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Latest Reports by Wire From the
 Market Centers.

CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 30, 1891.

Special to the Live Stock Journal.
 W. W. Shearer & Co. sold 72 steers, 936
 lbs, \$2.60.

Reynolds & Crill sold for Dille Bros.,
 266 steers, 850 lbs, \$2.35; Lee Bros. 97, 984
 lbs, \$2.50; T C Sterrett, 74 cows, 770 lbs,
 \$1.85; 161 steers, 881 lbs, \$2.35; J Aronson,
 22 steers, 877 lbs, \$2.10; 28 cows, 792 lbs,
 \$1.65; C P Fuller, 21 steers, 912 lbs, \$2.15.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 20
 steers, 1109 lbs, \$2.90; for H J Canfield 93
 fed steers, 1095 lbs, \$3; 117 steers, 1088 lbs,
 \$2.65; American Pasture Co., 231 cows,
 853 lbs, \$1.75; M L Fore, 81 yearlings, 530
 lbs, \$1.85; G C Robertson, 30 steers, 935
 lbs, \$2.25; Lasso & Powell, 25, 914 lbs,
 \$2.15.

Wood Bros. sold for J H Pain of Den-
 ton, 157 fed steers, 1175 lbs, \$3.20; W J
 Hamilton, 19 steers, 893 lbs, \$2.55; E E
 Weldon, 152 Indian cows, 851 lbs, \$2.05,
 also 44 cows, 625 lbs, \$1.25; J J Smith 69
 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.35; 104, 827 lbs, \$2.35.

Keenan & Son sold for D C Campbell,
 47 steers, 950 lbs, \$2.40; G T Reynolds, 43
 steers, 938 lbs, \$2.35; Reynolds Bros., 131
 cows, 870 lbs, \$1.75; Mexican-National R
 R, 81 steers, 816 lbs, \$2.10; J G Ayres, 60
 steers, 806 lbs, \$2.25; 18 cows, 862 lbs,
 \$1.80.

Paxson, Shattuck & Co. sold 36 cows,
 610 lbs, \$1.85, 25 cows, 890 lbs, \$1.65; for C
 B Eckleberger, 18 steers, 1613 lbs, \$2.60;
 53 cows, 752 lbs, \$1.90; Ed Taylor, 100
 steers, 886 lbs, \$2.35; 26, 866 lbs, \$2.35; B B
 Wright 20 cows, 743 lbs, \$1.40, 36, 698 lbs,
 \$1.25; J B Wilson, 133 steers, 1990 lbs,
 \$2.80; 67, 1092 lbs, \$2.75; 27, 987 lbs, \$2.70; O
 J Baker, 20, 923 lbs, \$2.25; 21, 786 lbs, \$2;
 24, 177 lbs, \$1.40; 20 bulls, 1145 lbs, \$1.50;
 Joe Collins, 106 steers, 916 lbs, \$2.15.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission
 Co. sold 22 bulls, 1211 lbs, \$1.70; 77 cows,
 884 lbs, \$1.65; 29 cows, 801 lbs, \$1.60.

Sealing & Tamblin sold 54 steers, 1010
 lbs, \$2.90; 124, 1067 lbs, \$2.60; 165, 921 lbs,
 \$2.60; 21, 978 lbs, \$2.30; 73, 842 lbs, \$2.20; 48,
 871 lbs, \$2.25; 233, 840 lbs, \$2.35; 23, 1013
 lbs, \$2.35; 109, 845 lbs, \$2.10; 34, 845 lbs, \$2.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for Saginaw
 Co., 177 steers, 1004 lbs, \$2.35; 395, 1050 lbs,
 \$2.40; J C Cresswell, 20 cows, 800 lbs, \$1.52
 Taylor Bros., 48 steers, 1007 lbs, \$2.35; W
 Scott, 100 steers, 838 lbs, \$2.20; 55 cows,
 880 lbs, \$1.50; 23 cows, 618 lbs, \$1.50; Scog-
 gins Bros., 23 cows, 931 lbs, \$2.20; Crisp,
 20 cows, 949 lbs, \$2.20; Robertson & M.,
 19 cows, 994 lbs, \$2.20; J C Avery, 48 cows
 919 lbs, \$2.15; J Jerome, 57 cows, 1122 lbs,
 \$2.47; L Combs, 69 cows, 1000 lbs, \$2.25;
 171 cows, 1092 lbs, \$2.25; Oxier, 250, 891
 lbs, \$2.10.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for
 Halsell, 80 Indians, 1061 lbs, \$2.60; Fair-
 mount Cattle Co., 395 steers, 915 lbs,
 \$2.40; D F Garretson, 60 steers, 1189 lbs,
 \$2.35; Drumm, 41 steers, 1143 lbs, \$2.40;
 W S Carothers, 139 steers, 875 lbs, \$2.25;
 Halsell, 138 steers, 1061 lbs, \$2.40; Mrs.
 Balling, 86 steers, 1200 lbs, \$3.40; 44, 1223
 lbs, \$3.25.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold 18 cattle,
 905 lbs, \$2; 6 bulls, 1383 lbs, \$1.50; for J H
 Paramore, 33 steers, 646 lbs, \$2; 28, 848
 lbs, \$2; 42 bulls, 1175 lbs, \$1.90; W T Wag-
 ner, 15 steers, 1065 lbs, \$2.60; Taylor & S.,
 73 steers, 1083 lbs, \$2.80.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold 23 steers, 934
 lbs, \$2.35; 25, 902 lbs, \$2.25; for Harrold &
 East, 310 steers, 1113 lbs, \$2.45; 315, 1071
 lbs, \$2.50; Burnett, 40 steers, 1011 lbs,
 \$2.70; 185, 1019 lbs, \$2.55; 21, 1072 lbs, \$2.55;
 42, 1030 lbs, \$2.62; J H Belcher, 87, 1014

lbs, \$2.50; 18, 960 lbs, \$2.50; W J Belcher,
 22 cows, 825 lbs, \$1.60.

The American Live Stock Commis-
 sion Co. sold for F Y Ewing, 18 steers,
 1282 lbs, \$2.85; J M Daugherty, 82 steers,
 771 lbs, 2.35; Half Bros., 17 steers, 1231
 lbs, \$2.30; 191, 986 lbs, \$2.25; 52 cows, 790
 lbs, \$1.70; S Lazarus, 75 cows, 762 lbs, \$1.80;
 22 steers, 920 lbs, \$2.25; Louisville Cattle
 Co., 289 steers, 1025 lbs, \$2.60; G W Wade,
 167 steers, 925 lbs, \$2.15; Stonewall, 240
 steers, 1105 lbs, \$2.25; Mexican-Na-
 tional R R., 55 steers, 805 lbs, \$2.

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, August 30.—Receipts
 for the week over 28,000 head, about
 three-fourths Texans and Indians. On
 Monday grass range steers sold active
 and 5 to 10c higher than Friday and Sat-
 urday. Cows steady. Tuesday the best
 steers sold steady at Monday's advance;
 common slow and weak; cows unchang-
 ed. Wednesday the run was over 9000
 head. Market slow, weak and 10 to 15c
 lower except on a few early sales of
 choice steers. Salesmen refused to let
 them go at the decline, and compara-
 tively few were sold. Fair to good 900
 to 1165-lb Texas steers sold for \$2.25@
 2.60. Several hundred 1050-lb steers sold
 at \$2.42½@2.45; cows, \$1.45@1.70; one lot
 at \$2.

Following are representative sales by
 first-class houses:

The Fish & Keck Co sold for J A Blair
 46 Indian calves, \$5.75 each; 75 cows, 873
 lbs, \$1.75; 28 steers, 914 lbs, \$2.37½; Com-
 er Bros, 68 Texas calves, \$5.50 each; 151
 cows, 833 lbs, \$1.45; E M Haynie, 30 cows,
 630 lbs, \$1.40; 67 steers, 967 lbs, \$2.20; J P
 Wisner, 41 Indian cows, 861 lbs, \$2; H L
 Bickford, 35 Texas oxen, 1322 lbs, \$2; J
 H Francis, 21 Indian steers, 1090 lbs,
 \$2.25; N G Lane, 88 same, 1001 lbs, \$2.20;
 A C Powers, 89 same, 952 lbs, \$2.20; W A
 Wade, 104 same, 911 lbs, \$2.30; 39 cows,
 787 lbs, \$1.70; 22 Texas bulls, 1291 lbs,
 \$1.25; Millett Bros, 131 steers, 830 lbs,
 \$2.27½; S J Garvin, 26 Indian steers, 971
 lbs, \$2.40; 23 cows, 852 lbs, \$1.70.

Greer, Mills & Co sold for Theodore
 Horsley, Hunnewell, 54 head, 953 lbs,
 \$2.55; I Craver, Hunnewell, 15, 953 lbs,
 \$2.55; 4 cows, 925 lbs, \$1.90; Robertson &
 Harris, 36 calves, \$5.25 each.

Quinlan, Montgomery & Co sold for P
 S Hoggy, Purcell, I T, 23 cows, 750 lbs,
 \$1.70; P B Tyner, Coffeyville, Kan, 3
 cows, 923 lbs, \$2; 61 steers, 911 lbs, \$2.27½;
 6 canners, 891 lbs, \$1.60; T Firzpatrick,
 Purcell, 52 cows, 730 lbs, \$1.80; 19 cows,
 914 lbs, \$1.70; 17 cows, 715 lbs, \$1.85; 82
 steers, 987 lbs, \$2.35; Bacon & Smith,
 Purcell, 52 cows, 972 lbs, \$1.60; J. Fitz-
 patrick, Purcell, 73 heifers, 738 lbs, \$1.80;
 45 steers, 981 lbs, \$2.40; 52 cows, 877 lbs,
 \$1.60; 5 bulls, 1244 lbs, \$1.15.

The American Live Stock Commission
 Co sold for Sam Lazarus, 24 Texas cows,
 746 lbs, \$1.70; 142 calves, \$6.45 each; 24
 cows, 829 lbs, \$1.75; 25 cows, 755 lbs, \$1.75;
 21 steers, 1092 lbs, \$2.55; Reynolds Bros,
 80 calves, \$4.25 each; 20 cows, 834 lbs, \$1.50;
 D W Blocker, 16 steers, 1012 lbs, \$2.50; Z
 Miller, 21 steers, 940 lbs, \$2.25; 25 cows,
 788 lbs, \$1.55; I Burnett, 14 cows, 901 lbs,
 \$1.75; 22 steers, 958 lbs, \$2.10; Geo Ware,
 10 cows, 860 lbs, \$1.70; Gregory, E & Co,
 11 cows, 860 lbs, \$1.70; A J Day, 14 steers,
 1173 lbs, \$2.35; Gregory, Eldred & Co, 205
 steers, 1045 lbs, \$2.45; 15 rough steers,
 1092 lbs, \$2; Smith & Tuttle, 92 steers,
 1036 lbs, \$2.50; A P Bush, Jr, 145 calves,
 \$6 each.

