfed Texas steers will readily command \$4 25 per 100 lbs.

The hog market was active and prices advanced 15 to 25c per 100 lbs. sible for the large number of unfinishsince my last, the tops bringing 84 65 ed stock being sacrificed on the beef per 100 lbs., which figures, by the way, market. Feeders threw away lots of were higher than those prevailing at corn last winter and they have been Chicago. Yesterday and to-day prices afraid of repeating the dose this winwere easier. Texas and Indian hogs ter. If each stockman would seriously scarce, and fat ones of 185 to 240 lbs. brought from \$3 90 to \$4 30 per 100 solve to act precisely as the majority of lbs. Pigs and common hogs are dull them ought to act and don't, it would and bring low prices in comparison probably be well for the thoughtwith desirable grades. ful ones. This thing of stampeding

Native horses and mules sell well and prices are a little better. Offerings

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Office of Chief Quartermaster. FORT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS, SEALED PROPOSALS in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Saturday March 13, 1886, at which time and place they will be opened in presence of bidders, for the transportation of military supplies on the following described routes in the Department of the Missouri, during the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1886, and ending June 30th ROUTE NO. 1.-Caldwell, Kansas, to Fort Re

no, I. T .- distance III miles: or from the Indian Territory terminus of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway to Fort Reno, I. T .distance from Sepulpa, the present terminus about 131 miles. ROUTE No. 2.—Dodge City, Kansas, to Fort Supply, I. T., and Fort Elliott, Texas—distance to Fort Supply, 94 miles; to Fort Elliott, 165 miles; or from the western terminus of the Southern Kansas Railway to Fort Supply I. T., and Fort Elliott, Texas-distance fro Kiowa, Kansas, the present terminus, to Fort Supply, about 70 miles; to Fort Elliott, about 163 miles.

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Major and Q. M., U.S. A., Chief Quartermaste

Apportionments for 1886. Invi tation to the North.

BRECKENRIDGE, TEXAS, Feb. '86. The Stockmen of Stephens county met pursuant to adjournment; the house | ing. being called to order, W. B. Campbell was electer chairman and W. B. Morgan Secretary. Mr. Campbell explained that the object of the meeting was to arrange for spring work and

round ups. On motion of W. B. Morgan that committee of six or more be appointed to set time and places to begin work, and to district range, the chairman appointed Jack Dodd, Thes. Hunt, Thos. Powers, B. F. Wragg, Dave Brunson, J. N. Webb, Green Lee, Wm. Gracy, Jas. Hand, Aaron Norton, commit-

The chair then announced a recess until the committee were ready to recalled to order. When the committee made peared, and I feel as if I had a new the following report. We the committee have set the 15th day of April, 1886, to begin work. The Mule Shoe wagon to begin at Big Valley and wind up at Burgess Ranch, the wagon to begin at Siep Springs and wind up at the Mule Shoe ranch, the company wagon to begin work at Rising Star and TEXAS. wind up at the JOG ranch. The report

was adopted in full. On motion of Mr. Carter; That we extend to Northern stockmen 'a special invitation to send hands to work with our outfits and that the secretary forward a copy of the proceedings of this meeting to the following papers for publication; TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOUR-NAL, Graham Leader, Throckmorton News, Breckenridge Texian.

Motion adopted. Meeting adjourned to meet at Breck W. B. CAMPBELL, Chairman.

Thousands of cures follow the use of

enridge, Texas, on Aug. 20th, 1886. W. B. MORGAN, Secretary.

Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. 50 cents. to run in liberal supply and this mar-ket is securing it's share. We sold this week one lot weighing 890 pounds at \$3 62 1-3 per 100. Another lot weighing 1060 brought 4 cents. These were a good set of steers and were 1at. A

Evan's Circular. HORSE GOSSIP.

2,151 Times as Hard.

In a communication to the Country

Gentleman, "Hark Comstock" says:

"In order to assign to each of the dif-ferent records in the 2.30 list a stated value that shall be in proportion to the difficulty of its achievement in compar-ison with the other records, it is necessary to place an arbitrary value upon some one record, or class of records, and use that as a starting point from which to estimate the others. There are 2,154 horses that have records of are 2,154 horses that have records of 2.30 and better, ranging at nearly every quarter of a second between 2.30 and 2.084. This being the case, it is plainly the result of public experience that as only one horse has ever accomplished the fastest point in these records, that it is 2,151 times as hard to breed and develop one equal to this fastest Ceneral Freight Agent, Galveston, Tex.

horse than it is to breed and develop one equal to the slowest.

As between the fastest and slowest record in the 2.30 list, there are 86 different gradations of speed recognized in timing horses—one at every quarter of a second. Of course each quarter of a second reflects a separate value as a performance. The value which any one of these bears to the standard can be determined by the proportion which the number of horses with records at the given points bears to the whole number that were developed in order to produce them, exclusive of those which have passed on into still higher records. It will be seen at once that no uniform fixed value for each second, or fraction of a second, in which two records may differ, will accomplish the object; else nothing would be simpler than to assign a fixed value for each second of increased speed, and compute the difference between any two records accordly. But the trouble with that plan is that a second of gain near the slow end of the list does not compare at all in value with the one gained near the fast end. Mr. Robert Bonner devoted the greatest experience and the most skillful 'thought and labor of its kind in the world to the shoeing, balancing and conditioning of Maud S. for two seasons, and thereby lowered her record 2.104 to 2.084-one and a half seconds! But this achievement was a greater and more difficult one than to have taken an even 2.30 horse and increased his speed 10 seconds. Indeed, it is quite probable that during the time he was thus engaged upon Maud S., 20 if not 50 other horses have undergone an increase of 10 seconds dergone an increase of 10 seconds speed each, and without a tithe of the speed each, and without a title of the speed each, and without a title of the speed each, and without a title of the speed each, and the speed each as the speed each and the speed each and the speed each at the spe plain that the progressive ratio of values assigned to different records must be governed by a different system than merely their relative difference in time. As we gain in speed, each new second is harder to accomplish than its immediate predecessor, and the best indication of how much harder it is, is furnished by the result of public experience in attempting to acchieve each step. The true basis of the scale of progressive values, therefore, is to make them in inverse ratio to the number of horses that have accomplished each harder step."

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J. H. CALLAHAN, Dentist.

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Burnet, Texas, July 18. '82. MESSES, J. J. & W. H. TOBIN

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value from persons well known in Texas.

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From Dr. J. L. Hansford, a regular gradu-

From the Rev. Dr. Poindexter Austin, Texas, July 15, '82

MESSRS I I & W. H. TOBIN: I cheerfully bear testimony to the value of your Hepatozone. I have suffered for years with torpid liver and consequent billousness. irregular appetite, etc., and have experienced more speedy and permanent relief from your medicines than all other remedies. The medicine is not distasteful, and is unattended with pain in its operation. J. W. POENDENTER.

From Z. T. Fulmore, County Judge: Austin, Texa: June 20, '82,

DR. W. H. TOBIN I have fried your Hepatozone as a sort of last resort to prevent the frequently recurring headaches to which I have been subjected for eight or ten years, and unhesitatingly pronounce it more beneficial than any medi-cincil have ever tried. Its results upon my the farmers here at home, and a part very little of any other medicinal Soap than Cuticusystem are all and even more than is claimed we ship in. We have bought about ra. GEORGEB. ANTHONY, Druggist. Z. T. FULMORE. for k. Yours. etc.,

From Hon. J. B. McFarland, Judge of the Thirty second District: June 9, 1884.

MESSRS. J. J. & W. H. TOBIN

GENTLEMEN: -I have used your Hepatozone for some time- and find it one of the best medicines for Indigestion and Liver Com-J. B. MCFARLAND.

From Hon. D. P. Marr, Judge of the Thirty sixth District:

PEARSALL, TEXAS, March 1, 'St MESSAS, J. J. & W. H. TOBIN

GENTLEMEN.-I take pleasure in adding m testimony to the happy effects of Hepatozone as a Liver Regulator. I believe it to be the best known remedy for disordered or deranged Liver, and I know it will prove beneficial in Dyspepsia, Constipation, Nausea, Dizziness, and particularly Diarrhea. To those of sedentary habits I am convinced a attachments. All we have to do is to the known often as Thrust in Foot. Why have short trial will prove it to be indispensable. | make the cennection and turn on the No professional man should be without it. It excels in the mildness yet thoroughness of work, washing it all over twice a day its action upon the system, giving immediate and keep it as clean as any kitchen. relief, and its action is not attended with Along this end runs a sewer. This griping pains or disturbance of rest. Re- connects with the main sewer leading spectfully, D. P. MARR.

DEAF AND DUMB ASYLUM, AUSTIN, TEX., May 8, '82.

DRS. J. J. & W. H. TOBIN

DEAR SIRS:-Your Hepatozone has had : rather extended trial in this institution; among officers and pupils; it has proven a safe and certain remedy in affections of the liver. It is also a valuable and cheap aperient. It removes constipation of the bowels, relieves indigestion, and can be taken at any time without any bad effect. I cheerfully recommend its-use in all cases involving derangement of the functions of the liver, and in many cases where the stomach and bowels form temperature day and night. No. are involved. Truly Yours, JOHN FORD, Supt.

INSTITUTION FOR THE BLIND. AUSTIN, May 10, %3.

DR. TOBIN:

Your Hepatozone as a gentle purgative has sam often asked if they lie down. no equal. It moves the bowels without making the patient feel sick, weak, or languid. It is often the case that we feel a little bilious, have some headache perhaps, and are feeling unwell generally, and only need an easy purgative to relieve us; your Hepatozone is the medicine for that condition. I relieved a case of dysentery with it in a very short time We use it largely in this institution. FRANK RAINEY, Supt. Institution.

From our prominent bankers: AUSTIN, TEXAS, April 9, 1883.

DRS. J. J. & W. H. TOBIN

I have thoroughly tested the merits of your Hepatozope as a remedy for any liver trou- pipes. Yes, we have none but blooded ble dyspensia or constipation. It is indeed animals, Herefords and Shortherns a wonderful medicine and the best remedy for these troubles that has ever been given I could not do without it. Respectfully, FRANK HAMILTON.

AUSTIN, TEX., March 25, 1883. GENTLEMEN: - Your Liver Medicine has been thoroughly tried on myself and family during the last year, and it has proved itself to be all and even more than you claim, for it. It is beyond a doubt the most valuable medicine now known for any liver trouble, dyspepsia or constipation of the bowels. We use nothing else. Respectfully,

JAS. R. JOHNSON.

Letter from Hon. A. W. Houston, President SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Jan. 1, 1883,

DRS. J. J. & W. H. TOBIN:

GENTLEMEN: Your Hepatozone has been used in my family for over a year, and I unhesitatingly say it is the best remedy I have ever used for my liver trouble or constipation of the bowels. I would not be without it.

A. W. HOUSTON.

DR. J. J. TOBIN, Pro'r., 700 COLUTES AVERUE. Austin, Texas.

CATTLE FEEDING.