The James H Campbell Co sold for
 Keith, 34 cows, 679 lbs, \$1.75; 161 cows,
 831 lbs, \$1.65; 51 cows, 857 lbs, \$1.55; Jef-
 ferson, M & E, 51 calves, \$5.25 each; 25
 steers, 1078 lbs, \$2.40; 76 cows, 833 lbs,
 \$1.60; Helm, 88 steers, 798 lbs, \$2.20; Keith
 21 bulls, 1140 lbs, \$1.30; Hutton, 41 steers,
 1023 lbs, \$2.40; 68 cows, 741 lbs, \$1.60; 127
 cows, 722 lbs, \$1.60; 67 calves, \$5.35 each;

48 yearlings, 468 lbs, \$1.40; Frybock, 18 cows, 734 lbs, \$1.60; Shy, 505 sheep, 82 lbs, \$3.15; J B Wilson, 78 cows, 850 lbs, \$1.72½; 270 calves, \$5.25 her head; Soderstrom, 14 cows, 903 lbs, \$1.80; 104 steers, 1172 lbs, \$2.50; 30 steers, 1029 lbs, \$2.62½; Hardy, 21 steers, 1071 lbs, \$2.35; Wheeler, 18 cows, 796 lbs, \$1.70; Blount, 23 cows, 950 lbs, \$1.95; Skinner, 48 hogs, 170 lbs, \$4.10; Comer Bros, 208 steers, 880 lbs, \$2.25; Drake & S, 16 steers, 1045 lbs, \$2.65; Johns, 62 calves, \$7.25 per head; Green, 18 steers, 992 lbs, \$2.20; 117 cows, \$1.85.

Since Monday 9842 Texas cattle have been upon the market and demoralized. Prices were reduced to 10@20c lower.

ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 30.—Market quiet to-day on light receipts of cattle. Prices declined 20@25c the last three days. Sales of Texas steers to-day were at \$2@2.25 to \$2.45. Bulk of sales at \$2.10 @2.25. Cows sold at \$1.35@1.90.

Sheep also lower; sales were at \$3.25@3.60 per 100 lbs.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—Market for beef cattle improving. Beeves and good fat cows firm, good fat calves firm; yearlings dull. Hog market supplied. Good fat muttons in request.

QUOTATIONS:—Choice beeves, per lb. gross, 2½@3c; common to fair beeves, 2@2½c; good fat cows, 2@2½c; common to fair, \$8@12; calves, \$5@8; yearlings, \$7@10; good fat corn-fed hogs, per lb gross, 5@5½c; common to fair, 4@4½c; good fat sheep, each \$2.50@3.00; common to fair, \$1@2 each.

GALVESTON.

[Reported by Winfree, Norman & Pearson, Live Stock Commission Merchants.]

BEEVES & Cows—Choice, per lb, gross, 2@2½c; common 1½@1¾; 2-year-olds, choice, per head, \$8@10; common, per head, \$6@8; yearlings, choice, per head, \$6@8; common, per head, \$4.50@5.50; calves, choice, per lb, gross, 2@2½c; common, per head, \$3@3.50

SHEEP—Choice, per lb. gross, 3@3½c. Receipts of grown cattle far in excess of the demand. Prices weak and unreliable. Calves and yearlings fairly active.

Sheep wanted. Fat choice muttons would bring good prices.

SAN ANTONIO.

The local markets continue in a badly congested state, with little hope of relief

till Northern markets offer an outlet for the surplus of all kinds.

CATTLE—Steers, shippers \$13@18, or \$1.25@1.50 per 100 lbs; and butchers, \$12@15; cows, fat, from \$9.00@11; light, at \$7 @9; yearlings, \$4.00@5.50; calves, \$3.50@4.50 SHEEP—Muttons, \$1.50@2.25. Goats, average stock \$1.00@1.50 per head.

Hogs—Natives \$3.50@4.

DALLAS.

Reported by Carter & Son, Live Stock Commission Merchants.

CATTLE.—Choice fat grass steers, 1¼ @2c; Common to fair, 1¼@1¾c; choice fat cows, 1½@1¾c; common to fair, 1¼ @1½c; choice yearlings, \$6@9; common to fair, \$3.50@5; choice veal calves, 3@3½c; bulls, 1@1¼c; milch cows, \$20@30. SHEEP.—Choice muttons, 2¼@2¾c. Goats, \$1.25@1.50.

Hogs.—Stock hogs, 4¼@5c; choice butcher hogs, 5¼@6c.

The market has been glutted with cattle the past week. Veal calves and muttons are very scarce. Good milch cows finds ready sale. Goats slow sale. Stock hogs very scarce.

ST. LOUIS MARKET LETTER.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLS., }
Aug. 27, 1889. }

Regular Correspondence Texas Live Stock Journal.

Values the past few days have come down some on all grades of natives and Texas cattle. Prices had climbed a little too high, especially on natives, and a depreciation was in order. Range cattle have come down 15 to 20c per 100 lbs from the highest point, and are steady at the present writing at the established decline. Sellers do not look for any more declines, and entertain the opinion that good fat Texas and Indian steers will more than maintain their own.

Cassidy Bros & Co sold for H. B. Sanborn, Houston, 266 steers, 817 lbs, \$2.40; 254 steers, 830 lbs, \$2.40; 88 steers, 825 lbs, \$2.40; Blackstone & Co, Muskogee, 26 steers, 1086 lbs, \$2.60; B F Milstead, Ft Gibson, 15 cows, 748 lbs, \$1.75; 17 steers, 890 lbs, \$2.35; P N Blackstone, Muskogee, 23 steers, 1012 lbs, \$2.50; 74 steers, 955 lbs, \$2.45; Morris & Etlar, Lone Oak, 14 bulls, 955 lbs, \$1.50; 30 steers, 888 lbs, \$2.10; 26 cows, 632 lbs, \$1.50; Belcher & Belcher, Gainesville, 23 steers, 1006 lbs, \$2.55; 49 cows, 814 lbs, \$1.80; W M Arnold, Greenville, 25 steers, 839 lbs, \$2.30; 29 cows, 602 lbs, \$1.75; 23 cows, 733 lbs, \$1.90; Leo Whistler, Sac and Fox agency, 20 calves, \$7.60 per head; 20 cows, 814 lbs, \$1.55; John Whistler, Sac & Fox agency, 108 steers, 840 lbs, \$2; 10 cows, 840 lbs, \$1.50; 150 steers, 928 lbs, \$2.45; 64 steers, 834 lb, \$2.

Scaling & Tamblin sold for H B Brown, Antelope, 24 steers, 940 lbs, \$2.55; 33 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.45; 16 cows, 816 lbs, \$1.75; Rony Houston, Bellevue, 37 calves at \$5.50 per head; Geo Scaling, Bellevue, 33 calves at \$5.50 per head; Sidney Webb, Bellevue, 27 cows, 815 lbs, \$2; 72 steers, 954 lbs, \$2.50; Belcher & Belcher, Gainesville, 46 steers, 1006 lbs, \$2.62½; 43 steers, 985 lbs, \$2.55; J A Miller, San Antonio, 23 cows, 795 lbs, \$1.50; J J Saylor, Honey Goove, 17 cows, 747 lbs, \$1.75; A James, Doan, 49 cows, 723 lbs, \$1.45; J W Herndon, Santa Anna, 23 steers, 891 lbs, \$2.40; 32 yearlings, 458 lbs, \$1.65; McShane & Sherwood, Pilot Point, 20 steers, 1036 lbs, \$2.70; 26 steers, 995 lbs, \$2.40; 119 steers, 730 lbs, \$2; 196 steers, 1030 lbs, \$2.60; W L Mathews, Archer City, 23 steers, 912 lbs, \$2.40; Waco Land & S G Co, Waco, 48 steers, 901 lbs, \$2.45; 26 cows, 798 lbs, \$2.15; A B Robertson, Colorado City, 79 cows, 786 lbs, \$2; W A Duckworth, Snyder, 24 steers, 854 lbs, \$2.30; W S McShane, Pi-

lot Point, 109 steers, 936 lbs, \$2.37½; W H King, Greenville, 42 yearlings, 455 lbs, \$1.70; 24 steers, 901 lbs, \$2.40; 29 cows, 701 lbs, \$1.70; 28 bulls, 946 lbs, \$1.70; T M Rushing, Pilot Point, 23 steers, 890 lbs, \$2.35; 25 cows, 712 lbs, \$2; 28 cows, 822 lbs, \$1.90.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co sold for Fairmount Cattle Co, Red Fork, 677 steers, 947 lbs, \$2.50; W E Halsell, Vinita, 29 steers, 828 lbs, \$2.20; 41 calves at \$6 per head; 359 steers, 1067 lbs, \$2.75; C Stan, Tulsa, 49 steers, 905 lbs, \$2.40.

The James H Campbell Co sold for W L Fox, 28 cows, 738 lbs, \$2; 33 cows, 560 lbs, \$1.95; Wm. Hunt, 20 cows, 846 lbs, \$1.95; J Judd, Wortham, 20 steers, 847 lbs, \$1.95; 45 steers, 1001 lbs, \$2.10; C W Turner, Muskogee, 24 steers, 989 lbs, \$2.50; G W Stidham, Wortham, 21 steers, 960 lbs, \$2.50; Bryson & V, Valley View, 32 steers, 987 lbs, \$2.45; Jordon & Broadus, Nacona, 61 calves at \$6 per head; 37 heifers, 544 lbs, \$2; 25 cows, 792 lbs, \$2.05; 73 heifers, 547 lbs, \$1.75; W. W. lker, Nacona, 22 steers, 886 lbs, \$2.25; 14 cows, 761 lbs, \$1.60; H O Dutton, Mount Vernon, 24 cows, 780 lbs, \$1.90; 25 cows, 720 lbs, \$1.70; J B Markham, Wortham, 24 steers, 925 lbs, \$2.50; A L Weeks, Grantham, 22 steers, 1022 lbs, \$2.35; J W Stubbs, Gainesville, 27 cows, 720 lbs, \$1.75; 55 cows, 872 lbs, \$2.

Metcalf, Moore & Co sold for S H Mayes, Pryor's Creek, 25 steers, 955 lbs, \$2.65; 24 steers, 1063 lbs, \$2.60; 68 calves at \$5.40 per head; Clem Hayden, Chouteau, 51 cows, 820 lbs, \$2.05; 79 calves at \$5.15 per head; G W Clark, Adair, 44 steers, 1073 lbs, \$2.75; 23 steers, 1075 lbs, \$2.70; Fairmount Cattle Co, Red Fork, 850 steers, 917 lbs, \$2.50; J C Hogan, Adair, 23 steers, 1093 lbs, \$2.75; W L Wilder, Chouteau, 27 steers, 864 lbs, \$2.15; Frank Billingslea, Dallas, 46 steers, 879 lbs, \$2.20; 6 cows, 830 lbs, \$1.85; Wm. Little, Vinita, 44 steers, 1025 lbs, \$2.25.

The Texas sheep market is still active, but prices are not so high as a week ago. In other words, values have come down a little. They are still high, however, and are satisfactory to sellers. Stockers, feeders and fat muttons are wanted at \$3 @4 per 100 lbs, according to quality.

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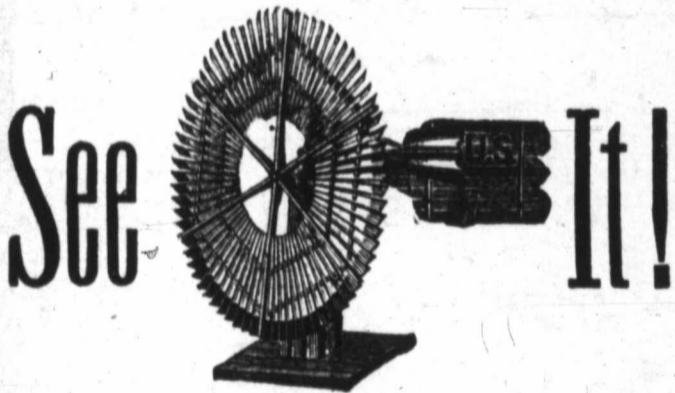


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ROUND-UPS.

San Angelo Standard:—Graham Kennedy has leased his 18,000 acre pasture on North Concho to S. J. Blocker and will move to town and occupy the old Davidson place on Beauregard avenue, opposite the Raas residence.

Stock Grower, N. M.:—It is of no use to deny the fact that many parts of the territory are now suffering for lack of rain. Unless we have good, general rains in the near future the grass will be short next winter in many parts of the territory.

N. W. Live Stock Journal, Cheyenne, Wyoming:—It is a fact perhaps not generally known that Street's Stable cars are this year being furnished shippers at the same rate as the common thirty-four foot stock cars. They are ordered of the railroads just as are the common cars.

Albany News:—Messrs. Webb & Hill sold the D. C. Richardson stock of horses, consisting of 60 head, to Messrs. Nance & Meyer, and they secured quite a bargain in the purchase of this stock. Messrs. N. & M., will carry them over until next spring's market.

Panhandle Correspondence Cheyenne Journal:—The American Pastoral Co., the L X outfit, have purchased from Kuykendall Bros. some seven hundred two-year-old heifers at \$8.50 per head. These cattle were driven to Colorado from Lampasas county last year, but failing to find purchasers were brought here to winter.

Dallas News:—F. R. Malone of Dallas sold yesterday to R. G. Penn of Dallas county his Concho county ranch, for \$65,000. The sale includes about 7000 acres of land and 260 head of horses, the cattle having been previously sold to L. M. Higginson of Concho county. Mr. Penn will make it mule and horse ranch.

Northwestern Live Stock Journal:—Mr. John Sparks of Sparks & Tinnin, Salmon river and Shoshone country, Nevada, was here this week. He reports Nevada very dry in parts, but says the condition is not general. There are parts where stock is doing well. Sparks & Tinnin will probably ship most of their beef cattle west this year, there being something of a shortage along the coast.

San Angelo Standard:—T. J. Dodson, who with his father, the ex judge of Concho county, is in the cattle business near Paint Rock, was in the city Wednesday where he sold 54 head of stock cattle to J. F. P. Cramer for \$300. Mr. Dodson returned on July 25th from a two years attendance at the Century college, Lampasas. He will leave about the 15th of next month to take a course in medicine at the Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

Stock Grower, N. M.:—The cattle sanitary inspectors of New Mexico and Arizona are urged to exercise the greatest vigilance in order to prevent the introduction of Texas fever into our herds. Remember that the cattle of the territories are wholly free from disease and their reputation for healthfulness is unquestioned. Let it be kept so. In this case "eternal vigilance" on the part of the inspectors means protection of stock from contagious disease.

San Angelo Standard:—M. P. Baze at his ranch on Red Creek, 10 miles north-east of this city cultivated a 50 acre farm this year with the following result: 20 acres in red oats, sown in February, threshed out by actual measurement an average of 65 bushels to the acre; 10 acres in corn (at low estimate) 50 bushels to the acre; 10 acres in sorghum, 3 tons of cane and 50 bushels of seed to the acre; 3 acres in millet, 9 tons of hay; 2 acres in milo maize, 25 bushels to the acre; 2 acres in Johnson grass, three cuttings a year, 1½ tons to the acre at each cutting.

Canadian Free Press:—Mr. Frank Morgan, traveling live stock agent for the Santa Fe railroad system, passed north Monday. Mr. Morgan is a great rustler and is doing more good hard work for his road than any other man they could secure. He knows all the stockmen and understands how to approach them. He has been down in the state of "Greer" for a week working with the stockmen of that section. He reports that the Santa Fe were the sole cause of the rates from here to Kansas City and Chicago being reduced.

The Stock Grower says:—Col. Frank Chavez says Southern New Mexico is in serious need of moisture. From a point a little below Isleta south the river bed

is as dry as a bone. Only about one-fourth the usual supply of water is in the ditches at Isleta, and all down the valley is the cry. "No hey chili, no hey maize, no hey nothing." Fields are parching up, the fruit trees are withering. At Sabinal the grape vines are curling up as if the frost had hit them. Not since 1879 has the Rio Grande valley been so utterly destitute of water as it is to-day, and if rains do not come very shortly the damage will be wide spread and permanent. Immediate rains might have the effect of reviving the corn crop and saving the fruit trees, and of course everybody is watching the clouds with anxiety.

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 20.—A large business is now being done in the way of importing American cattle and hogs to this city, and the trade is rapidly increasing. Fully 500 head of Texas cattle are brought here every month for city consumption alone, and for some time past Swift & Co., the prominent packers of Chicago and Kansas City, and Dr. Carothers of San Antonio, Tex., have been bringing here several thousand American hogs monthly. They are now erecting near the yards of the Mexican Central railroad in this city refrigerator works of large dimensions, in which the curing, pickling and smoking of hams and bacon will be done. The enterprise is the first of its kind ever attempted in the republic, and for its success several hundred thousand dollars will be invested. Hogs for its supply will be dressed in Kansas City, at Swift's works, and be sent here in refrigerator cars. The loss of hogs shipped on foot heretofore has been large, and by their shipment dressed this loss will be avoided. The shipment of dressed steers will not as yet be attempted, but it will soon follow. The shippers of both beef and hogs from the United States to Mexico are building up a business which promises to be of great proportions in the future.

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After the Boom.

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"Ike," said Farmer Kaw of Kansas to the hired man, "you'd better hoe the punkins on Capitol Hill the first thing in the morning."

Hired man.—"I was just thinkin' uv cultivatin' the corn a little up Broadway as far as the Opera-house corner."

Farmer Kaw.—"All right; you can hoe afterward. I'll put in the forenoon p'izin' the prairie dogs in the Board of Trade square, an' in the afternoon, we'll tackle the wheat from Prospect avenue to College Green."

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American Wool Reporter.

Appended is a poem from the pen of Fred H. Putnam of Boston, who is henceforth entitled to rank as the wool buyer poet. This poem was read by Mr. Putnam at the banquet which Great Falls gave in compliment to the wool growers, wool buyers and constitutional convention delegates on the 12th inst:

Once more the seasons round have rolled,
Vanquished the wintry ice and snow,
Montana's thousand green-clad hills
Lie shimmering in the summer's sun.
The fleece, through which the changing year
Has slowly grown from day to day,
Now falls beneath the gleaming blades
Of rhythmic, ringing, flashing shears.

Meanwhile, wool houses east and west
Have sent men on their annual quest
For stock, light, handsome, bright and free,
Wools that you hear about out seldom see,
And about this time on Great Falls' strand
Is gathered together the same old gang
Of well-known men, who from year to year
In search of wool have anchored here.

They are an even dozen, short and tall,
But for lack of time, would mention them
all.

However, there's a curious fact about each
one,
Though quiet and peaceable in the general
run,
There's something about them I want you
to know;
Every man carries hidden, well out of sight,
A keen-edged, big-bladed carving knife.

What is the need of this terrible knife?
Do I hear you ask, my innocent friend?
To carve wool sacks, you can bet your life,
And leave them for the grower to mend.
Oh, you should see them surround a load
Of wool from the Judith Basin or Choteau,
And hear the teamsters curse and kick,
As open the seven foot sacks they rip.

Watch them test the staple now,
And listen to comments high and low;
One says the shrinkage is very great,
Another, spear-gras from shearing too late;
The third remarks the weight of the sacks;
A fourth, that the wool a character lacks;
The fifth calls out, "Great Scott! here's a
burr,"
And turns away with a careless slur.

Onto the warehouse now they roam,
They'll come to grief when they get home;
But still they go and still they buy,
And will keep it up until they die,
For they like the wool and like the grower.
Of course 'twould be better to buy it lower.
At present prices its risky, mighty;
But we'll be here again in eighteen ninety.
Great Falls, July 12, 1889.

THE CLIP.

Coman & Shear of Colorado City are reported as having sold 600 head of stock sheep to Robert Fawcett, at \$2 around.

The wool scouring mill of St. Louis will commence on a lot of Texas wools for J. Schott & Co., directly after the machinery is set up.

As the Texas sheep raisers and farmers will not feed sheep, the sheep feeders of the older states are invading the ranges to find cheap wethers.

Mr. F. H. Marquis of Glenwood Springs, Washington Territory, wants to communicate with the patentee of the universal sheep shearing apparatus.

The Hollis Dressed Beef and Wool company, of Boston, has been taken in by Messrs. G. F. & E. C. Swift, who will continue it under the name of the New England Dressed Meat and Wool company.