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Papilion, Neb., Dec., 31.-Within the last two decades the cattle industry of the West has grown into vast pro-Cures Diseases of the Liver in all its Various portion. The "rounding-up" of thousands of cattle into one herd is no longer a novel sight upon the plains. Every-body East, as well as West, knows something of the vast ranches upon which cattle are raised. But few, however, of the Eastern farmers, whose business in stock raising is being comof Cheyenne, conceived the idea of fat-Dr. Tobin having suffered for years with tening cattle upon a scale commensu-Liver Disease, and after trying every known rate with the way they were raised. remedy without success, has succeded in He studied out a natural and common proach the foreman, Mr. J. W. Walker, and ask for permission to look over his establishment. He cuts us off very short; says he is bothered to death by strangers in this way. We tell him we would like a few facts, that we desire to get up something for an Eastern paper. He relents at once, invites us to the

"This is a new thing, is it not? asked your scribe. "Yes," was the reply. "It is the only concern of the kind in the United States, and we have only been established a short time We broke ground here on the 28th of April 1885. Since that time we have bowels, and have tried many remedies, but commodations for \$,750 head of eattle your Hepatozone has given me more relief sn our farm. It was our original dethan any remedy I have ever used. Respect- sign to build an establishment large J. L. HANSFORD. enough for 8,000, but my health failed and we gave it up. Next season we

> Oh, about 8,000, most of them from the ranges of the Union Cattle company in examinite Skin Regulifier externally and Cutien and Cut Wyoming and Montanta. They are ra Resolvent, the new Blood Purifier, internally, kept on the ranges till they are about three or four years old, and then sent here to be fitted for the market. Yes, Lthink the ranges of the company will furnish about all the cattle we can fat- ra Soap is ten." "You feed slop, I see?" "Yes, sir; dry feeders can never compete with us. Our hay we feel dry, but cut it for economy. Our barh is about 400 by 600 feet, one story high, and covers about five acres. But if you will come than any medicine we sell; and we assure you that we have never had a single instance in which the purchaser was dissatisfied. As to your Soap, we cess. This is the way we cut our hay. These two machines cut about 500 tons in a day. Yes, we feed native prairie hay altogether; none of your tame hay about 3,000 tons at home this year; paid \$4 per ton. Our baled hay costs us a trifle more, Here you see the only work we do by hand. Everything else is done by steam power. These men it to the cattle barn and feed it. This we will dispense with soon, however, and the hay will be blown to the cattle through a system of pipes constructed for that purpose. Now you see our stock. Standing here on this block soap. one roof. They stand, as you see, in double-rows, head to head? with a passage in front for feeding; and one be-

hind for a drop." "The cleaning of the stalles must be a Herculean task?" "We have a regular system of waterworks which you will presently see. Running round the stable here you see a system of three-inch pipes with hose water. Seven men will do all the t) the river, through which all the dirt

is carried off." "Do you keep no hogs, as the farm-

ers do, to eat the waste? "We waste nothing. A hog would starve on all the waste to be found about here. The barn is built four feet from the ground in order to secure ventilation underneath, and these sky-light windows are also used for ventilation. the steam arising from the slop. Oh we never allow it to get cold. Thermometers are kept here and there about the barn, and we maintain a uniwe never tie nor stanchel. The cattle are driven into these three-feet stalls, that heavy bar is fastened behind each one, and they are not taken out till they are fat enough to ship. These will be in here four months. We intend to ship them some time in February. I There, you see that large fellow lying there as contented as he would upon his native heath. After bringing them in they seem to run down for a time, but this is caused by the change from grass to grain feed. When they have been in for some time they shed off their old hair, and before we let them go they will look as sleek as if they were sponged. So you see we supply artificially in midwinter what nature does in April or May. These troughs running down in front of each row are for their slop, which consists of cooked corn meal, conducted here through mostly. We are continually improving our stock by introducing some of the finest animals in the market. Now we will pass to the engne room; now

look out for that paint there. This is our boiler for cooking. The steel was rolled especially for us in Harrisburg, Pa. It has a capacity of 3,000 barrels and is supplied with meal and water from above. The ineal is cooked here and then forced to those large tanks above the barn, thence to the feeding from the river to the boilers and the tanks. The one has a capacity of 2,000,-000 and the other of 8,000,006 gallons per day. An eighty-five horse-power Por-ter engine supplies the motive power for the whole establishment. Our boilers are 38 feet in length. These cobs

here knocks off 500 bushels per hour. Standing here in the door you can see our steek in the yard, about 4,000 head. As soon as those in the barn are turned off these will be driven in to take their places. They are fed by means of that large acqueduct running from the tanks to the troughs in the yard. One

man can feed the whole herd. All he has to do is to turn a large faucet and let the feed run to them. In that other small vard you see a part of the profits of the cattle business, weak ones, old cows, and bulls that we no longer needed. We never lose any strong animals, and have not had any accidents so far. Those dead ones you saw on the other pletely paralyzed by their Western weak before they came to us. We sell side of the barn were run down and ble materials, and contains no Mercury or competitors, have any knowledge of the them to the packing houses for about any drastic vegetable cathartic, such as present development in the process of the value of their hides. They are may be in them is taken out and the balance is made into fertilizers to enrich Eastern soils.

"Here are scales. Every pound that goes into our stock is weighed. The cattle are weighed before they are put in the barn. We shall weigh them again when we ship. Then we shall be able to tell just how many pounds of corn and how many pounds of hay it has taken to make a pound of beef. Forty-five men do all the work, making one man for every 200 head of cattle. Here in a room off the engine-room the grinding is done. The rolling process is used and these two sets grind about 240 bushels every hour. We are feeding now about 1,000 bushels per day. The Union Cattle company was incorporated about seventeen years ago. The men who compose it began business on a small scale years ago, with very little capital, too. They now have 80,000 cattle on the range and \$3,000,-000 invested in the business. I am very sanguine of the outcome of this; in fact I demonstrated to the company before they built here and I feel sure our cattle will run 30 cents above the market when we are ready to sell. I hope they will! Good day, sir! Call again!"-[F. M. Currie in Cleveland

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Mark crop each ear.



Cattle brands, crescent H on left hip, and crescent on left shoulder. Steer brands cresers are 38 feet in length. These coos are carried here from the elevator, a distance of 185 feet. We mix them with cheap coal, thus reducing the fuel expense to a minimum. Now step across to the elevator. It has a capacity of 25,000 bushels, and nor sheller crescent on left shoulder. Steer brands crescent H on left hip; ear marks kept up, swal lowfork left ear. The cattle are in various marks and brands, but all have above described brands on hip or shoulder. Information as to the whereabouts of any estray stock in any of these brands will be thankfully received and suitably rewarded by W.

THE CONCHO CATTLE CO OF TEXAS. G. M. CASEY, President: H. W. SALMON Secretary and Treaserer, Clinton, Mo. S. H. BEONAUGH, Manager, postoffice, Cole man, Texas. Ranch on Mustang Creek, Con sho county, Texas. Land & Cattle Co.



herd is crop off left ear, X left jaw and X left side and hip, and into which all increase is put.

73 left jaw, V either side, principally left. 73 left jaw, left side. 73 left jaw, WIL left side. WIT left side, some on right.

F either side.

The above are the principal brands, with some cattle in the following: FAR left side; JF left side and hip; -F left side and hip; Fright shoulder, side and hip: 73 left jaw, W L left side, L left hip: HCH right side; Z right shoulder, side & hip; left side SUE or BUD or CLEO and hip; or MILT left side; left O left jaw, O left shoulder, side and hip;
O left jaw or neck, A left shoulder; X left side and hip; HOL with — over or under on left side; ALL with — under left side, CAL left side; LOL left side; Aleft side; WC left side; LOO left side; Side. Ranch postoffice, Kirkland, Hardeman

ROAD BRANDS. AMERICAN BRAND. ♦ F. left side.

right, crop and underbit left.

WBM marked crop and underbalf crop

WBM left, underslove and overbit right.

XV on left side and 74 on hip, marked

crop and overbit left, ever and underbit Horse and Mule Brands. F left hip, crop left ear. \$1000 will be paid for the conviction of any person stealing Cattle or Horses belonging to this Company G. M. CASEY, President; H. W. SALMON Secretary and Treasurer: THOMAS ADAIR, Manager, Co.orado, Texas.



on left side, O on lef sharp right. These marks and brands will be kept up. Also have cattle in following brands: ODO Horse brands, B on left shoulder and

S. H. Riley, General Manager, Mt. Moro.



Springs, Presidio county, Texas. Horse brand same Four hundred head branded as above or right side. so cattle T left N left hip; ear marks of anded side N calves, underslope left

J. J. HITTSON. Postoffice Weatherford, Texas. Range on Double Mountain Fork, in Stonewall and Fisher counties. Ranch manager, James mith, Postoffice Sweetwater, Nolan county

street. Dallas, Texas ranch on Tas Lingua creek, Presidio courty derslope right and left. Horse bland 64 on left hip Also cattle branded as 64 follows: Ton left side on right hip. Some cattle and horses have other old brands as follows: NUN on BAL on left side, L7 on left side, NUN left side. Various marks. SPS on \$200 will be plit for the conviction of any person illegally handling any of this com-pany's stock. All G4 cattle and horses be-long to this com G4 rany.

Steer brand in various marks. cattle also branded man's head in vari-

se brands: on shoulder or hip. on left shoulder, or hip and shoulder, on left shoulder or hip.

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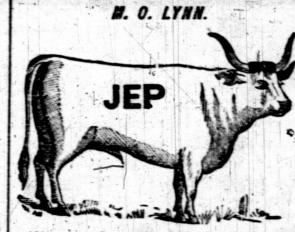


CLAUDE M. TILFORD, Agent and General Manager. Postoffice, Colorado, Texas. BUCK ALLEN Ranch Manager. Range—Mount Blanco, Crosby county, Texas Cattle also in following brands and various

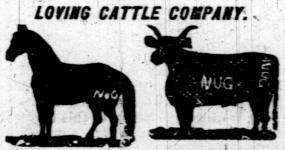
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LIBERTY CATTLE COMPANY. . C. BISHOP, Pres'dent; J. S. COLLIER, Sec retary and Treasurer, Fort Worth. J. T. CROWLEY, Ranch Manager. Ranch postoffice, Sweetwater, Texas. Rauch on Clear Fork of the Brazes in Fisher





Above brand on either side; marked over slope and underbit right, underslope left. Also cattle branded 12 F. Range in King and Fisher counties. Postoffice Palo Pinto.



Ranch postoffice, Jacksboro, Texas, fanch Lost Valley, Jack county. This brand kept up on horses and cattle. Also cattle in the following marks and oL right side and thigh, marked split left, oL crop and two splits right.

JWL left side, marked crop, split left, underbit right.

BEL left L on thigh, marked crop split left, underbit right. OWL left side, marked crop and overbit left, crop and underslope right.

HAT left side G on left jaw, marked underslope left, swallowfork

BAR right side, marked crop left, crop and overhalf crop right.
Cattle in last three are also in various marks, also have horses in the HAT brand.
MOR on left side, E on jaw, marked swallowfork each ear, underbit left.

MEL on left side, marked crop and splitleft, underbit right.

JC on left L on hip marked crop left. unside. L der slope right.
A on left jaw, side and flank, marked crop
right, overslope left.
MAY on left D on left hip, crop right,
side, D crop and under half MEL on left side, marked crop right, MOT on on hip, marked crop an under half crop each each

MOT on either side, marked as above. on left side in various marks.

YELY on Won thigh, marked crop and side Wunder half crop in each ear. Horses also in following brands, MEL, MAY HAT and MOT.
Information as to the whereabouts of any stray stock in any of these brands will b thankfully received and suitably rewarded by J. C. Loving general manager, Jacksboro,

MATADOR LAND AND CATTLE CO H. H. CAMPBELL, Superintendent.
P. O. Teepe City, Motley county. Ranch
Ballard Springs, Motley county. Also Cattle
branded Ton each side, some of which have
K on left Jaw or Ton each hip, marked under-half-crop in each ear. Also same mark, branded i left side and i right side. Some of these also have K on right law. Also left side, in hip, or A on the right hip, on the right hip, on the right hip, or A on the right hip, or hip, marked crop left ear. Also on left side, in various marks, or marked crop and two splits in left and swallowfork in right; or crop and two splits in left only, or swallowfork in left and and swallowfork in left and and splits in right.

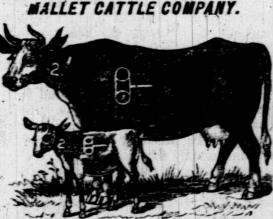
underbit in right. Also V or in various marks: Horse brand same as cut on left hip, and some have brand on left shoulder.



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PANY. LESLIE COMBS, General Manager.
Ranch on Croton
Creek, King county,

Ranch address, Beymour. Texas. Company address. Various marks.



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D. P. Atwood, Manager. Postoffice Colorado City, Texas. This brand kept up. Also cattle in following marks and brands:

Unt on right side and some on hip HOT on right side and some half crop and und rbit right.

PCK T on n ck;

wallow fork left, over half crop right Aon jaw ; mark, swallow fork left. mark, swallow fork left, over slope

on hip and side; mark, swallow fork left. GE on either side, JIM on opposite side;

O and under half crop right. n shoulder, hip and side; mark, under

MARTIN. ESTIS & CO... Postoffice Colorado, Mitchell county, Texas. Ranch in Dona Ana county, New





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Cattle branded on both sides
overbit right and underbit left.
Horse brand same on left hip.

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ens county. MOLLOY CATTLE COMPANY. J. H. McCarthy, President; W. P. Homan, Secretary and Treasure; Little Rock, Ark. CM

Secretary and Treasurer, Little Rock. Ark.
CHAS. McLLOY, Manager, Eden, Concho Co.

Rauch on head of
Mustang creek, Concho county, Texas.
Some of the cattle
are branded on left
side, Brand will be
kept up on right side.
Far marks crop and
spit left, underbit right. Horse branded

MUSCATINE CATTLE COMPANY.

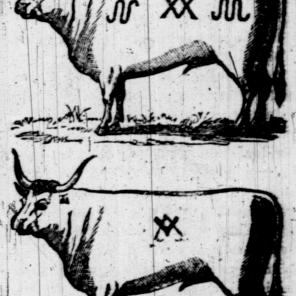
CM on left hip.



NEGRITO CATTLE COMPANY. Ranch pool Patterson, Socorro county, New Marico G. F. Black.
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ABRAM NAVE, President and General Manager, Fort Worth, Texas. James McCord, Vice President, St. Jos. Mo. S. M. Nave, Secretary and Tressurer, St. R. C. Burns, Ranch Manage



This brand kept up on both sides Same brands in various other mark



Above in various marks PITCHFORK LAND AND CATTLE CO on right side, S on hip, marked crop leit, overhalf crop right.

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left side, marked crop and split rig crop and underbit left. Weft side, marked crop right, un EW left side, marked underslope left overslope right. Horse brand same as cut on left htp.

A. C. RIDDLE. Postoffice Waco, Cattle ranch in of Waco. Horse ranch Haskell of Paint Creek: M. Sanderson, Mana



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Colorado and Brazos Association

The Seventh annual meeting of the Colorado and Brazos Cattle Growers' association will meet at Colorado City. Texas, on Tuesday, March 2, 1886. All stockmen and members are urged to attend, and a cordial reception awaits them. W. F. LEWIS,

S. P. CUNNINGHAM, President. Secretary.

Nolan and Fisher County Asso-

ciation.

The annual meeting of the "Nolar and Fisher County Stock association will be held at the court house, in Sweetwater, Texas, on Monday, March

1st, to arrange for the spring round ups, and for the transaction of other important business. Let there be a full attendance. A. P. MOORE. President

The Northwest Texas Association.

The annual meeting of the North west Texas Cattle Raisers association, will be held at Weatherford, on Tues day March 9th 1886. Members and visitors are requested to be out in strong force. C. C. Slaughter, President.

J. C. Loving, Secretary.

The Mutual Life of New York.

The assets of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, accord-S. Government Bonds and other gilt edged securities on Jan. 1st., The Company has added materially to its army of policy holders, which now number may be better understood perhaps by the statement of the fact, that during the past year it paid out to policy holders over fourteen millions of dollars, or over \$46,000 every business day of the

Moving and Selling Cattle.

The annual winter reports all have the same story that 'the mortality in range cattle is largely due to driving cattle to new ranges late in the season. The located stocks suffering very much less from stress of weather, by comparison.

It may be stated in truth, that there is always a loss incidental to moving range cattle, owing to some of the stock not thriving on the drive and not fattening after arriving on the new range. This fact is generally known and appreciated by stockmen, but for some reason or other, possibly for several reasons, the movement of cattle becomes later and later and the winter doubt that arrangements will be perloss is correspondingly greater each

If it is desired to learn where and under what management the losses are reduced to a fraction, it is only necessary to investigate the operations of individuals and companies who by having ranches in Texas and in the territories also, are able to transfer cattle from South to North in a regular way, neither hastening or delaying the work by reason of any consideration of money matters or speculations as to final destination. Such movements are unformerly successful and the losses as a rule amount to a trifling percentage. The steers are gathered at the earliest moment, driven leisurely, and placed upon the winter range while grass is still green and the cattle become rested, located and in a thriving condition be-

fore the winter sets in. The plea in favor of an early drive to the North is stronger to the buyer than the seller. The latter having disposed of the cattle has no further interest, but the buyer is very much interested in the question as to whether he will have cattle or hides to count in the ed for by reason of the fair spring-like of much greater moment than the variation of price a few cents either way, in first cost but in a general way there being only one exception in a few years, the eattle purchased early have cost the least money besides the advantage obtained through holding the cattle under restraint the least possible

At present the Texas market has hardly developed-but sufficient is known of the demand to give a fairly good estimate that the cattle classed as ones and twos will be called for, the demand for two year old steers being stronger than usual at this early day. Lecal dealers and speculators are buying up all the young cattle offered cheap and the general indications are that prices will be higher later than now, giving the earlier purchase the double advantage.

The price of stock cattle being largely dependent on the sales of beef, the present favorable prospect for steers to fatten early is likely to cut a figure in the trade as stockmen all prefer selling young beef, to cutting off a future beef

at present in a transito, fow knowing the actual condition of affairs, but two points in the be delivered in the Neutral strip and diven North by the purchasers. The stock will come out of territo-the best interest of the buyer.

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THE Texas Tarantula, a social and amusing weekly paper, published by Shevlin & Byrne of Dallas, has made ts first appearance and is well received. The JOURNAL has been complimented with a copy, and is pleased to recommend the Tarantula as show- jennets. ing life and spirit in all departments. The subscription price is \$2.00 per an-

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num, strictly.

And General Range Notes.

The weather of late is all that could be desired, except rain. Warm rains | weather that needs breaking up. would be beneficial. Col. P. R. Smith, of Oak Grove Fine

Stock Company, Silver City, New Mex-ico, bought a span of blooded mares of Tom Witten, liveryman of this city, for which he paid the nice little sum of one thousand dollars.

Thodius, his ranch in same county, consisting of 900 head stock cattle, 23 sad-ranging from \$60 to \$125. dle ponies, ranch claims on two sections of watered lands, all for the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

Wm. Perrin, Benjamin, Knox county, Texas, horse raiser, says that horses have never done better than this winter. Sheep also doing excellent,

Colonel A. W. Hilliard, of Pecos, was in town during the week and says that cattle are in fine fix and shaping up for

R. D. Hudson, of Hudson & Kirtley, the week, having purchased several hundred heifers in the vicinity, of Wills Point for shipment to Arizona. Messrs. Hudson & Kirtley are dealers in ranches live stock, Bowie, Texas, was in town and offer some bargains in cheap grass.

The shipment of corn-fed cattle to the Chicago and St. Louis markets, has commenced. Twenty-eight cars were shipped from points in Hill and Johnson counties, in two days of last week.

T. M. O'Connor, of Refugio county, coming by way of the west, went south ward on Monday last, and while here ing to the annual report just issued, gave the Journal a call. Mr. O'Con-South. He has a few thousand heifers one ditto 4 weeks old at \$8.00. to spare but no steers.

120,952. The great work annually ac- news from the ranch to the effect that all the time. complished by this great institution up to date there had been no loss, and none was expected. His cattle had drifted largely on the south lines but favorable weather permitted the men to drive stock back on to the best part of the range. The Nave-McCord & Jumbo ranches being under same fence, one report accounts for the well being of county that stock are doing well. both stocks.

John Harris, of the United Trading | stockmen who are inclined to trade. company, headquarters Colorado City, Texas, gives a glowing account of the cattle business on their ranch at junction of Seven Rivers and Pecos in New Mexico. He says that 60 per cent of two-year-old heifers drop calves at that age; that it is not unusual for cows to drop two calves within the year. Cattle out there are well graded up and

Mr. Ike Dahlman is on his way home from New York and stopped over at Chattanooga. Will arrive here on Saturday. Cable advices are awaiting him here. His friends here have no fected to run the works in strong force. In next issue we hope to give particu-

J. T. Tyler of Austin, representing the Statesman, arrived in town on Fr day and visited the JOURNAL.

Mr. Hixson, representing the firm of Fowler & Van Natta of Fowler, Ind. sold two grade Herefords to Capt. S L. Easley of this county. He has on hand now at the Holloway pasture 52 head of good bulls.

Jno. S. and Thorp Andrews of this city received a letter from their boss in charge of 400 steers which they are feeding on the Brazos river below here, giving the gain of three steers, as follows: Dec. 26, one weighed 1270 lbs. Jan 26 the same steer weighed 1342 lbs a gain of 72 lbs in thirty days. Same steer was weighed Feb., 10th and had gained 68 lbs. gained 68 lbs. Another steer weighed Dec. 26 1240 lbs, Jan. 26 1337; a gain of 97 lbs. On Feb. 10 the same steer weighed 1418 lbs; a gain of 81 lbs in 15 days. Another steer on Jan. 26 weighed 1550 lbs, Feb. 10 weighed 1620 lbs; a gain of 60 lbs in 15 days. These steers it will be observed gained nearly three pounds per day for the first 30 days and nearly five pounds per day in the next 15 days. They are being fed inan open pen without shelter, and the increased gain in February is accountweather at that time as against the extremely cold and disagreeable weather in January. The moral is, plain stall feeding, even in Texas mild winters, is more profitable.

Messrs. Matthews, Rodgers & Freeman, horse and mule traders, report good trade at about the following prices: Cow ponies \$40 to 55; work horses \$55 to 75; driving horses \$75 to 100; Spanish mules \$40 to 55; work mules 141 to 151 hand high from \$85 to \$150, owing to condition, ages, etc.

Mr. E. M. Brown the noted fine horse fancier of the Fort, has just arrived from Kentucky, where he has spent the last two months selecting some fine spans of driving horses for this mar-ket, he brings with him five spans beau-tifully matched pedigreed horses, the finest that could be bought in the state. They can be seen at Tom Witten's livery stable, and are certainly worth

walking some distance to look at. A. F. Truitt & Co. are advised of shipments of stock to this market. They have on hand acclimated grade Angus and Hereford bulls.

Mr. J. Y. Hogsett, of Fort Worth, recently paid \$8.00 round for 500 yearling steers to go in his Wise county,

Mr. Greathouse of Decatur has purchased about 1,000 head of yearlings steers and he ifers in Wise county.

Messrs Boaz & Hatcher have about perfected arrangements for putting up 7,500 young cattle for the Home Cattle company of St. Louis. The stock will be delivered in the Neutral strip and diven North by the purchasers. The stock will come out of territory

firm report an active inquiry for stock heifers for New Mexico and

Colin Cameron of Arizona returned to Fort Worth from a purchasing trip into Tennessee. He is after jacks and

S. B. Burnett came down from the Washita Agency on Thursday and says cattle are doing very fine indeed.

Tom Wagoner, of Decatur, is said to have five men arrested at Seymour for stealing cattle. It seems that beef are fat enough to steal but not fat enough to ship. Killing and skinning beef on the range and selling the meat to local butchers is an industry of good winter

Messrs. Cottrell, Kemper & Co. horse and mule dealers, report sales of 20 head Spanish mules to Matador Land and Cattle Co., at \$60 per head, for ranch; to Volney Hall for his farm in this county 14 head Spanish mules at \$60 per head, and two work horses at C. R. Scott, Esq., of Agua Chiquette sanch; Donna Anna county, New Nexico, recently purchased of Chas. head and in a smaller way some twelve Mr. J. M. Kuhen has sold 'his inter-

est in the livery and sale stable business of Messrs. Cottrell, Kemper, & Co., to thing to do with the loss. Mr. Nelson Messrs. Cottrell & Kemper. The firm was on the range for several weeks bename and business will be continued fore his arrival in fown. same as heretofore. We understand that Mr. Kuhen will re-embark on an enlarged scale in the same line of busi-

W. A. Briggs, ranching in Lubbock county and corn feeding some 200 steers near Waxahachie, Texas, reports everything prosperous in the business. Wilcox, Arizona, was in town during Cattle doing excellent both on ranch and at feeding pens.

J. W. Cherryhomes, real estate and during the week on business:

N. R. Powell is making arrangements to go to Spain during the month of June 1886, and bring over about 30 jacks and jennets. It is his intention spells have been experienced, yet have the city of Ft. Worth and will endeavor The company is about closing the purto bring over some of the best specimens that ever crossed the briny deep.