We have a dull and slow outlook for the fall market for wool but thinking of the spring market ought to reconcile us to it. Hundred pound muttons and 20c wool will place any sheep raiser on the high road to prosperity.

The Cheyenne Live Stock Journal says:—Waggoner, Birney & Co. sold 544 head of 101-lb Western sheep on the Omaha market at \$3 65, last week. They were shipped from Rawlins, Wyo., by White, Sons & Co. of Salt Lake City.

A sheep feeder in the East said that he fed sheep thirty years and only twice did he lose money. He used to feed 5 months and put 25 lbs of flesh, as an average, on all the sheep he fed. He fed wheat straw, barley straw and hay liberally and one pound of grain per day.

Thos. Taylor of Waynesville, Ill., a breeder of Merinos, having an excellent lot of good rams, 90 head in all, is advertising them in the JOURNAL. The notice will be found in the For Sale or Exchange columns. His stock will be found as represented.

The Downieville, California Messenger says: It seems probable that the sheep license tax will be collected on from 20,000 to 25,000 sheep this year, and that 10,000 to 15,000 will escape by dodging from this county to Plumas and back, unless the collectors of the two counties go for them simultaneously.

The Stock Grower says: Allen Eaton of Lawrence, Kansas, has purchased 700 choice sheep of Lujan Bros. of Clayton, N. M. He will drive them with about 4000 others to the nearest point on the Rock Island road, from which they will be shipped to Lawrence, Kansas.

A subscriber asks what is rot in sheep? Rot is a disease of the liver brought about by the sheep being ranged on low marshy lands, and sheep that are not salted regularly are most subject to it. There is no cure, but salting freely and keeping the sheep on the uplands are good preventative measures.

Late sheep transactions reported from Colorado City are as follows: Robertson & Simpson bought 500 sheep from Rix & Bro. at \$2 round; Ike Gronsky bought 4500 sheep from a Mr. O'Brien of Sweetwater at \$1.75 round, and 2500 head from other parties at \$1.60 round. They were mostly young stock sheep.

The Omaha Drovers' Journal says:—"A ranchman turned a large flock of sheep on a range near Livingston, Montana, recently, upon which saltpetre had been placed for the benefit of horses and cattle. This proved fatal to the sheep, and 500 of them soon succumbed to the sheep poison, and their hides are all the owner now has to reimburse him for their loss."

Mr. C. G. Burbank of Fort McKavett, writes to the American Wool Reporter saying: "Your zeal in the cause of the manufacturer even leads you so far as to try to find an excuse for the decrease in number of sheep in the United States, since 1884, other than the lack of profit in the business." In reply to the American Wool Reporter says in substance that the decrease of sheep other than the farmers mutton sheep is a good thing.

Robertson & Simpson of Colorado City well known sheep and cattle dealers are reported as paying James Currie \$3 per head for 1800 head of fat sheep. As the purchasers are good judges of sheep and regular shippers the report that the sheep were extra fine, means that the estimated weight of 95 to 100 pounds will show up on the scales at the Chicago market and our readers may look

amongst the Chicago sales to see if it is so.

Boston report American Wool Reporter:—Texas wools admit of but little being said in the way of news, as the movement in them has been so trifling. In the flock district of Texas gaeat interest is now manifested in the outlook for the fall wool season. News from the wool districts is all very favorable, and so far as the staple and the condition of the clip is concerned, there is nothing to fear. About prices there is more doubt, and everything bearing on this subject is of importance.

The Stock Grower says: G. W. Vockstoder of Cowker City, Kansas, has been in the neighborhood of Clayton, N. M., for several days buying sheep. Among the flocks from which he has bought are J. W. Snyder, from which he takes 1300; Otto & Schlater, 500, and H. Leighton, 1700. He is holding several thousand at Raton and Folsom, which he will drive to this place and from here he will drive them to pastures in Kansas. He will pick up several hundred on the route. The prices ranged from \$1.40 to \$2.50 per head.

"My sheep get up in the morning and snort a great deal and throw off an amount of corruption." So says a sheep man in the Indian Territory. It is a familiar story and the probable cause of it is that at night when the sheep are penned and when the dew falls at night or it rains or the atmosphere becomes damp and raw, the sheep are exposed to it and most likely are down on the lowest ground in the vicinity and resting at night amidst the fumes of foul pens. The cure is a well ventilated shelter regularly cleaned and placed upon the uplands above the malarious influences of the bottoms. A ration of hay at night is a good tonic in addition to the shelter and will help to cure the catarrh.

New York report American Wool Reporter:—The stocks of California with the Texas wools, illustrate the firm condition of this market. It would be difficult to define the shading in prices on these wools from the highest point reached during this season—the estimated scoured value is unchanged. The variation and difference noted in the grease price can be accounted for by the difference in condition. The fine, free wools are sold on a basis of 60c, just as they have been for a number of weeks. These wools appear to be the only wools which can be said to be in request, and it is explainable by reason of the short supply here. The receipts of short spring Texas are very light. The year's wools are held at 26 to 27c, at figures which are too high to interest the buyers. There are about 500,000 pounds here.

The Boston Advertiser says:—Manufacturers have been paying more for wool than they could afford at the present prices ruling for goods, and a moderate decline in the raw material would tend to help them out greatly. The strong statistical position of the wool market makes it unlikely that values will go down to any such figures as ruled a year ago, however, and no one seems to expect such an event. Should a number of more large failures take place among the woolen mills, it would of course force wool down, but it is improbable that this should occur, and no one is disposed to figure much on such a possibility. Before these last failures a break of 1 cent per pound would have found buyers for quite large lines of fleeces, and when the present excitement blows over, if no more mills go under, undoubtedly buyers will be inclined to purchase at the figures that they bid a week ago. At present it is no time to sell, as a buyer would undoubtedly hold off for the concessions he could get, and quotations are consequently merely nominal for all grades.

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THERE is a great deal of more money, time and energy spent by the majority of small towns in Southwest Texas in trying to secure the location of the insane asylum than in sinking surface-flowing artesian wells, which proves that on general principles they know best their present needs.

THIS is an off season for cattle men and sheep men are now on top. For the next few weeks the majority of them will be in town to purchase rams, while cowmen are scarce, therefore our "Wool Sack" will be well filled with "choice clips," while the "Horns and Hoofs" corral will be somewhat neglected and allowed to go to weeds.

THE "man with the hoe" has come to Southwest Texas, and as everywhere else he has conquered. In many sections that only a year or two ago was considered even not suitable for stock farming, farms, devoted exclusively

to cultivation of the cereals and fibres, will take entire possession of the land, and thousands of industrious and intelligent people will prosper where only tens have lived for years. The rancher of the southwest is not any more afraid of the granger, but welcomes him with cordial greeting. Truly the world moves rapidly in this section as well as in the northwest.

THE president of the San Antonio & Aransas Pass railroad, Uriah Lott, has countermanded a contract for a large number of common stock cars. Mr. Lott has deciphered the hand writing on the wall in favor of improved methods in the transportation of live stock, and does not propose to throw himself on the track in front of the irresistible march of the car of progress, but will take a first-class passage on the lightning train improvement, and keep up to the modern idea of doing business. The Aransas Pass does the biggest stock business for the number of miles operated of any railroad in Texas, and this action is of important significance as indicating the general adoption of stable cars.

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San Antonio Horse Market.

Although the shipments for the past week have not shown any increase over those of several weeks previous, the aggregate business has been exceptionally good, owing to the re-stocking of several pastures that have been cleaned out. The Traders' National Stock yards, only one of many, alone reports the sale of over 1000 head during the week. Prices are firm at quotations, and for the season of year (mid-summer) the condition of the market could not be reasonably better. The demand is fair for all kinds of stock, but strongest for fat mares and young mules, unbranded, coming next.

The shipments were 851 head as against 807 the week previous.

Quotations are as follows:

Scrub and poor mares, 12 to 13 1/2 hands.	\$10@13
Scrub fair conditioned, 12 to 13 1/2 hands.	14@ 16
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, fat.	17@ 20
Medium mares, 13 to 14 hands, thin.	14@ 17
Yearling fillies, branded.	7@ 9
Yearling fillies, unbranded.	9@ 12
Two-year-old fillies, branded.	9@ 12
Two-year-old fillies, unbranded.	12@ 14
Texas improved mares, 14 to 15 hands.	25@ 35
American carriage horses, 15 1/2 to 16 1/2.	75@200
Saddle horses, good, 13 to 14 1/2 hands.	23@ 35
Saddle horses, poor, 13 to 14 1/2 hands.	17@ 22
Unbroke horses, 13 to 14 1/2 hands.	15@ 23
Weaned, unbranded colts.	4.50@ 6
Mules, Mexican, 12 to 13 1/2 hands.	20@ 35
Mules improved, 13 1/2 to 14 hands.	37@ 50
Yearling mule colts, improved.	22@ 30