A. H. Peacock, reports sales of two nor says that few transactions of any Jersey red pigs to Frank M. Brown, over ninety millions are invested in U. moment have yet been made in the DeLeon, Comanche county, at \$20 and

JOURNAL. He was just in receipt of prices. They are buying & shipping

Mr. Hollingsworth, of Stuart, Iowa, breeder of Herefords will have a car load of bulls at Fort Worth on Saturday or Sunday. Colonel J. S. Godwin is in receipt

of advices from his ranches in Jones The town of Fort Worth is full of

The disposition is to hurry up spring. J. S. Powell & Co. sold to Col. P. R. Smith of Silver City, N. M., sixty head of Missouri Shorthorn bulls; 30 thoroughbred bulls and 30 high grade and

Col. S. P. Burns, of Clio, Brown county, Texas, is in town visiting our es in such good condition that they expect | teemed friend Tom Andrews. He is to get sixteen and twenty dollars for an enthusiastic breeder of mules in his of quarantine against American cattle has been considered hopelessly deaf by ones and twos this spring. There has county and believes it to be the best by European nations and will suggest a been neither snow, rain or sleet in that | stock business in Texas. He very much vicinity during the winter and only admired the sound newsy appearance about six days cold weather. and only admired the sound newsy appearance of the Journal and invested in it. While here he bought "Black Duke" a Daisey Jack of Messrs. Jno. S. Powell & Co. for service on his ranch, paying \$700 cash for him.

> Martin Hart, of Gordon, Palo Pinto county, ranching some 1500 cattle on open range, "says that his and other cattle in his vicinity are in better condition than at same time of year for the last three years. Says he can pick out 300 cows on ranch that would make first class beef. He thought the STOCK JOURNAL essential in his business and subscribed for the same.

Col. P. R. Smith of Oak Grove Fine Stock Co., Silver City and C. F. Foraker of Foraker Bros., C. F. Ranch, Black Hawk, all of Grant county, New Mexico, bought some four hundred head of well graded stock cattle of J. Giddings, Ennis, Texas, at \$11.50

Capt. Lee York, who has just returned from a trip through Jack and Wise counties, where he has been buying 1s and 2s, says they are plenty and cheap enough in good condition, having wintered well. He will drive his purchase to his pasture on the Trinity north of town, where he will hold them for whom it may concern.

T. C. Hunt, of Eastland county, dealing in cattle, reports cattle in Eastland, Stephens, Shackelford and other western counties in much better than usual condition for this case of the many ladies who have found permanent relief by one treatment from Dr. Prentice. of Dec., 1450 head of stock cattle with out losing an animal.

bull-barn, near Mansion hotel. Shorthorn bulls, Texas and Missouri have for sale one extra load of Polled

Nick Hudson, feeding 226 head of cattle at Burleson, Johnson county, reports his stock doing exceedingly well. Will ship about half of them the 1st of March. He is taking the JOURNAL at his ranch, but said he must have it with him always. So he subscribed for another copy to be sent to him at Burle-

to eighty Jersey heifers from 14 months more than I ever expected. old up—all with calf except six or eight R. having ealves by their side. Since the arrival of this stock ten to twelve cows have been sold and Mr. L. J. Polk is this paper. in receipt of letters advising him that the cows give perfect satisfaction as milkers and excellent butter makers. With poorly manufactured or impure These beautiful eattle have now been in the state two months and are all in perfect health and gentle as pet lambs.

Jno. S. Powell & Co. received dur-ing the week from Col. J. C. Ware, Urbana. Ill., the car load of Normans and household? This can all be obvisted Clydes, mentioned in last issue; there are eight head of high grade stallions; the firm also received a car load of ciency. jacks and jennets which are now at their barn and stable.

Mr. K. M. Van Zandt, jun., is offerstock heifers for New Mexico and ing for sale one fine Hambletonian stal-young steers for the North being in dewas imported as a calf has done good service and is a young and vigorous bull of good family.

Col. S. P. Cunningham returned to the Fort after stopping over in Kansas City to attend a meeting of the National Cattle Growers' association executive committee. Colonel Cunningham will make his office with Jno. S. Anderson & Co.

Thorp Andrews was one of the last to return from the Denver convention. He reports the northern county a mass of ice and snow.

Mr. O. H. Nelson, came in from Deep Lake, Hall county, Panhandle, on Wed-nesday on his way to Kansas. The firm of Finch, Lord & Nelson introduced 700 head of high grade and pure bred Shorthorns to their 25,000 acre Panhandle breeding farm last year and up to date have not lost a cow or calf. Mr. Nelson excepts only two storms from the general run of good weather and states positively that the general condition of the Panhandle cattle is good Of cattle driven in during the year the mortality has been large but very much less than reported and in each case local conditions, burned range, condition of stock on arrival, have had some-

B. T. Leonard, Cisco, Eastland county, Texas, reports cattle wintering.

G. H. Baxter, of Kansas City, traveling passenger agent of the Burlington

route, is in the city. J. W. Nunn, of Nunn Bros., ranching in Mitchell county, was in town during the week and reported stock interests in good shape in his vicinity.

Mr. S. W. Lomax, Espuela Cattle Company, finds the cattle generally between Salt Fork of Brazos and South Pease, in good condition and wintering well. While several exceptional cold to start a jack and lennet business near the city of Et Worth and will endeavor hence cattle have not drifted much. chase of 10,000 stock cattle for delivery at the ranch.

> Mr. G. W. P. Coates, representing Messrs. Webb & Webb, Land and Live north of Fort Worth, was repairing his Stock dealers, of Albany, Shackleford | wire fence six weeks ago; a wire staple county, and ranching in same county, flew out and struck both points deep

T. P. Lenoir sold one of his fine Jacks "Henry Ward Beecher" to Mr. Tiernay of this county. Mr. Tiernay was acquainted with this famous jack and bought it to prevent so fine an ani-mal from leaving the country where raised. Mr. Lenoir has made arrange ments whereby he can put on this market three hundred choice horses and mares.

THE Neutral strip seems to be in fair way to be opened up for settlement, a bill having passed the senate ment, a bill having passed the senate pelled by actual observation to term to this effect. Senator Coke was the quack doctors. We are now compelled means of amending the bill so as to reserve a five mile strip for a cattle trail.

THE National Cattle Growers' organization have taken in hand the subject

THE annual statement of the Mutual Life Insurance Company can be found in this issue. Many policies of this company are held by Texas stockmen who will be glad to know that the Mutual Life has \$105,908,967 dollars lars and some cents left to pay off claims as they come due.

Tex., has suffered severely since the war with piles. He says he has tried every kind of treatment, even to burning them away, but has never been cured until Dr. Prentice of Fort Worth gave him only one treatment, which has entirely cured him. His praise of Dr. Prentice is almost unbounded.

Mr. T. J. Key of Runnels, Tex., has been troubled for years with piles so he could not ride or attend business. Dr. Prentice cured him perfectly in one

treatment. Mr. W. N. Waddell, of Colorado City, Tex., can give information of a

Mr. James M. Jordan of Christian, Palo Pinto county, Tex., suffered many years with the piles-was cured by Dr. Prentice of Fort Worth in one treat-

ry, of Marblehead, Mass., has been without any benefit. Dr. Prentice curdistributing his Seed all over the Unit. ed him in one treatment without cut-Angus bulls, two-year-olds: also some Hereford bulls and heifers, Texas raised.

Angus bulls and heifers, Texas years of successful business. Look up By kindness, reference is also made to his advertisement in our columns of Mr. Martin of the Martin-Brown Co.,

R. A. Myatt. My wife's eyes had been badly diseased for four years. The doctors told me the other eye would have to be cut out. She has suffered terribly for many weeks. Dr. Prentice treated her just one week and she is now perfectly free At the Polk Stock Yards are seventy from pain and her eye has improved

R. A. MYATT, Burleson, Texas. See Dr. Prentice's entire column in

Don't Waste Time. baking powder. Buy a package of Silver Loaf and give it a fair trial. If you do this you will never regret it. How many disastrous failures in making bread cause troublous vexation in the by a trial of Silver Loaf. J. H. Brown

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DR. PRENTICE.

Again Compelled to Prolong His Stay Until March 1.

Dr. Prentice will remain at Hotel Pickwick until Mar. 1. The doctor has had more business than he could attend to. He has been obliged to prolong his stay until Mar. 1. Patients are coming to him from hundreds of miles distant. He is doing business for and receiving correspondence from many physicians of Texas and adjoining states. Dr. Prentice performs operations in one minute, and without pain, that many surgeons take hours to do, while patient that have been given up as hopeless by the best surgeons of America.

Eyes Turned Out.

I am now twenty-one years old When I was five years of age had inflammation of the brain. Since that time my eyes have both turned outward. directly the opposite of crosseyes. They looked outward from each other at an angle of at least 90 degrees. It disfigured me very much, so that from pride I have always avoided society. It was a painful misfortune to mother and myself, for we had been told they could never be made straight. But thank the Lord, Dr. Prentice, at Fort Worth, has made them perfectly straight and greatly improved my sight. No one can now tell they were ever wrong. I am ever so grateful to Dr Prentice. He did the operation in two minutes. Miss Lucy Lee of Fort Worth witnessed it. JESSE SAMS, Decatar, Tex.

What a Physician Thinks.

FORT WORTH, TEX., Jan. 29, 1886. To those who may be suffering, as have been for two or three years, with catarrhal deafness: Go and see Dr. Prentice now, for waiting will sooner or later be the utter destruction of so important a sense as the hearing. 'So go and be cured, for I can and do with leasure recommend Dr. Prentice. Having been treated by him, I know whereof I speak.

JAMES C. BAIRD, M. D., Gatesville, Texas. N.B.-I would take pleasure in answering any queries relative thereto.

Nicholas McCoy.

Mr. Nicholas McCoy, living ten miles JAS. H. CAMPBELL, Manager, D. L. CAMPBELL, Manager, G. W. CAMPBELL, Manager, On Monday last Mr. Abram Nave, of the Nave-McCord company, visited the forty head of good work mules at fair that county.

Messrs. Mitchell Bros. horse and is in town on business and represents into the eye-ball. This was the only live stock of all kinds wintering well in that county.

This was the only that county. for three weeks, not being able to sleep at all. Finally he went totally blind. He was about crazy with grief and ner-vous prostration. Two weeks ago he was led in this condition into the office of Dr. Prentice at Fort Worth, and, marvelous as it may seem, he is restored to good sight again by Dr. Pren-

In our day and time we are hourly

confronted with advertisements of wonderous and miraculous cures performed by what we have been comto alter our opinion in the case of Dr. Prentice, now quartered at the Pickwick hotel in this city. Mrs. P. A. McPhail, wife of the late editor and proprietor of this journal, who has been almost entirely deaf for eleven or twelve years, many eminent physicians. Almost all of the old doctors of Fort Worth knew of her case well, and know that she was almost entirely deaf. Now, however, after only one week's treatment, her hearing has been greatly improved and now hears better without eartrumpet than ever before by its use. She feels confident that if the treatment is kept up for one month that she will be entirely restored to her hearing. Dr. Prentice has performed other wonderful cures since he has been in the city. His patients everywhere bestow upon him sincere heart offerings of grati-Mr. David Kearse of Colorado City, tude, which is one of the noblest impulses of our nature.- Texas Free-

Dr. Prentice.

Mr. Mcl. Kennedy, who is stopping with Mrs. Walker, at the corner of Fifth and Calhoun, streets, has been oadly cross-eyed in both eyes since infancy. Yesterday Dr. Prentice straightened each eye in the short space of one minute. His sight is very much improved, and none can tell that his eyes have ever been crossed. Mr. Ed. J Smith of the Sunday Mirror witnessed the operation. Also the eyes of John lady who suffered for many years and McCahan's son, eight years old, who was cured in one treatment by Dr. has been cross-eyed since the age of two years, were straightened by Dr. Prentice in less than a minute. Mr. McCahan is cutter for the clothing house of Dahlman Bros., Fort Worth; also Mr. Wint Elkin's daughter, Amanda, seventeen years old. She had double cross-eyes all her life. Dr. Prentice straightened her eyes and made a handsame lady of her in one minute. Mr. Shorthorn bulls, Texas and Missouri raised, to Col. Moore, of New Mexico; one jack to Col. S. P. Burns, Brown-wood, at \$700. Jno. S. Powell will go to Missouri next week after another load of fine jacks and jennets. They have for sale one extra load of Polled

distributing his seed an over the Unit. The Unit of States until his name has become a household word in the house of nearly ting, burning or hypodermic inject. Still another, the wife of R. C. McPhail, notary public of Fort Worth, has been very deaf for about ten years, being obliged to use an ear trumpet. Dr. Preptice treated her one week, when seed an over the Unit. Still another, the wife of R. C. McPhail, notary public of Fort Worth, has been very deaf for about ten years, being obliged to use an ear trumpet. Dr. Preptice treated her one week, when set can be trained. The Unit of Rectangle in the Control of Rectangle in the who has witnessed some of the successful work of Dr. Prentice, now at Hotel Pickwick. The doctor also refers to J. K. Ashby, of Fort Worth. Mr. Nicholas McCoy, living ten miles north of Fort Worth, had his eye put out by a fence wire staple; he is rapidly recovering sight under the treatment of Dr. Liver, Kidney, Female and Nervous

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What Another Physician Thinks of Dr. Prentice.

To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: I have suffered three years constantly with my eyes until my sight became very bad. I have been under the treatment of emiguarantees its purity, strength and effinent oculists, but Dr. Prentice has given me more relief from pain, and greater improvement of sight in a few days than I ever received at the hands of

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condition for this season of the year.

He shipped to El Paso on the 23rd day of Dec., 1450 head of stock cattle without losing an animal.

See Dr. Prentice's entire column in this paper.

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All stock by rail or river is unloaded directly into the Yards. No bridge toll to pay when Stock is shipped directly to these

No Tunuel to Pass Through.

Consequently no extra shrinkage and mortality from suffocation. Packing houses and city butchers as well as Eastern order buyers and shippers are at all times represented here. Snippers of butcher catte are especially int rested, as butcher catte shipped to these yards are sold directly to the butchers, who furnish St. Louis and shourbs of 20000 people with their daily supply of fresh meat, thereby saving to the shipper the middle man's profit.

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BRANCH OFFICE
TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL,
208 Main Plaza, next to Central Hotel A. A. Maher, Business Manager. SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 12, 1886.

Angora Goat Raisers' Association. ica. The industry where carried on with intelligence and care has been found remunerative and pleasant. It is estimated that there are over 250 men engaged in Texas in raising Angora goats for the mohair. In order to secure concert of action, and many other advantages only to be attained by combination, a meeting was called for February 5th of all persons interested in ruary 5th of all persons interested in Captain W. W. Simons, of the Pecos promoting the raising and breeding of Land & Cattle Company, says that his persons in attendance in the Southern ing time. Hotel parlors, in San Antonio, at 10 o'clock, and the following proceedings will either drive or sell 6,000 head of 2-were had; Mr. W. D. Parish, of Se-year-olds this spring. guin, was made temporary chairman, o. H. Rominger sold his fine stallion and R. R. Claridge, temporary sectors. On motion a committee com-

journed till 7 p. m. On re-convening in the afternoon a cattle interests to be lost.

Mr. Borden bought a car load of grass beeves from Need Pulliam, of Uvalde, at \$18 and \$22, and shipped the same

W. D. Parish, Texas, president; Col-nel Richard Peters, Georgia, W. W. Haupt, Texas, C. P. Bailey, California, S. J. Arnold, Texas, J. P. Devine, Tex-one and two year olds in Uvalde counas, vice-presidents, J. C. McFarland, ty at \$9.50 a head all round. Texas, recording secretary, G. A. Horle, New Jersey, corresponding secretary; and Henry Fink, Texas, treasurer. By provision in the constitution, the above named officers form the ex-

ecutive committee of the association.

mulate a plan and rules for such regis-ter, to report to the association at its next annual meeting. W. D. Parish, J. P. Devine, San Antonio; John S. ranchero and great lover of fine stock Harris, Idaho; W. W. Haupt, Texas; Henry Fink, Texas, and W. M. Lan-

onel T. C. Frost for a generous propo-has some features superior to a suit that everything looks bright in his sec-sition to handle, without charge, small against the railroad for damages.— [Exsition to handle, without charge, small clips of mohair, and recommended him to the favorable consideration of Texas Letters of congratulation were read

from Colonel Haupt, Colonel Lowrey. and McNaughtan Sons, New York city A committee was appointed to report at the next meeting upon the condition of the mohair industry in Texas and the United States.

A vote of thanks was tendered to R R. Claridge and L. A. Heil for services rendered as journalists in promoting the mobair industry.

After a vote of thanks to Mr. Hickman, proprietor of the Southern Hotel, for his kindness in permitting the use of the hotel parlor for the meeting, the association-adjourned.

Taking it all through, the beginning made was very encouraging to those this city. It may be months before interested in the business; and it is expected that at the next annual meeting his many friends in these parts. And there will be a large attendance. The reports the stock as doing fine.

Col. John E. Wilson has just returned made was very encouraging to those there will be a large attendance.

Those who have used the Boss Zinc and Leather Collar Pads and Ankle Boots say they are the best and cheapest, because most durable. They will last a life time. Sold by Harness makers on 60 days' trial. DEXTER CURTIS, Madison, Wis.

Union Stock Yards. Several efforts have been made to establish union stock yards and a live the Southern.

stock exchange in this city, but owing to the lack of money and influence of Antonio and Aransas Pass railroad those taking the matter in hand the at-tempts have hitherto failed. But now Harbor Island. The ranchmen of the a move has been made in the direction | country south of the Nueces thus sethat promises success, principally on account of the hands into which it has fallen, guaranteeing almost unlimited capital. Thei leading spirit in this movement is John J. Stevens, a man of means and indomitable energy and well-known financial ability. The company was incorporated as the Union Stock Yards Market and Chemical country south of the Nueces thus setting to the cure shipping facilities without crossing the river. A great advantage.

The One Horse-Farmer writing to the San Antonio Express, says that there are several flocks of sheep in the Sabinal Canyon, that having been clipped late and overtaken by a norther, had suffered some from losses, otherwise stock of all kinds in that section was stock traffic from the above territory. company of San Antonio, with a capi- doing well. tal stock of \$100,000, and Mr. Stev- D. G. Franks, of Pecos county, came ens says that the capital can easily be down to town and autographed himself made half a million if necessary. The incorporators are George W. Bracken-ridge, John T. Lytle, John O. Dewees, the city last week and stopped at the John Rhodes, George C. Williamson, Southern, John J. Stevens, B. L. Crouch and Al- A. S. Mitchell, of Camden, Ark. hats and furnishing goods. exander Moore, all of whom are men came down to buy stock cattle, and of wealth. The object is to establish stayed at the stockman's headquarters, in or near this city capacious stock the Southern hotel. rery latest and most improved plan, probably using the new patent process for preserving meat. Mr. Stevens told the Journal man that at present he was not at liberty to give full details as be lacking. This move is one of great recently bought. in the money brokerage busines, importance, especially just now at the Major W. H. McCreight, of Valley and shall make it a specialty to nemake San Antonio the great stock mar- at the St. Leonard.

ket for the Southwest, independent of E. E. Banner and C. H. Word, of Many people, either unacquainted very deaf for some years. Yesterday he Kansas City, St. Louis or Chicago, and Kyle, are in the city looking for horses. all quarantine and trail embargoes. It is establishing a market and butcher pen, as it were, right in the center of the pastures, where the ranchmen will week.

L. L. Banner and C. H. Word, of Many people, either unacquainted with money matters, strangers in the city or reluctant to try the market personally should certainly be pleased to entrust a reliable party with their business. Merchants, on the other hand, versation with the ear that had been be independent of the brokers and job-bers. Several of the incorporators of passed through the city Saturday en actual cash by patronizing us, as by this company are large ranchmen with route to Presidio, on a prospecting canvassing the entire market we will immense pastures on the railroads from | tour. which they can ship at a few hours' notice, or can hold till the market is favorable. The SanAntonio Union Stock

SALES AND BARGAINS.

Francklyn Land & Cattle company Corpus Christi at a witness in a mur-brand that he drove into Nebraska last der case, and on his way back stopped year for \$22.00 a head. There were over in the Alamo city, paying his respects to the Journal man

Ex Governor Pacheco, of California, who is now a large ranch owner in the state of Coahuila, Mexico, opposite of Eagle Pass, passed through San Antonio the latter part of the week en route-home from his ranch. He considers his Mexican ranch property very val-Ingora Goat Raisers' Association.

West Texas is now recognized as the interested in having the extraction duty Angora Goat Raisers' section of Amer- taken off, and with his wide influence

Angora goats for mohair or sale of an-imals. There were about twenty-five young steers unless sold before start-

Capt. Joe Shiner says that his firm

posed of W. D. Parish, R. R. Claridge sold out his ranch and stock in Nueces G. A. Horle, was appointed on permanent organization and constitution and ests to Austin. It is to be hoped that by-laws, and then the meeting ad there is no truth in the rumor, as such men as Rogers are too valuable to the

HORNS AND HOOFS.

News reaches us that the sheep of | Eleven feet of water is now reported Mr. White, in Mexico, have been con- in Aransas Pass at low tide and about The time and place of the next annual meeting was fixed in San Antonio, on the first Monday in October, 1886.

Resolutions were passed recognizing the services and efforts of Col. Richard Peters, of Georgia, and W. D. Parish, president of the association, as the two

president of the association, as the two men to whom was due more than to any other, the advance made in the mohair on the Sabinas river in Mexico, Texas and New Mexico.

M. Millett reports that of the 47 that he brought down from his Kansas ranch on the Sabinas river in Mexico, Texas and New Mexico.

Make the deed of declination in the London syndicate, that some time ago brought down from his Kansas ranch on the Sabinas river in Mexico, Texas and New Mexico.

Banch property and lands in both Republics. East this association call to the attention of cattle. Plenty of stock cattle in this cure.

The question of an Angora goat region owns a large number of Angora goats, is said that D. R. Fant, of Goliad, was at the meeting of the goatmen in this city, and was so much taken with will start a herd of 2500 2-year-olds for the number country.

of all kinds, was in the city last week. There are some singular ideas of jus-A committee consisting of Colonel T.

C. Frost, L. A. Heil and J. P. Devine, was appointed for the allotment of subjects for essays and addresses to be made at the next meeting.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Colonel T. C. Frost for a generous propo-

their cause.

can Mohair association.

Pecos county, has returned to his ranch is just finishing an elegant residence, after a four weeks visit to his family in | so as to be able to receive his friends

Mark Withers passed through town from the cold snap were insignificant.
on his way back from Denver.

C. N. Sloan, of Colorado City, is in The leading clothing house in the town looking around to see what is being done in the live stock market.

A. C. Taylor, of Jones county, is at

yards, erect a stock exchange, and es- G. J. H. Howard, of Atascosa county, public that, as heretofore, we shall tablish a slaughtering house on the was in the city on Monday and stopped keep fully posted as to the movement

to location and extent of the enterprise, W. P. Moores, of Kansas, a large dry enabling us to trade at most advantage assurance that if money could goods man, came down to receive his tageous figures and terms, without make it a success that funds would not interest in the Yarde ranch, which he waste of time. We will also continue

building of the San Antonio and Aran- Ranch, Bexar county, was a guest at gotiate loans and discount, buy and sas Pass railroad, which will give cheap the St. Leonard, last week. sell upon orders business paper of all transportation to the Northeastern and Sam J. Jordan, sheepman of La sorts, domestic and foreign exchange, European markets, and is intended to Salle county was in town and stopped county bonds and warrants, state bonds man on the Texas & Pacific railroad,

n the city with some beeves.

J. W. Murray, of Leesville, Gonzales im is to make a success of a business in the city with some beeves. Yards is a bold strike on the part of stockman, was in town the stockmen of this section for freedom latter part of last week, shipping a fine from the oppression of the jobbers of Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago.

It is to make a success of a business ly stock at reasonable prices, and which is certain to grow with the place.

All inquiries within our line will be for spring delivery. A little forethough promptly and cheerfully answered All orders executed without delay.

L. Brandenstein, of Kendall county, was at the Southern last week. The jolly John Humphries, a large

It is reported that Col. J. T. Lytle sheep owner and merchant of Maria, real estate brokers.

has sold the two-year-olds of the Presidio county, was called down to Assox

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W.C. MORGAN'S BRAND. on left side, marked crop and split left, underbit right, Ranch in McLennan county, 13 miles east of Waco; postoffice Brownwood, ranch office xiell. Also c tile same mark; branded C M on left hip.

Mr. Geo. J Wilson, of Medina county, an extensive rancher and shipper, called on the JOURNAL man on Tuesday, and reported stock doing well in

W. P. Gerfers an old sheepman of this county was in last week and reported his flocks doing finely.
Capt. E. E. Rutledge and family, of
Uvalde, paid the Alamo city a visit

last week. W. G. Todd, of Bandera, a prominent sheep and goat raiser, was in attendence to the Angora convention. B. F. Moss, a stockman of Zapata county, is again with us and stopping at the St. Leonard.