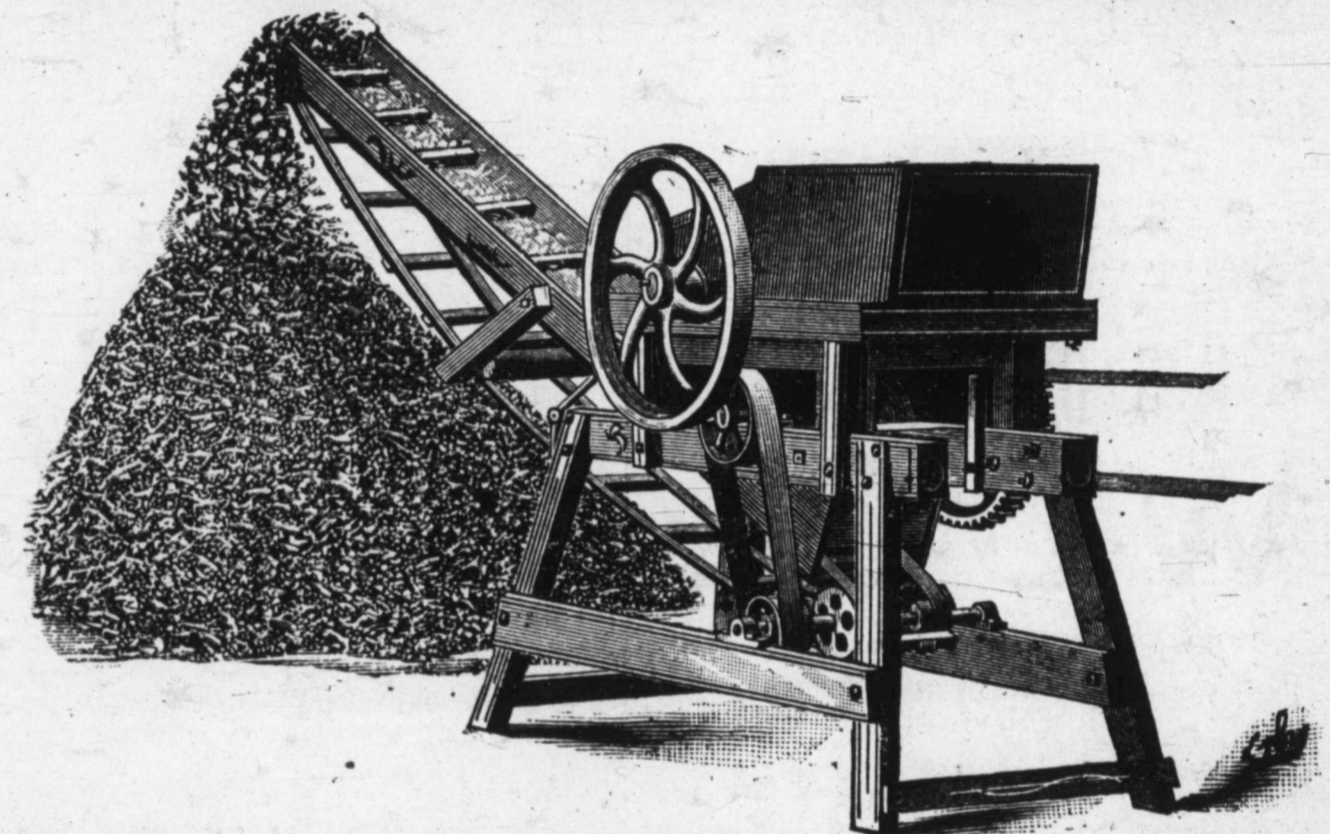
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HORNS AND HOOFS.

M. I. Harrell of Georgia is here after some horse stock.

W. R. Prince left on Tuesday with 100 head of horses for Kansas.

Wm. Fotow of Dimmit county was in town the last of last week.

Frank Rabb of Nueces county was in Santone the first of the week.

J. W. Team is again back from Mississippi for another consignment of horses.

A. L. Stocking is back after a shipment of horse stock, which will be taken to Illinois.

B. P. Jones and B. H. Roberts left Tuesday with a couple car-loads of horse stock for Georgia.

Rapael Vela of Hidalgo county came in with a bunch of horse stock and sold them on the local market.

McAllen & Young will sink an artesian well on the Santa Anita ranch, Hidalgo county in the near future.

John J. Young went to his ranch, the Santa Anita, in Hidalgo county, on last Tuesday, and will be gone some weeks.

B. B. Wright of Beville, one of the most extensive rancheros of that section, was in the city the first of the week.

Col. Bill Hunter, too well known to need a lengthy introduction, is again with us. He is sorter mashed on Santone.

John Campbell of Campbellton, Atascosa county, was a sojourner of the

city for a couple of days the first of the week.

John McAllen of the Santa Anita ranch, Hidalgo county, passed through to the territory where he has stock on pasture.

Chas. E. Hicks on Tuesday sold 9 head of saddle horses for Henry B. Shiner, raised on his McMullen county ranch for \$40 per head.

Col. C. M. Rogers of Austin, the well known stockman, and now a cheese manufacturer, the pioneer in fact, was in town Monday.

Mr. W. L. Gatlin of Abilene has been buying quite a number of one and two-year-old steers in Nueces county, paying \$6 and \$8.50 for them.

The best place in San Antonio to buy carriages, buggies, etc., is at Hick's repository, West Nueva street. Rice's coil spring vehicles a specialty.

"Bud" Hilderbrand is in from about Linares, Tamaulipas, Mexico, with two cars of mules, and one of mares, the latter of which were sold on arrival.

Hines Clark of Alice is up with a couple of car-loads of horse stock from the Santa Anita ranch, Hidalgo county, which are put on the local market.

Lagarto items in Corpus Christi Caller:—Ed McQuitter and Sam Watson sold thirty-seven mules, yearlings, to George Ray, at twenty-three dollars per head on the 12th inst.

Del Rio Record:—We learn that Sheriff Nolan and another gentlemen have sold their stock of cattle consisting of 2000 head to Mr. Ed Ross. The price paid was \$7 per head, range delivery.

Some parties who came all the way from Ohio to buy Shetland ponies in this section went back empty-handed. The ponies did not stack up as well on

the ranch as they did in the advertisement.

L. Saltenstall was in the city the first of the week. Mr. Saltenstall is a firm advocate of spaying and puts it into practice. This is the way, according to his plan, to bring up the price of cattle, by stopping their production.

Colin Campbell of Karnes county passed through home from a visit to his former home at Saxton's River, Vermont. He blooms with good health and renewed vigor, a standing proof of the excellence of Yankee farm cooking.

Gagle Pass Guide:—A train-load of cattle purchased by Mr. J. W. Riddle from the Indian ranch and from Messrs. Vivion & Thornton of the Carrizo country was shipped to the City of Mexico by that enterprising merchant early this week.

James H. David made one of the best runs on record with stock from north to south. He left Milwaukee with a couple cars of sheep and came via Kansas City and M., K. & T. to San Antonio in five hours. With such time there would be less kicking by live stock shippers.

Dr. J. E. Breeding, dentist, has established himself at 231 E. Houston street, opposite the Belknap armory. His appointments are first-class in every respect. He is prepared to do anything in the line of dentistry. Teeth without plates, gold crowns, bridges, etc.

George W. Saunders of G. W. Saunders & Co., live stock commission men of this city returned Saturday from De Witt county where he put up 1200 head of one and two-year-old steers for John R. Blocker at \$6 and \$9 per head, delivered in San Antonio. They will be driven to Tom Green county.

Kerrville Mews:—Mr. Holiday, just in from his ranch on the South Fork of Guadalupe, reports the range in good condition; the late rains started the grass anew; stock are looking well; screw worms have been worse this year than usual owing in part to so much rain in the early spring. He also reports a good crop of calves.

J. M. Dobie of Live Oak county was in the city the first of the week. Last spring the Dobie brothers bought some 1500 head of horses from the Laureles ranch and they have succeeded in disposing of them all at a fair profit, which is no small transaction by pasturemen away from the market. They have also shipped quite a large number of cattle to the New Orleans market. Pasture is reported good with them, and stock doing well.

THE WOOL SACK.

Shearing commenced on some of the ranches in the Southwestern counties this week.

There are over 1200 head of fine rams on this market, affording a selection for the most fastidious.

R. D. Incho arrived Saturday with 200 rams, which he has at the yards of Incho, Smith & Redmon.

Henry Burns received last Saturday two more car loads of fine rams. So far he has had all others in receipts of rams this season.

D. H. Ainsworth is back from a trip up North of several weeks' duration, and looks as if they had fed him for a hotel advertisement.

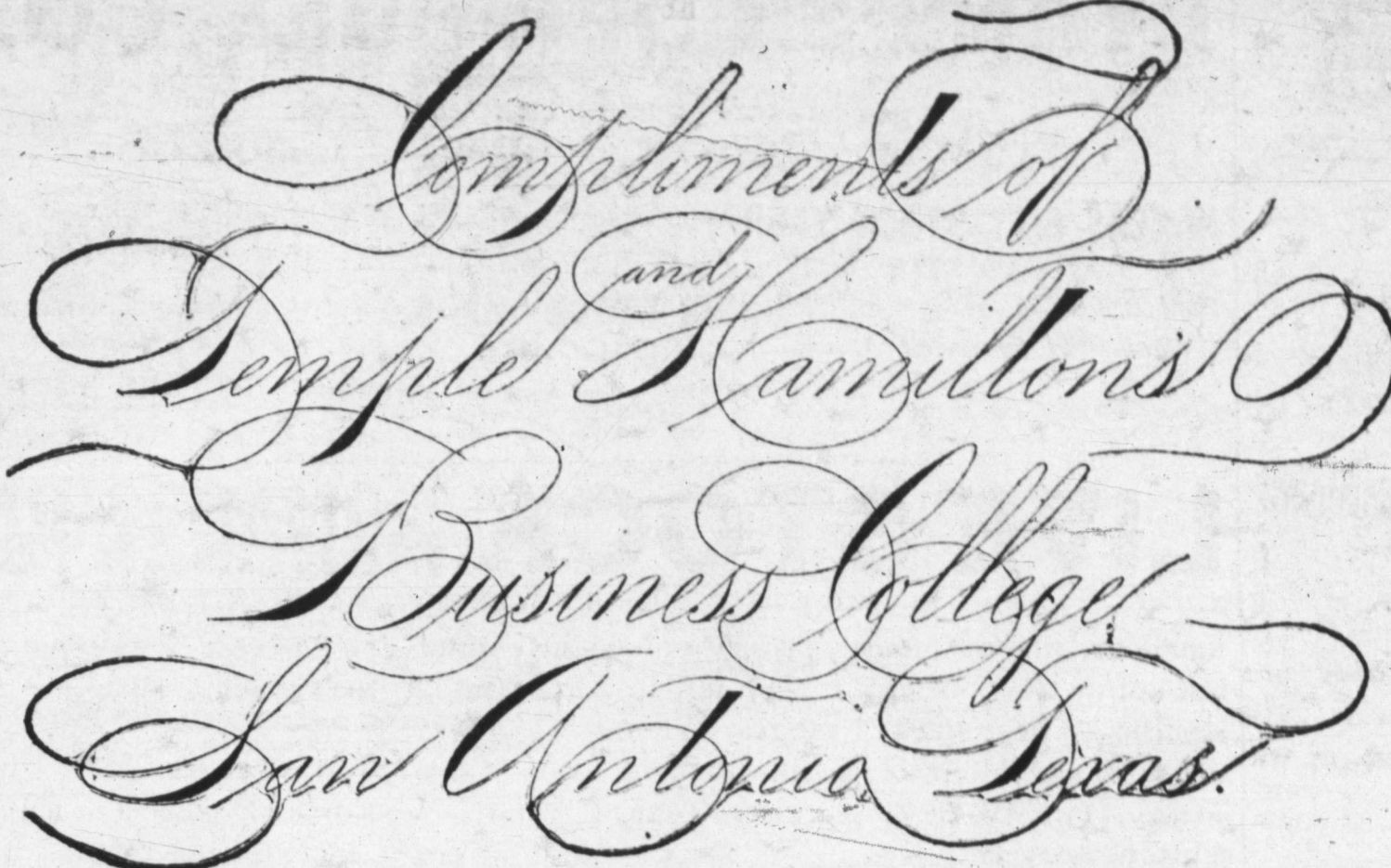
J. H. Peppers and Wm. McKee, on the Llano river, lost between them 1000 head of goats, some of them swimming into the house and drowning.