A larger amount of Johnson grass will be sown in the Southwest the coming season than ever before. It is the "new idea" you know.

It is reported that many ranchmen on the coast and second tier of counties will farm to considerable extent the coming season. Ranching on the "new idea" is on the increase. Cotton is to be an important crop among said ranchmen, and it is claimed that Sea Island cotton is a grand success along the coast line.

our state legislature, the necessity for state aid in protecting live stock antine them.

against the ravages of wild animals.

D. C. Fanning, of Round Rock, who home from his ranch in Presidio country.

Titles perfect.

E. M. Powell, of Dallas, passed through the city last week on his way home from his ranch in Presidio country. D. C. Fanning, of Round Rock, who, home from his ranch in Presidio coun

the upper country,
J. P. Mayfield, W. H. Drake and

Thos. Fuller, stockmen of Karnes ranchero and great lover of fine stock | county, were in the city on Sanday and stopped at the St. Leonard.

J. R. Murray, of Gonzales county,

John D. Rogers and Robt. C. Pax-Joe. P. Devine, of Bexar county, ton, of Presidio county, are at the came in to attend the Angora goat- Southern, and report stock doing finely. men's meeting. Joe is a large owner | News from Kansas reports great loss of cattle horsespand sheep, but his 2500 of stock during the cold snap, including Angora's are his favorites, which he hogs. There was no loss of hogs in proves by his open championship of this section because there were none to

city, and made president of the Americo to buy cow ponies.

can Mohair association.

Captain W. W. Simons, manager of G. A. Horle, of New Jersey, but a large ranch owner in Bexar county, was large ranch owner in Bexar county, was dropped in on the Journal man on Monday to pay his respects to the great large ranch owner in Bexar county, was in attendance to the Angora goat meeting) and was made the corresponding secretary.

Hart Mussey, of Pressnall & Mussey,

stock as doing fine. Col. John E. Wilson has just returned it will also be years before the remem-brance of it can be effaced from memo- and says that in his section in the lower end of the Panhandle, losses of stock

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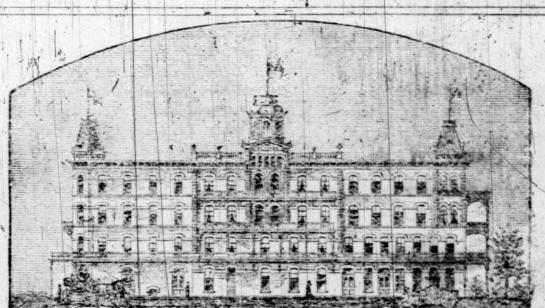
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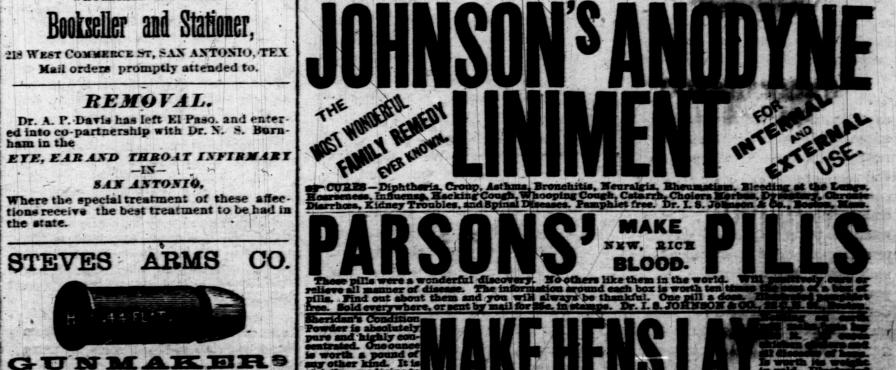
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The Sheep Prospect.

The sheep prospect depends on the price of the wool, the price of mutton, the cost of raising and the cost of trans-

The cost of raising sheep in Texas is not greater than in any country where lands upon which the sheep run ton sheep can be made of the full blood muttons. are purchased. The sheep interest Merino, but the fleece must be lighten-Here will never be in better fix as re- kles and have but little yolk and not a gards cheap lands than now, and the dense fleece, but can be very fine wool and very even quality and fair length. Some such sheep are to be seen in Missing the sheep raisers' own hands.

are better off than some western wool tage they have over any coarse wool prowers, and far better off than the sheep is they are hardier when run in wool raisers of the Pacific slope. In mutton transportation, we are over-description: It is to be a large wellcharged at the lowest estimate of the formed sheep, to be of quick growth. injustice 35 cents per head.

The price of wool, good wool, will and fatten at any age, and pass for open this spring at upwards of 20 cents compared to the compar any extravagant statement in regard to do, wool, we can say that the values have his we have an experience not to ative to the producer.

missions to come out.

Seab, wolves, land matters are local breed for fleece; what we need is to Tisnes, and the troubles of either kind obtain a marketable fleece with a mar-

za ist be overcome. In a general way there stands be- ship. aveen the Texas sheep raiser and present prosperity the overcharge on diest of all the English breeds; the mutton transportation. This must limit of numbers at which they can be be evercome. The cattle trans- run profitably in one flock is not 50 nor features. It is a practical and useful sortation charges are said reason- 500. They will not stand herding on journal. able. For a car from Colora- scant pasturage. They are pasture To City to Chicago, the cost is \$110. sheep, and the money is made in feed-A car should earry 20,000 pounds. A ling, and not starving them. They are single deck car of sheep costs \$32, for farmers' sheep, and their use is to turn 10,000 pounds. For 20,000 pounds we the farm product into money. In valpay \$164. Overcharge \$54 for a full car. | ue, upon critical markets, a good South-Let this one item against the sheep in- down lamb is worth two well-fattened berest be removed, and the industry matured Merino muttons.

can take care of itself. as of this overcharge. We have two have a proper place on the ranges, and strong organizations on our side in the what men need to do who are in the live Stock exchanges of St. Louis and business of sheep raising is to make Chicago. In this office letters have the bold attempt to produce a sheep been prepared for sheep raisers to sign that will suit their several localities, endorsing and encouraging the move- feed and methods, out of what is in ment, and now, day after day, these let- reach to build on. The man who exters are pouring in upon the exchanges, perimented and gave the experience stating how much the matter of trans- above, soon found out what a Southportation affects us and how great in- down was for. "The cross is all right late to publish a good paper and were deed is the sheep industry of the South- for a man that wishes to sell his lambs." west, and how much of the natural Had the cross been of a pure Southgrowth of our business, and how much down on a low grade Merino it would

deck system to the railroads and from

We have always believed that the proper understanding of this business has never yet been arrived at by the railroad authorities. 'So long as prices for muttons ruled high, the number of the best sheep shipped was used in evidence that there was no prohibition in the regular tariff of the roads, but now since prices are lowered and the traffic stopped the fact is evident to anyone and the railroads will recognize the falling off in their business.

We have strong hopes that there will be a favorable change, and that Texas Siftings one year for the sheep trade will not always be handicapped with this overcharge, but believe that this one great impediment to our prosperity will pass away, leav-We will send the TEXAS ing us a fair field for progression ac-

The Wool Trade. For several weeks past no sales of

Texas wool have been reported at Boston. Ohio and Pennsylvania wools are selling at 35 cents and above and combing and delaine at about the same range. Texas wools are quotable at Texas Stockman for three dol- 22 to 26 cents, the demand fair, and supply small. The Philadelphia market disposed of 1,000,000 pounds of wool last week, and Boston sold over my mules buried up to the eyes in it The TEXAS LIVE STOCK 2,000,000 pounds of the domestic clip, In trying to extricate them my nose and New York sales were fully up to the usual amount. One firm in Philadelphia advances the statement that ene year for two dollars and the manufacturers may run short of wool before the new clip comes in The general impression amongst dealers is that the good, clean, early clips of The TEXAS LIVE STOCK Texas wool will sell readily at full

Merinos and Southdowns Crossed. mule and 5 cows; another 6 cows, and The TEXAS LIVE STOCK ment is reviving also, and the pertinent mine. I do not know how it is with mission salesmen will carry their point JOURNAL and the Chicago different grades and crosses are of mo- ter from Forney county, Kansas.

> A Merino breeder in Missouri, writing to the Rural World, gives his experience as follows. He says:

"As you requested me to write you how the Southdown ram crossed with Weekly National Live Stock that I bred about 225 full blood Merino The lambs dropped April last; they were hardy, healthy and thrifty from the start up to date. We are feeding them for the Chicago market. Expect to ship them about the first of March. Most of them fatten well; a few cf them will not do to ship. If those lambs were sheared in May I think they would shear 5 lbs of fleece washed Send subscriptions by pub-wool, and at the present quotations, Savannah, I.T., Waco and Austin. He swelling Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is Tisher of local paper, or by worth \$1.90. The lambs after shearing stock in good fix and no losses of corse.

The cross is all right for a man that wishes to sell his mmbs, but the full blood Merino of fine size and but few folds and good form is the sheep that pays me best. I have a small flock of pure bred Southdowns. I do not consider them as hardy or as healthy as

the Merino. My Southdowns do badly when they run in flocks of over 50 sheep in the

The cost of transportation in the growth and fatten at any age, nearly this city, says that when the wool seamatter of wool, is not excessive; we always fat if well kept. The advan-son is opened he will "go busted" on large flocks. But the ideal sheep that so many are hunting for is after this to shear a heavy fleece of good wool

first-class mutton, and all this with company sep. That style of sheep is only the bund in the land of Eldorareturned to a reasonable basis remuner- be tried in Texas. We have few full blood Merinos for Southdowns to cross. The price of mutton bids fair to pay Our sheep do not all reach such a grade. for raising, if the railroads surrender We have nearly lost the Mexican wool. the overcharge in transportation. producer, and have reached a low We see that a good sheep weighing 100 grade Merino in large numbers-a pounds on the market, with its woolly sheep that shears lightly and has a exat on, will sell for \$3.50 and with its light frame. Our experiments should coal off at about \$3.00, unless prices be to reach a better sheep—not a perStockman and Farmer of Pittsburgh, raise, or fall. A smaller sheep will feet one. A sheep reaching 90 pounds Pa.: Extra 100 to 110 lbs,\$4.50 to 4.80; sell for a little less and a larger sheep as a yearling, and producing 5 pounds good 90 to 95 lbs, \$4.10 to 4.36; fair 80 for a little more, the freights and com- of washed wool, (equal to 71 pounds in to 85 lbs, \$3.50 to 3.75; fair 75 to 80 lbs, the grease), would about suit Texas \$2.75 to 3.25; common, \$2 to 2.50; Barring the overcharges in mutton ranges, but does not require pure bred time last year: 100 to 110, \$4 to 4.40; transportation the prospect is good. ewes to produce it. We know how to 95 to 100, \$4.75 to 3.90; 85 to 90, \$3.25

ketable carcass-something we can The Southdown is probably the har-

The different breeds of sheep have The movement is on foot to relieve their place; even the low grade sheep sevenue also is cut off by the single have resulted the same. In this exper- Stewart's Healing Powder.

iment the Merino blood cuts no figure except for wool, but the owner expects to sell before shearing. The Southdown fleece sells readily alongside of Merino wool, and the only cash difference is in quantity. Herein is the only disadvantage of a small flock of Southdowns as compared with Merinos. The one is a mutton sheep, the other is a wool sheep.

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WEEKLY CLIP.

Mr. W. F. Blandin, owner of 4000 sheep, called in on Monday to dispatch a letter to the Chicago Live Stock Ex-change on the double deck question. Mr. A. G. Walker, sheep raiser and shipper, of this county, did the same

A regular blizzard was raging January 6th. Over 400 of my sheep were under two to four feet of snow, and and fingers were badly frozen, and my foot was, so completely nipped by the cold that I have since been nearly confined to the house with it. The mules froze to death after having been resothers has been fearful, and the loss of stock cannot be estimated. One man lost 2,500 sheep, and another lost 700 each; another 2 mules, 2 horses, a cow and calf, and 200 sheep; another a Since sheep husbandry is reviving still another lost 4 horses and 14 head questions as to the profitableness of the world outside, as I have not had any news in the last two weeks.—[Let-

On Tuesday, there were sold to Swift 548 head of very good 86 lb., Nebraska corn-fed sheep, at \$4,50 per 100 lbs. They were young, in good flesh, and very fine pelts. Mr. Doans, of Crete, was the shipper of this, about the first important lot of Western sheep for the season. Good fat Western sheep for the season. Good fat Western sheep, like good cattle, are preferable to "natives," owing to the lighter shrinkage. In a measure, this lot of sheep will set the prices in the West for such stock. But they were of unusually good quality for the weight. Chicago Drovers Journal.

worth \$1.90. The lambs after shearing | stock in good fix and no losses of consethe postmaster, or by postal perhaps weigh 90 lbs, but I expect to quence. A few hundred sheep pelts soda. A wineglassful of the Bitters, industry as in a prosperous condition.

Mr. W. E. Vernon, of Comanche Worth a couple of months since, locatfor Comanche county during the week. decline of vigor should for Comanche county during the week. Mr. Adam T. Brown, of Coleman

lot, while the Merino does well in large county, owner of several thousand flocks, which to me is a very great ad- sheep, sent a letter to the Chicago Live Stock exchange by way of the JOURNAL Is properly named. Bread made with Doubtless the Live Stock Journal is office. The purport was "double this baking powder is as light and nuright when it stated, an excellent mut- decks." Mr. Brown has a train load of tritious as it is possible to be made. It

Mr. F. H. Littlehale, of Wichita Falls, a well known wool buyer, took a dose of Morphine for Neuralgia and nearly passed over the river. He is progressing favorably.

Mr. A. Armentrout, wool buyer of son is opened he will "go busted" on wool, which being interpreted means that he will bid strongly for the clip.

If the railroads want to make some noney, they should give the sheep in erest a fair showing.

Mr. Morrison, of horizontal reduction fame, has a bill. It is said to be a much more reasonable bill than the last. Without knowing its contents we are decidedly hopeful that it will be lost or killed. Mr. Morrison would like to tear the world to pieces just to show his ability to put it together again. We have no faith in his handiwork. He is too reckless of the consequences to

If we can get justice done us in the matter of double deck transportation for sheep the interest shall have a sub-

The following quotations for sheep lambs, \$4 to 6. Quotations for same to 3.50; 75 to 80, \$2.25 to 2.75; common, \$1.50 to 2; spring lambs, \$3.50

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at the same place February 14. The sheep market was active the past week and prices have advanced fully 25 cents per 100 lbs on all grades. Sales were made at \$3 to \$5 per 100 lbs, with the bulk of sales going at \$4 cued and blanketed, and we lost two- to \$4.25 per 100 lbs. But few native thirds of our sheep. The sufferings of sheep are bringing less than \$3 per

Two parties lost over 40 head of cattle light supply and brought from \$3.10 to \$4.15 per 100 lbs, according to quality. still waged on the railroads, and I the interest in methods and manage- of cattle. These were all neighbors of have not the least doubt that the com-

> excited and ship half fat sheep to marlater, for it will pay.

> There is but little change to note in the wool market. Demand fair and sales moderate at strong prices: Texas being quoted at from 12 to 23c per lb RATTLER.

Undigested Food

In the stomack develops an acid which stings the upper part of the throat and palate, causing "heartburn." It also Mr. E. W. Gruendler, wool buyer, has evolves a gas which produces "wind on lately returned from a hide purchasing the stomach," and a feeling and aptrip in the interest of J. C. Crowdus & pearance of distension in that organ Co. He went to Gainesville, Denison, after eating. For both this acidity and salts, like heartshorn and carbonate of were on the market, whereas at this after or before dinner, will be found to time last year there were many thousands. Mr. Gruendler reports the sheep tive. This fine specific for dyspepsia, both in its acute and chronic form, also prevents and cures malarial fever, concounty, who brought muttons to Fort stipation, liver complaint, kidney troubles, nervousness and debility. ed here until he sold out. He departed Persons who observe in themselves decline of vigor should use this fine

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ranchman friend of mine expresses the idea, and comes home to the hearts of most of us. He was an old-timer, and it was in the early days. Some trade was going on between him and a new upon a crowded market, that the ownand owners of the "Fort Worth and Tarrant county abstract of land titles." Loans on real estate negotiated. Office in Loyd block, corner Second and Main.

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With this condition of things, and in proached him with asking too much, to which the ranchman replied: "Young man, I want you to understand that I am not the child of wealthy parents, nor am I here for my health." But, gentlemen, while we want to

make all the money our business will give us, we do not want to make it at the expense of honesty toward man, or humanity toward the beast.

The field of thought we are about to discuss leads upward. Its tendencies is toward better care on the range, higher breeding, fuller and riper maturates, the various other elements were combining to make their business unproduction of the first struggle daily encounters with the hostile Introduction. The increased number of in the week not a steer will "full back"

them briefly, as they come within my experience since 1873.

At that time, and for a number of years following, the range was unlimited in its extent, uninterrupted by wire fences and by extensive irrigating canals. It was scantily stocked with cattle, and consequently the animals that were upon it were to a great extent handled only by the men who owned them in each section, and only to that extent which was actually necessary to accomplish the object of the owner in branding calves or gathering beeves.

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how to escape the long pole of the canthe owner in the ultimate and highest point of successful cattle feeding. But we believe that we have entered on the right road. branding calves or gathering beeves.

But as time went by vast numbers of now herds were introduced, each one bringing with it an additional amount of work during the seasons of branding and shipping. The obstructions above referred to came in to existence, and then began to multiply in so far as the water privileges and the condition of the country permitted, and the conclusion was forced upon the owners of range herds that they could no longer expect or count upon getting their cattle into prime beef condition as early as formerly, or to the extent of the same percentage out of every hundred head of animals of suitable age.

In the early days we could buy two and three-year-old steer cattle off, the Texas and Oregon rails, and the following year could reasonably expect to market in prime order three-fourths of

We then found that, under the disadvantages of the above character, a single winter was not sufficient to mature an animal off the trail. We at first attributed it to the fact of their age, and determined to try the experiment with older cattle. But after buying and turning out three and four-year olds, we still found that a single winter did not accomplish the object. We could still fatten pretty well by double wintering, and we could still market a certain preparation of our range three tain proportion of our range three-year-olds. But another period went by, and we found that this calculation was still defective; that in spite of the fact that we were deferring our shipments to September and October, instead of July and August, that still the proportion which we could gather that were fit for beef did not represent over one-third or one-half of the animals of

appropriate age.

In order, therefore, to meet all obligations of various kinds, which the sale of his cattle was expected to cover, the average ranchman found it necessary to ship a large percentage of the steers that remained, in a condition which he recognized as being simply that of feeders. This class of cattle is bought by the Iowa and Illinois farmers at a rate in which, it is true, there was some profit, but which was very far below the result that had been obtained from the same animal when thoroughly ma-

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The question thus brought up was, "Can an arrangement be made by with any wasteful method of pursuing our business, if care and thought will lead us into a better and a wiser one.

The limit of time which all desired to fix was too short to be safe for securing the fattening of the entire number of cattle, and as it is impossible to safely change cattle from slop feed onto any other form of feed, the probable necessity of having to force and handle?" It was at first thought the last few hundred or thousand books were represented by the checks that this could be done by the combination of a number of the largest ship
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FEEDING CATTLE ON THE calves either on or immediately after Lastly, while we found that our cat- the cattle business than that which is the general round-up, and before they the would mature well, if given time found in the past. We have millions leave their mothers, of shipping his beeves between the intervals of calf branding, and of getting his last shipmon sense told us that if that material interested in its management as there Before the International
Range Association.

MR. CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN OF THE COMMITTEE: I have been honored that large numbers of heeves in the carbonaceous properties must be also before the snow before with a request to address you on the subject of feeding of cattle for market; in other words, how to get our range steer, after his four years of buffalo grass and alkali water, into such condition that he can look, without humiliation, across the pens of the Chicago into the words of the consumer in the bear of the consumer in the carbonaceous properties, must be even hands of their various owners would arrive at the shipping stations almost law-that large numbers of beeves in the carbonaceous properties, must be even hands of their various owners would arrive at the shipping stations almost law-that large numbers of beeves in the carbonaceous properties, must be even hands of their various owners would arrive at the shipping stations almost law-that large numbers of beeves in the hands of their various owners would arrive at the shipping stations almost law-that large numbers of beeves in the carbonaceous properties, must be even more fattening. In other words, we should have a healthier food for the an-imal, and should accomplish the fattening operations in less time, and continue to do so until they in all the attendant expenses of labor, the bands of the consumer in the carbonaceous properties, must be even more fattening. In other words, we should have a healthier food for the an-imal, and should accomplish the fattening operations in less time, and continue to do so until they in all the attendant expenses of labor, the bands of the consumer in the carbonaceous properties, must be even more fattening. In other words, we against us will die away and be heard no more fattening. In other words, we against us will die away and be heard no more fattening. In other words, we against us will die away and be heard no more fattening. In other words, we against us will less methods which are now hurded against us will less methods which are now for the carbonaceous properties, must be even more fattening. In other words, we against

daily encounters with the hostile Indians, when we lived in dugouts on the range, when rifle and revolver were constant companions, to the days of peace and railroads and international cattle conventions. And in like manner it turns our thought from the rude and rough methods of handling our cattle, which were the best possible to us in those times, to the wiser, gentler, more humane, and more economical methods, which the events of the last ten years have put within our reach.

So great has been the change between the former methods pursued in the cattle business upon the plains, and those which circumstances now render necessary, that I think it best to review the possible to give the problem which was thus present edward to market smoother or killed by the problem which was thus present edward and debated in days of the last the possible to the problem which was thus present.

The problem which was thus present and a greatly increased number of for supremacy settles the question, and to supremacy settles the question, and in a week not a steer will "pull back" in you piss within a foot of his head, as you piss within a foot of h

ed was deeply pondered and debated ed better. Their average gain, weighby those cattle owners who believed in ed in and weighed out, both on a the cattle business, and had fixed them- shrink, was a trifle over 300 pounds. selves permanently on the western plains, and who intended to stay with the business as long as it would stay methods pursued at our place.

class as beef instead of feeders, and how to escape the long pole of the can-Second, to lengthen the period of marketing the cattle so as to be freed from and we are in a position to profit by the necessity of placing their entire annual product into the hands of the consumers during the 90 days of autumn weather; and on the contrary, to methods wiser and better than this. With the freedom from hog cholera, time, and continuously and successful-ly throughout the entire year. ly throughout the entire year.

To meet these two conditions, some

form of feeding was evidently necessa-

ry, and as much as three years ago this was conceded by myself and my associates as a necessity for the successful But we believe that in the method that we first turned our attention to oldest and most common method; hard corn, either shelled or on the cob, folfowing the cattle with hogs. Of this method we had had in former years, as far back as 1869 and 1870, an ample A method by which the ra experience, from which we draw the following conclusions: That if fed in open lots, a very large proportion of the fattening qualities of the food must go to supply animal heat, to meet the shrinkage caused by cold and rain. To such an extent is this true that in bad winters of alternate cold and wet, the amount of food that the animal would consume would but little more than maintain its condition until spring should bring settled weather. If fed in sheds, by which warmth and shelter could be obtained, the expense for that purpose, which would be very great, must be taken into consideration. And experience, from which we draw the must be taken into consideration. And lastly, the extensive prevalence of hog cholera rendered the necessary invest-ment in that class of stock liable to

sweeping danger arising from this We, therefore, argued that if the expense of building sheds to an extent and at a cost proportionate to the business we wished to do was to be incurred, that some method of feeding should be adopted, in which not only the hogs could be dispensed with, but it which the largest amount of feed could be utilized. We then turned our attention to slop feeding in distillery, and of this to slop feeding in distillery, and of this we made a full and fair trial with partially satisfactory results. But a close and practical investigation, based upon the experience and facts of every day, impressed upon us the conclusion that his system also had its drawbacks.