F. A. Leason of Maverick county was here the first of the week to look over the buck market. He ordered some few from California from Kirkpatrick & Whittaker.

Judge J. A. Bonnet of Eagle Pass was in town on Wednesday, and strange to say he was not after rams, being the first sheep man in town for a week that did not want rams.

The undersigned is now on the market with a choice lot of Vermont and Michigan rams, with constant new arrivals during the season, which he offers to the trade at prices suitable to the times. HENRY BURNS.

J. H. Kirkpatrick, of the firm of Kirkpatrick & Whittaker, thoroughbred Merino sheep raisers, Stockton, California, was in San Antonio the first of the week. This firm has sold a large number of their fine rams into Western Texas, which gave entire satisfaction.



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Kerrville News:—G. Ames, one of Kimble county's prominent sheepmen and worth citizens, who has recently returned from a business visit to New York, informs the News that as regards the wool markets in the North, nothing of a satisfactory character can as yet be ascertained, but the impression prevails among merchants and others that fall clip will command good prices.

Del Rio Record:—This week in conversation with three prominent wool men of this county—Messrs. John Almond, Zeno Fielder and Fred Ilgner—mention was made of a warehouse for storing wool in Del Rio. The moment it was mentioned all three of them expressed a desire for such an institution. It was just what they had been wanting for years. They were all willing to aid liberally toward erecting a suitable building for such purpose. Mr. Fielder said he had tried to talk it up some years ago, but could get no one to take hold of it. Mr. Almond said it would not only be a good thing for the town, but it would add one cent per pound to the value of the wool raised in this section and sold here. The railroad company had offered to donate a lot upon which to erect a warehouse and otherwise aid the enterprise. Mr. Ilgner thought a bank would be needed if the enterprise was carried out, but when he was assured that a bank would be in operation here as soon as a building could be constructed, he had no further objection. If the people of Del Rio would only take some concerted action in this matter this enterprise would be assured.

Three Lucky People in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia (Pa.) Item, July 6. Ten thousand dollars in new, crisp bank notes from the Louisiana State Lottery were paid to three lucky people. One of the lucky ones, Mme. J. P. Decomier of No. 52 N. Thirteenth st. held one-fortieth of a ticket and got \$5,000 in bank notes, and the other, No. 62,311, was held jointly by John Kleber, a blacksmith whose shop is at 1842 N. Tenth st., and Ludwig Wagner, who works for Otto Repp, a pretzel baker at No. 1719 Mervine st. All parties are elated over their success. They each sent \$1 to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La.

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Messrs. Turner, McClure & Co. of Fort Worth have on hand a car-load of the celebrated rock salt, which is the best salt that can be used for cattle, horses, and all kinds of stock. Cattle like the rock salt and prefer it to all other. They cannot eat enough to hurt them, as it is as hard as a rock and must be licked. Messrs. Turner, McClure & Co. will fill orders by mail promptly, either in large or small quantity. Send a trial order. TURNER, McCLURE & Co

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Felt Uneasy.

The Denver Field and Farm says: "We felt a little uneasy when the rumor reached us that Texas fever had made its appearance among the cattle herds of Southeastern Colorado, but that uneasiness was quieted when our friend Bill Leonard of Silver Cliff, assured us that General McNeely of the bureau of animal industry—that gushing politician—would make a speech on the subject of distempers in cattle generally and explain the mystery of the frequency of abortion in cows. All honor to the bureau of animal industry."

Cutting Down the Herds.

The Chicago Drivers' Journal under the above head publishes a very truthful summary (which we reproduce) showing how the ranchmen have acted to cut down the herds. Take the process as it is shown by the market receipts and you may imagine that this is all done to relieve the ranges of a surplus. And you may also imagine that the Western and Southwestern ranchmen have so many cattle left that such runs can be kept up indefinitely. This, however, is not the case. The Texas ranchmen have in gross total large numbers of stock cattle, and some few have beeves, but the majority are no more flush with cattle than they are with money. The heavy ship-

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ments are due to money pressure and not at this time, except in very few instances, to overstocked ranges. When the shortage in cattle begins to show Texas steers will be as scarce as Texas muttons are now.

The Imports of Carpet Wools.

The Boston Journal of Commerce is complaining that fine wools imported as carpet wools cannot come in under the low carpet duty. This is one of the points of the wool tariff subject that has been in controversy for a long time. The wool-growers contend that carpet wools, so-called, are imported under the low duty and then used as clothing wools for the manufacture of cloth. We are charged with a protection of ten cents per pound, whereas, on account of evasion and manipulations the actual tariff protection is much less. The wool growing interest does not care so much about the duty on carpet wools but objects to the evasion of any duty. The intent of the law was to admit carpet wools under a low duty, but this low duty has been the means of almost doing away with the legal duty of 10 cents per pound on clothing wools.

The Old Chicago Yards.

The stockmen of Texas who are skeptical as to the final outcome of the establishment of the Union Stock yards at Fort Worth can read with profit to themselves the descriptive article from the Chicago Drivers' Journal concerning the Myrick Stock yards at Chicago, the yards furnishing that city with live stock in the early part of the sixties. The article is interesting any way it is taken and demonstrates the old statement that "truth is stranger than fiction." The John B. Sherman mentioned is now manager of the great Chicago Union Stock yards and although the most liberal of men, his many benevolences have failed to reduce his position below the rank of a several times millionaire. Another man, often called the smartest Jew in America, then the helper on the feed wagon, to-day owns the largest number of live steers of any man in America, and in his business in 1889 turned over products amounting to fifty millions of dollars. He is one of the quartette the stockmen love to abuse, but his present position is due to his own efforts and to the exercise of the business qualities he inherited. At the old Myrick yards he did not seem to have even the monopoly of the feed wagon.

The article also mentions veterans in

the commission business whose names are familiar to Texans.

The New Rates.

The new North Texas live stock freight tariff was effective August 29, and makes a rate of \$77.50 per common car

OF ANY LENGTH

to St. Louis, and \$100 to Chicago, with 10 per cent. added for stable cars.

This reduction is in effect at Saginaw, Calef, Rhome, Herman, Decatur, Cowen, Alvord, Sunset, Bowie, Bellvue, Alma, Henrietta, Carlyle, Wichita Falls, Iowa Park and Ruthford on the Fort Worth & Denver, on shipments via Fort Worth, Hodge, Saginaw or Henrietta. It is also in effect from Henrietta to Whitesboro on the M., K. & T. railroad.

It will be observed that this special tariff is a return to the old style of car-load rates, irrespective of weights, and that it assists shippers to the use of stable cars, inasmuch as the longest common cars are 34 feet, and the Street cars are 35 feet 8 inches. This in effect reduces the 10 per cent. extra charge on stable cars from the points named, and others on the routes to St. Louis, to about \$4 per car, and through to Chicago \$2.99 per car. This is taking into consideration that the stable cars are longer than the common cars.

These changes have come to pass to stop the drive into the Nation, and although the new arrangements do not recognize the reductions of the minimums elsewhere, in the territory mentioned the minimum regulation is done away with altogether.

Other changes may be expected, as the performance is not over.

Wool Tariff Legislation.

In the near future, at the assembling of congress, President Delano of the American Wool-Growers' association, proposes to call a meeting of that body to take timely action in regard to probable tariff legislation. This meeting promises to be one of the most important ever held for the wool industries of America. In the light of past experience the wool-growers have learned that a law may pretend to do one thing and really accomplish almost a contrary object. The most intelligent and best informed men know that while the present tariff law pretends to give the grower a protection of 10 cents a pound on clothing wools in the grease, that practically it has really only offered a protection of

three cents per pound. This thing was brought about by insidious technical construction of the law and used for the benefit of those who profit by free wool. The conservative and intelligent wool-growers are aware that it is useless to ask an increase of duty, but are resolved to get the protection that the present law pretends to give American produced wool. The wool-growers' meeting mentioned will have the task to make politicians honest, and it is no small job for any set of men. It is proposed to have a law so plain and explicit that no secretary of the treasury, let his politics or inclinations be what they may, can cheat the intended beneficiaries of their dues. The English language is fully capable of conveying a plain business idea, unmistakable in its terms, and no political party can afford to resort to trickery in such a matter if it is thoroughly exposed. The majority of the people, by their votes last fall, supposed that they were giving the wool-growers of America a protection of ten cents per pound on their wool, and they have not yet changed their minds in that particular, and any amendments to the present law making operative that intention will meet the approval of the majority.

Texas will be entitled to several representatives in that assembly, and as the most extensive wool-growing states in the union, their influence will be very important. The STOCK JOURNAL believes that conservatism in this matter can accomplish more for the cause of protection, than extreme and almost impossible demands. Let the effort be to secure the ten cents per pound protection, free from all possible neutralizing technicalities and enough will have been accomplished for the present. In this it should be "what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander." If wool is to come in free or practically so, under strained technical constructions of the law, the wool-growers should see to it that woolen goods come in under like conditions. It is the woolen manufacturer in this fight that is the enemy of the wool-grower, and this he does not openly, but by double meaning clauses of the law that he always gets construed in his favor.

The Berkshire Record.

Volume 10 of the above named record has reached the JOURNAL. It is evidence of prosperity of the swine raising industry, and the preface commences with the following statement:

"Never since the beginning of the American Berkshire Record has there been so great demand for pure-bred Berkshires as within the past year."

The publication of the present volume with 3000 pedigrees, and a list of 2257 transfers, within ten months after the appearance of Volume IX, containing a like number of pedigrees, attests the growing interest in Berkshire swine.

There is encouragement in this for the veteran breeder as well as for the one more recently started out. None, however, should be content with merely having animals shown by the records to be pure-bred. The improvement of these should be the aim. Public registry is but a means toward improvement, and only when rightly understood and

applied will the best results be realized. The Records are for use as guides in the selection of breeding stock, and by such they are being more than ever consulted and studied by leading and successful breeders.

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Mr. Phil. M. Springer, secretary, Court House Square, Springfield, Ill., will answer all inquiries. Quite a number of Texas breeders are mentioned in the Record.

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THE MYRICK YARDS.

How the Live Stock Trade Was Handled When Chicago Was Young and the Country Was New.

Chicago Drivers Journal.