In the first place the nature of the combination called the distillers' pool of its fields as fully as possible. If it is ming ranchman recognized a number is such that a large proportion of the an honorable and worthy object to make of obstacles, each of which produced its damaging effect. The most important of these were the constantly recurring periods at which an excessive their trade warrants. These pools what two bushels have heretofore been number of range cattle reached the Chicago market. We understood clearly that while the total number of cattle going off the grass range was not in

could handle, if averaged throughout We found it impossible to make a plains can afford to pursue their busi-the entire shipping season, that still contract at a fixed rate which should ness by wasteful and extravagant meththe arrival of what was equivalent to thereby exposing us at the beginning of each new year to a general competition incited by those who believe that sequent rise and high prices realized our previous operations had been except and extravagant methods the stravagant methods and extravagant methods arrival of even if they can continue to enjoy a moderate profit while so doing. Improvidence and extravagant methods arrival of even if they can continue to enjoy a moderate profit while so doing. Improvidence and extravagant methods are in the stravagant methods are in the s by the light shipments that followed. cessively profitable. Again, we found upon the heads of those who commit it. What the cattleman needs is a steady it impossible to make a contract which Let us set a high standard for our buaverage market, upon which he can should extend along into the spring or siness, and let that standard be the calculate with reasonable confidence. Summer, when it was impossible for the highest possible result obtainable from All violent changes of beef values or distiller to continue his work with a the materials that are given into our

nation of a number of the largest ship- only half tat stared us in the face as never knew where he stood until he pers and the preparation of a schedule the probable conclusion which we went to the bank counter and asked if J. B. LEWIS, of days and amounts of shipments should meet under such contracts. he had a balance, that man and that which each of the signers should agree Again, no distiller will assume the re- method are things of the past. THE GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL. to be bound by. But this again proved sponsibility or guarantee to the cattle Our business is an honorable and a to be a false hope. The failure was feeder a steady and continuous feed for grand one. It is the production at first Terms\$2.00PerDay. not due to a lack of good will and co- his stock in the emergency of an injury hand of one of the great staples of the First-cia sin every respect. Most centrally operation on the part of the shippers, to the machinery of the establishment, world's commerce, and we owe it to but was caused by such conditions of and as the work of distilleries is con- ourselves, and we owe it to the states the business and circumstances insepstantly liable, from its complicated and intricate nature, to serious breakdowns, place that business upon as high a pers from acting as free agents in the matter. The necessity which every cattleman will realize, of doing his work when other men in his locality are doing it, of branding his contingency.

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ment at Gilmore, Neb., where some 4,000 head of animals are now being With this condition of things, and in fed. Their feed is chiefly Indian corn, the fact above alluded to, that in con- ground and cooked, and an ample supsequence of the cattle fattening more slowly than formerly, every owner was holding back to the last possible moment before starting, so as to get his beeves into the best condition, you see sides that of cooking. The animals the simple explanation of the crowded are not chained or fastened in any way, kindred troubles. Also, for many other markets and low prices which annually but each has a roomy stall which allows diseases. Complete restoration of recur in September. October, and No- considerable freedom of movement. health, vigor and manhood guaranteed-

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continue to be fully patronized and will annually supply their proportion of fat animals to the market I do not doubt, we have adopted we have secured to a certain extent the objects which I have above pointed out as seeming to be a necessity to the future of the above interests. To itemize A method by which the range beeves.

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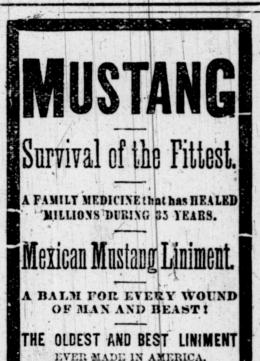
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DALLAS, TEXAS, Feb. 12, 1886. Johnson Grass and Bramah Cat-

Mr. John O'Neill, of Lavaca, was in the city during the week en route to brought into the city of Dallas. Philadelphia. His cattle are located in Calhoun county, eighteen miles from Victoria. He says that although coast cattle began the winter in good condition they are now in very bad order on account of a dry fall and winter which dried up the grass. The losses so far have been light and were chiefly owing St. Louis, vs. J. P., Z. T. and A. J. to cattle bogging and being too weak to Addington, J. C. Washington, C. C. to eattle bogging and being too weak to extricate themselves. A severe spell of weather now would be attended with great loss. He said that, beyond all question, the fever is a disease incident wilson, of Cook county, Texas, on a promissory note for \$21,502,25, was on to the coast, and that while coast cattle may for a while be allowed trail privileges, they will ultimately be barred by quarantine regulations. Coast men see this and are preparing to improve their stock and raise fewer of them, stock exchange, reports a fair and abandon the trail and ship. To this end Johnson grass, which yields from three to five tons per acre, and produces two crops per year, is being extensively sown. The best breed tizes be of eattle that has ever been brought to this coast is the Bramah, an importation from the East Indies. They are scarce, change and consequently very costly, and only but it has been thoroughly demonstrated that they are less susceptible to fever, and crossed with any blooded stock are an improvement on any other cattle yet brought to the state. As an illustration of this he said that the average 4 or 5-year-old native steers weighed from 800 to 1000 pounds, but that a two-year-old steer one-quarter Bramah, one-quarter native and one-half Durham weighed 1200; and at the age of 3 years, when it was killed, tipped the scales at 1640. Bramah steers are scarce, from the fact that all males of that breed are saved for balls. The Bramah is in his opinion the coming stock of the coast.

DALLAS DOTS.

Mr. C. A. O Keefe, Manager of Col. C C. Slaughter's cattle, which are located in Dawson Borden and Martin coun-ties, was here Tuesday. He says cattle are in fine condition. Out of 40,000 head only 75 deaths have occurred during the winter, and most of these were due to bogging. All the cattle

Mr. James Arbuckle to-day shipped a tine young Jersey heifer to Texar-

Messrs. M. O. Lynn, of Palo Pinto; J. H. Miliken, and Jesse Hitson, of Weatherford, were registered at the Dallas Live Stock Exchange Wednes-

Mr. Berry Gatewood, of Ennis, but whose stock interests are near Colorado city, was in the city this week.

Mr. F. M. Houts, of the Hereford ranch, in Wise county, was in the city Wednesday. He suggests a meeting in Dallas at an early date of the fine stock growers, for the purpose of or-ganizing a breeders' association.

Col. J. T. Cooper, late of the Spade ranch of J. F. Evans & Co., Donley county, who was in the city en route to the East, remarked to stock reporter that according to the Panhandle way of thinking the land board got a black eye from the Donley county district court a few weeks ago. Before the court referred to the cattlemen of the tounty were arraigned on seventy-six indictments for illegally inclosing school lands. The defense set up was that they had tendered a lease of 4 cents per acre, and renewed the tender ancre, and renewed the tender ancressions in my head that were truly mually ever since the law went into effect and there being no other bidders, they did not think themselves liable to the penalty of 50 cents per acre for ev-ery three months since the law went into effect. In defense of the charges of unlawfully inclosing school lands they showed in evidence in each case that they had not entirely fenced in any lands. Every man's lands were on one or more sides already fenced by his neighbor before he located his cat-tle. The court in charging the jury told them if they found that defendants had tendered 4 cents and annually renewed the tender they would find a werdict of not guilty, and that they would ignore all evidence pertaining to the fencing of school lands, the same being not pertinent to the issue. The result was a verdict of not guilty in each and every case. Col. Cooper said that the people of the Panhandle are willing to pay 4 cents, and that is all the berses at \$22.50 one car load saddle horses at \$25.00 and one car load saddle horses at \$25.0

willing to pay 4 cents, and that is all they can afford to pay. That was the dle ponies at \$25.00, and one car saddle ponies at \$22.00, and 53 head of horses and mules sold at retail in yard. deny that the land board, which is no Staniford & Lubbock, more nor less than a board to execute good mares at \$26.50. the land laws, has the right to raise the rate to 6 or 8 cents, or to any other amount, or to reduce it. The people, under legal advice, took that view of the matter at first, and have annually which has a standard of the arts, and the standard of the arts at standard of the made the tender of 4 cents, which has regularly been refused. Col. Cooper thinks that the lease is a bogus lease car saddle horses at \$27.50.

nell, Sweetwater, were recorded in Dallas the early part of the week.

The Continental Land and Cattle company, has just held its annual meeting in Dallas. An election of the offithe re-election of all the old officers, to-wit: W. E. Hughes, of Dallas, president; E. C. Sterling, of St. Louis, vicepresident; James W. Bell, St. Louis, secretary and treasurer, and J. N. Simpson, of Dallas, general manager. The meeting adjourned and Col. Bell left for St. Louis.

Mr. W. J. Morphy, of El Paso is in the city attending federal court. He is well posted on stock matters in West Texas, Arizona, New Mexico, and Northern Old Mexico. He says there have been no losses to date. The win-

ter has been mild, and there has been no snow except in the mountains. He says the lands are about taken up in Texas and the two territories mentioned, and Texas mon, are just beginning to purchase in Northern Mexico, out of which they have hitherto been out of which they have hitherto been elewhere. kept by a fear of Indians and the inquietude of Mexican land titles. But ince the Indians have been made to take back seats, and a better knowledge of Mexican land laws has been obtained, they are going tight in.
He says their are millions on millions of virgin range on which a hoof has never been put in that region. And it can be had for from 25 cents to 50 cents per acre. Already there is a pretty heavy demand for stock cattle and beilers a Texas must who have opened, PARM AND HOUSEHOLD, Bex 49, Hand and Household, Bex 4

or who contemplate opening ranches in the land of the Montegumas, are taking up their residence in El Paso, which town he thinks will be the great cattle trading point between the two

Mr. Campbell who is buying large mules to be used in fencing the lands of the capitol syndicate, says that the finest mules that he found in the state were natives of Dallas county and

Mr. C. F. Hill, a breeder of Merino sheep and Jersey cows, at Sowers, Dallas county, to-day presented the Exposition and Fair association with a week. \$75 pair of premium sheep.

The suit of the Bank of Commerce of promissory note for \$21,502.25, was on Tuesday decided in the Federal court

Maj. A. C. Irvine, of Messrs. Irvine & Johns, proprietors of the Dallas live stock exchange, reports a fair offer on 2,000 head of yearling steers, but he asked \$1 per head more than the offer. Mr. W. A. Rodgers of Dallas advertizes brood mares, etc., for sale in this

J. G. Johns, of the live stock exchange of Irvine & Johns, has been busy all the week receiving and selling

The following are a few of the cross eyes that Dr. Prentice has made

D. J. Utley, proprietor of omnibus transfer jat Henrietta, Texas. Both eyes made straight in less than two

H. S. Spangler, agent Texas & Pacific railroad at DeKalb, Tex. Eyes made straight in less than a minute. Judge M. D. Priest, Fort Worth, twelve-year old daughter. In less than

Miss Amanda Elkins, Bedford, Tarrant county, Texas. Both eyes straightened in one minute. Mr. E. M. Young, Burleson, Tex. One eye, one minute.

Mr. M. J. Kennedy, Fort Worth. Both eyes in one minute. Miss Jessie Sams. a I'wo eyes in two

John McCann, cutter for Martindale, merchant tailor, Fort Worth. Eightar old son, cross-eyed. ed in a minute. Dr. Heidingsfelder's son, of Houston,

Tex. In less than one minute. Guss Wilson, Avenue hotel, Fort Worth. One eve, less than one minute.

Mr. B. T. Willis witnessed the Reference is kindly made to Sidney Martin of the Martin-Brown Co., Fort Worth, who witnessed some of the successful work. See Dr. Prentice's entire column in

A Good Record.

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Ins	urane	e and	Annuity Accou	int.	
	No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.
Policies and Annuities in force Jan. 1st, 1885 Risks assumed	114,865 \$351,815,941 07 14,334 46,507,139 16	Policies and Annuities in force, Jan. 1st, 1886 Risks Terminated	120;952 8,247	\$368,981,441 36 29,341,638 87	
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Dr.		Revenue	Account.	1	Cr.
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By Bonds secured by mortgages To Reserve for policies in force Loans on collaterals..... cr (er.ninated..... \$103,846,253 00 10,992,720 45 Cash in banks and trust com-Premiums received in ad-2,619,643 21 panies at interest ... vance..... 50,080 73 Interest accrued. 5,012,633 78 Surplus at four per cent..... Premiums deferred and 1,438,189 55 189,550 29 Sundries.\$108,968,967 51 Total....

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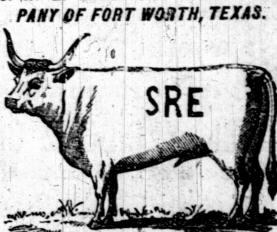


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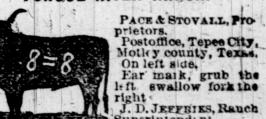
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