The old Myrick yards are now a matter of ancient history, and except in the minds of a few, recollection of them will soon have passed into oblivion. Suspended from the wall in the office of Mr. William Sherman, storekeeper of the Union Stock Yards, is an excellent picture of the old yards as they stood in their palmy days, and from this the accompanying picture is made.

The old yards were located on Cottage Grove avenue just south of Twenty-ninth street. The aristocratic resident of that locality would probably glance but little credence in this story unless accompanied by the necessary papers for proof, but it is nevertheless a fact. Every vestige of the old yards has long since been obliterated, and Mr. Wm. Sherman says the only landmark he can now recognize is a hydrant on Cottage Grove avenue between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, on which his coach dog used to sit.

Compared to the gigantic yards of the present day, the old Myrick yard was a pigmy affair. There was but one sorting pen and two other pens, and one set of scales capable of weighing five head of cattle or twenty-five hogs. Mr. William Sherman, who says he would not take \$500 for the picture of the old yards if it could not be replaced, acted as yardmaster, feedmaster and weighmaster of the old yards, and Nelse Morris, now the millionaire cattleman, was helper on the feed wagon. This was before Nelse had gone into business for himself and laid the foundation of his present fortune. At this time he had but recently come west from New York. The late Tom Cromwell, division superintendent of the Rock Island division of the Union Stock Yards, was one of those connected with the Myrick yards, having been appointed weighmaster in 1862, when Mr. Sherman shouldered his gun and went away to the war.

In those days the receipt of 60 or 65 cars of cattle in one day would have been heralded far and wide. The Illinois Central and Michigan Central were the principal roads from which the Myrick yards received stock.

Most of the cattle were used in the local market, but some were shipped East. Later on an engine was run over to the south branch over the Sixteenth street tracks to catch Burlington stock and after Mr. Sherman returned from the war he was occupied in looking after this end of the business. The trade was then divided between the Lake Shore and Fort Wayne yards which also passed out of existence when the yards of the present day were built.

Mr. John B. Sherman was in these days running the Bulls Head yards on West Madison streets where the Washingtonian Home now stands, but in

Union Stock Yards, FORT WORTH. THE LIVE STOCK MARKET OF TEXAS!

The management of the Union Stock Yards Company of Fort Worth with pleasure announce to the stockmen of Texas that these yards are open for feeding purposes, and that all stock delivered at the yards will receive every care in unloading and reloading, be held in spacious, well drained pens, amply supplied with artesian water and the best of feed. Ample hotel facilities at the yards for stockmen.

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The Union Stock Yards Company of Fort Worth confidently rely upon the earnest co-operation of the stock raisers of Texas in the effort to build and operate a large home market in their interest. To do so, stockmen should insist that all stock passing through Fort Worth be unloaded and fed at these yards.

On September 1st the further announcement will be made that the yards are open for the sale of horses and mules, and for the sale of cattle, hogs and sheep. By that date the connections and approaches will be completed, the Stock Yards National Bank open, all offices occupied, and a good number of the leading commission houses represented at the yards.

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G. B. PAXTON, Secretary.

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1856 he came to the Myrick yards. Previous to that John B. and his brother Walter were at the Bulls Head yards and William Sherman at the Myrick yards. For awhile Mr. John B. Sherman alternated his time between the Bulls Head and Myrick yards and Mr. William Sherman tells some good stories relating to that period. Frequently there was little stock on hand, and the boys were in the habit of passing away the time in a game of cards. John B. detested card-playing and a senary was placed to give notice of his approach. At that time there was open prairie south of Twenty-second street, and it was easy to notice him afar off, although he never came from the same direction twice. When he came in sight the card table was secreted and the players were engaged in a comfortable snooze when he arrived. The snooze was not of long duration though, for no sooner had he gone than the card table was brought forth and the game resumed.

The facilities for handling stock were not then as they are now. At the Bull's Head yards the stock had to be jumped out of the cars, and Mr. William Sherman tells how they used to jump stock out of the cars at Thirty-first street and chase the steers across the prairie to the yards. The water supply was furnished by the windmill shown in the picture, and a big run of cattle or a cam spell speedily exhausted the supply and the stock had to be driven out on the prairie to find moisture. The pens in the old yards had mud floors, and Mr. William Sherman laughs heartily when he tells of the time he in his joint capacity as yardmaster, feedmaster, and general manager, used to turn out on Monday, a dull day always for stock, and repair the fences. A hog placed in one pen at night frequently burrowed his way out, and a search warrant was necessary to find him in the morning.

In 1856 the Bulls Head yards were abandoned and Messrs. John B. and Walter Sherman came over to the Myrick yards, Willard F. Myrick, who originally built them, being bought out. The Bulls Head yards had but one railroad, the Galena road, and the facilities for unloading stock were poor.

After John B. and Walter came to the Myrick yards things began to boom. The principal building at that time was an old structure containing a bar room and a place used as a general resort. In the loft were a number of cots, in which countrymen were allowed to sleep. This building was the resort of all old-timers and many an exciting game of cards was played there. William Sherman, W. F. Myrick and Sol Hopkins often sat around an old wooden table, and thus passed an hour away. A peculiar fact is that the old building is still in existence and used as a barn in the locality.

After John B. and Walter Sherman came to the Myrick yards the Myrick house, shown in the picture, was built. The rear part was first constructed, and then the main building. Mr. Walter Sherman built the hotel himself, and it was conducted by Mr. John B. Sherman until he decided to go East and live on his farm at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., when Mr. Walter Sherman took charge of the house, and ran it until the yards were abandoned, several of his children having been born in the hotel.

Steve Roath was acting in the joint capacity of stock agent for the Michigan Central and night clerk at the Myrick house in these days and Mr. William Sherman tells how Steve used to overcrowd room 19. He was a typical hotel clerk and always had room in the house. Should every bed be full and a stranger apply for lodging Steve would register him, exact pay in advance, and then send him up to room No. 19. Pretty soon the stranger would return.

"See here, every bed in that room is full," he would yell excitedly.

"Yes, yes," Steve would reply, in his soothing manner. "I know that; but the man in the bed near the wall is an old neighbor of yours from Sangamon county. You just step in there and make it all right in the morning by buying him a drink."

But the old Myrick yards are now a thing of the past, and those connected with them will soon be in a similar condition. Mr. John B. Sherman, general manager of the Union Stock Yards; Mr. William Sherman, storekeeper for the Union Stock Yards; Mr. Walter Sherman, a prominent mer-

chant of Chicago; Mr. L. R. Hastings, Mr. H. H. Conover, Mr. W. T. Keenan, Mr. Conger, A. Gregory, Mr. H. C. Cooley, Mr. John Adams, Mr. George Adams, Mr. William Moore and Mr. Nelse Morris are among those who were familiar faces at the old Myrick yards. The late Thomas Cornwell was in his prime then, and Val Becker, now superintendent of the Northwestern division of the Union Stock Yards, was a cattle herder and watchman at the hotel. Orrin Dean was yardmaster, and Frank Hall, now with Jake Strader, was feedmaster. Billy Fallon, late superintendent of the Northwestern division of the yards, was running a feed wagon, and Sol Hopkins was a speculator. Steve Roath and Charles Swan were among the others who were connected with the old yards. The entire force at the yards then was a mere handful of men.

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FORT WORTH.**General Range and Stock Notes.**

Jno. S. Powell & Co. have made several shipments of horse stock to Kansas.

The Dold Packing house at Wichita, Kansas, is shipping considerable meat into Eastern Texas.

A nice, well watered and good grass pasture is advertised for rent in the For Sale columns of the JOURNAL.

D. W. Morris, who is agent for Streets Stable cars, returned from the Indian Territory and put in a day at Fort Worth headquarters.

Mr. J. T. Talbert of San Angelo has arrived to take the position tendered him as cashier of the Fort Worth Stock Yards National Bank.

A private letter from Lubbock county said that stock were not fattening rapidly and that very few good heaves would be shipped from that district.

The butcher market at Fort Worth has not changed to any appreciable extent and quotations are the same as before leading off with cows at 1 1/4c.

The opening of the Union Stock yards at Fort Worth for regular business, other than feeding transient stock is postponed until after the re-union.

It is said that some yearling sales of respectable dimensions for Panhandle delivery have been made but prices, terms and other particulars are not available.

The Canadian Free Press says:— Freight rates on stock from Canadian to Chicago have been reduced to 4c. per 100 pounds. This is cutting the old rate nearly in two.

A. Silverstein and Alex. Cockrell of Dallas are driving heaves to Purcell to catch the low rate and started their herd from Henrietta before the recent reduction was announced.

Hatcher & Woods of Fort Worth sold 33 head of this year's colts to Mr. Shannon at \$4 per head also a string of yearlings at \$16 around. They have on hand several hundred choice mares.

J. A. Clark & Co., San Gabriel, Texas; J. W. Johnson, Sealy, Tex.; J. F. Randolph, Madisonville, Tex., and B. Campbell, Huntsville, Texas, are reported as recent purchasers of purebred Jersey cattle.

Messrs. Beggs & Hackett sold to T. J. Jamison of Azle for Jim Farmer of this county, 200 head of 1000-pound steers at 2c per pound. These steers are fit for Chicago now, but will be carried over until spring.

Andrews & Graham of Fort Worth sold for D. W. Christian of Comanche 100 fat cows at \$1.50, also for John Harden, city, 1 fine young Durham bull for \$60. T. C. Andrews has gone south on some cattle deals.

The TEXAS LIVE STOCK JOURNAL is a business paper for business men, and costs so little money that the subscribers don't feel the expense. It is the only weekly stock journal publishing telegraphic market reports.

Mr. C. F. Estill of Fort Worth, who is a breeder of Polled-Angus cattle desires to call attention to the fact that on Thursday of last week at Chicago a single load of fancy 1416-pound Angus cattle topped the market at 5c.

Col. H. H. Campbell of the Matador company who was in town said that the ranch had missed July and August rains this year and that there was less surface water than usual in his district although grass is very good.

It is reported from the West that Gus O. Keefe has purchased 860 long yearlings from Carroll & Stephens of Shackelford county, paying \$7.50 per head on delivery at Colorado City. The cattle go to the North Concho for pasturage.

The electric street car line is now completed to the Union Stock yards and it is expected that during the re-union all the cars will run to the yards. They claim a speed of 15 miles an hour, which, after a liberal deduction for stoppages, will make the round trip from the hotels in thirty minutes.

A. T. Wooten of Beulah, Tarrant county, recently purchased about 400 yearling steers, now long yearlings and cutting back 10 per cent, for \$7 per head. He purchased from the Erath Cattle

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company of Stephens. This company is owned by the Putnams, and the cattle are equal to any in the country.

The Add-Ran Christian University of Thorp's Spring last year had 393 scholars from seventy counties in Texas and from six states and territories. The summer school had fifty additional scholars. This is an excellent showing for a school that was established many years ago on the Texas frontier.

It happens at times that men wanting something in the way of business don't exactly know when to find it. If you desire anything in the way of creamery and dairy apparatus please remember that the Creamery Package Manufacturing company of Kansas City have a card in the JOURNAL, and that it is the nearest house to Texas carrying a full line of such goods.

Captain J. F. Day of this county has just sold to Mr. White of Pulaski, Tenn., 28 head of 2 and 3-year-old unbroke fillies of his own raising at \$60 per head. Captain Day has been improving his stock for many years and is now receiving his reward by selling his horses for about twice the prices realized for ordinary good horses in North Texas. Captain Day was the first Texas horse raiser of any note to forget to brand his stock.

The Fort Worth Union Stock Yards company are making arrangements with local commission houses to concentrate at the yards all the blooded stock received for the winter trade. Terms will be made to enable the stock to be held indefinitely at the least cost. The yard company have also under active consideration a belt line project to facilitate the receiving and shipping of stock over the eleven lines entering and leaving Fort Worth. A petition is being signed up to establish a postoffice at the yards.

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Galveston Wool Market.

GALVESTON, TEX., Aug. 28, 1889.

Texas Live Stock Journal, Fort Worth.

The receipts of wool at this point for the week ending to-day at 4 o'clock p. m. amount to 8375 lbs, and sales for the same time 21,265 lbs.

The season's receipts foot up to 14,483,390 lbs, and the total shipments show a footing of 13,737,095 lbs, therefore leaving a stock on hand at the close of the season of 1888 and 1889 of 1,056,232 lbs.

The market is still very dull and quiet with but little demand for anything in the wool line, except for light grade wools, and as the bulk of this class of the staple has been disposed of, as the above report will show, but few sales have been made the past week.

No changes have taken place in prices since my letter of last week, hence I will have to duplicate quotations which are as follows:

Twelve months fine, 19@21c; do medium, 21@24c; six and eight months fine, 17@20c; do medium, 19@21 1/2c; Mexican improved, 15@18c; do carpet, 12 1/2@13 1/2c.

Your correspondent has talked with quite a number of the leading factors and local buyers within the past week, and without an exception they all report having done a very satisfactory business the past season, and the factors also state that they anticipate an increase of business for the coming season, for the reason that with but very few exceptions their patrons express entire satisfaction with sales made for them.

Taken all in all it can be truthfully said that the wool business of Galveston for the season of 1888 and 1889 which ends on the 30th of this month, has not only been entirely satisfactory to all parties interested, but in volume has far exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine.

All of the machinery for the scouring mill has been placed in position, and it will be in active operation by the first of the coming week.

Col. John Owens representing Adoue & Lobit has been in the East for the past two weeks, but is looked for in the Island city by or before the 10th of September, when he will resume business at the old stand.

Mr. A. M. Wood of the firm of Wood, Holloway & Co, this city, and also treasurer of the L. M. Rumsey Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, Mo., will arrive by the first of September, to look after his interest in the wool line in Galveston, and his partner, Mr. Holloway, informed your correspondent today that his house will push their busi-

ness in both the cotton and wool line for the season of 1889 and 1890.

Messrs. P. J. Willis & Bro. are arranging the fall wool business with activity characteristic of the firm, and prepared to do the needful in making all advances at reasonable rates of interest. They have demonstrated to the wool growers and wool dealers of Texas that the natural advantages of Galveston as a point for centralizing wool can be increased by the thorough business measures resulting in their success in other lines.

J. D. Skinner & Son are another of the wool firms to be mentioned as a solid representative Galveston house, capable of securing Texas wool growers the best prices at the lowest cost for incidental expenses, freights and commissions. In conclusion I may observe for the benefit of the wool growing industry that the Galveston firms soliciting consignments through the columns of the JOURNAL are first-class in every respect and their success in the business is a fair reward for the good they have done for the wool growing industry by reducing commissions, rates of interest, railroad freights etc., in the wool growers favor. W. N. BAXTER.

FROM DENVER.

DENVER, COLO., Aug. 20, 1889.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

Arrived in this, "the Chicago of the West," at six o'clock this morning. As I have been in the city only about three hours, I can't of course tell you much about it. Denver, however, seems to be doing splendidly considering that it is warm and dull everywhere.

The only cattlemen I have met this morning, are Maj. Seth Mabry of Kansas City, who has many warm friends in Texas. The major tells me he has virtually retired from active business. Instead of continuing to strive to make money his efforts are now directed solely to taking care of that which he has already accumulated, and as he expresses it, "to having a good time." The major has the happy faculty of taking things easy, and enjoying himself, and while it is to be hoped that he may live many years, yet should he die soon he will doubtless have gotten as much out of this life as is usually allotted to one man.

I have also met Mr. Wilson of the well known cattle firm of Stone & Wilson, who own large herds in the Indian Territory. Notwithstanding the general depression Mr. Wilson is very cheerful and seems to look at the future of the cattle business in a very hopeful way. He shows his faith in the business not only by holding on to his cattle but by continually making additions in the way of purchases.

John T. Shy, one of the leading and most prosperous cattlemen of Southern New Mexico, is here investigating the feasibility of shipping fat steers this fall to this market.

Nearly the entire country south of this is suffering for rain. From La Junta to Trinidad it is very dry, and grass is short. From Raton to Las Vegas it has rained considerable, but seems to have fallen in spots, and so rapidly or in such solid sheets, as to cause it to run off the prairies into the streams without having soaked or put a season in the earth. Consequently the grass in Southern Colorado and Northern New Mexico or at least the part of it I came over is very short and unless good seasons can be had very soon the winter feed will be quite short.

Will visit the stock yards and other places of interest while here and write you again in a few days. Yours truly,

GEO. B. LOVING,
El Paso, Texas

DALLAS.

DALLAS DOTS.

G. W. Hale of Cleburne arrived on local market with a car-load of mixed cattle and found ready sale.

H. C. Clark of Oak Cliff was on the market with two bunches of cattle and a choice lot of veal calves and disposed of them readily.

H. McLain of Ellis county is in the city with a lot of mixed butcher cattle.

D. B. Sachse of Dallas county arrived on market with 25 head of mixed cattle and found ready sale.

Jas. Hendricks of Dallas county is on market with 7 head of beef cattle.

John Newton of Kaufman county was on the market with 20 head of steers and sold them H. C. Clark.

Sam Row of Dallos county was on the market with a bunch of mixed cattle.

The JOURNAL calls the attention of its readers to the advertisement of the great Texas State Fair and Dallas Exposition in this issue. Said fair and exposition will open October 15th and close October 27th. Everything indicates that the coming fair will be a decided improvement over the three already held, and the people of the state and from other states recollect what these were.

Everything in the way of live stock, wool and hides are driving along about the same as for the past few weeks in point of price and no change is anticipated among those who are the best posted in such matters. Indeed the hide dealers say that nothing will increase the price of hides till less are produced or free importation is stopped in the United States; the cattlemen say the same of cattle, especially that the demand must get nearer supply. Mr. Somebody raises up and asks: "Why don't the butchers sell cheaper since they buy most of it on foot at 1 1/2 to 2 cents a pound?" The JOURNAL cannot answer the question otherwise than to say it is not our business to reform the butchers.

J. W. Fields, with an experience of twenty years, has again connected himself with the Union Stock yards of this city, for the purpose of selling stock of every description.

Sales of Cattle at Carter & Son's Stock Yards, Dallas, Texas.

H. C. Clark of Dallas sold 35 head of mixed cattle at \$9 each.

D. B. Sachse of Dallas county sold 27 mixed fat cows at 1 1/2c.

J. E. Collins of Kaufman county sold 18 cows at \$12 each.

J. F. Self of Kaufman county sold 8 cows at \$11 each.

Taylor Bros. of Dallas arrived with 1 car of mixed cattle from their ranch and found ready sale.

Sam Rowe of Dallas county sold a bunch of cows to local butchers at 1 1/2c.

H. McLaine of Ellis county sold 17 cows at \$1.20 per 100 lbs.

J. W. Haley of Cleburne, sold 1 car of mixed cattle at \$1.25@1.65 per 100 lbs, also some veal calves at 3 1/2c.

S. J. King of Ellis county sold 79 choice fat sheep at 3 1/2c, av. 98 lbs.

L. M. Ramsey of Dallas county sold 4 milch cows at \$23 each.

C. T. Jackson of Collin county sold 29 steers, at \$1.85 per 100.

Bill Newton of Kaufman county sold 20 head of steers to H. C. Clark at \$12.50 each.

M. J. Bird of Tarrant county sold 38 sheep, 89 lbs at 3 1/2c.

L. P. McMullen of Denton county sold 18 stock hogs, 98 lbs, at 4 1/2c.

Pat Roberts of Rockwall county sold 12 veal calves at 3 1/2c to local butchers.

F. G. Harris sold 3 bulls at 1 1/2c.

C. W. Benedict of Tarrant county sold 36 goats at \$1 25 each.

E. M. Redding of Kaufman county sold 9 steers, 830 lbs, at 1 1/2c.

Dr. Deavenport sold 33 cows, 808 lbs, \$1.40 per 100.

B. R. Crunty sold 7 veal calves at 3c.

J. Long sold 12 stock hogs at 5c per pound.

M. W. Willis sold 17 cows at \$9.75 each.

Don't forget J. W. Fields when shipping your live stock to Dallas.

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To the Editor:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for consumption. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their Express and P. O. Address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181, Pearl street, N. Y.

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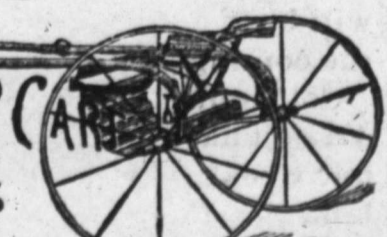
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CHICAGO MARKET LETTER.

U. S. YARDS,
CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 26, '89.

W. W. Shearer & Co. sold for H. Benson, 47 calves, 239 lbs, \$2.50; 11 steers, 1074 lbs, \$2.35; 18 cows, 682 lbs, \$1.80; 22 cows, 697 lbs, \$1.80; 18 bulls, 1265 lbs, \$1.75; for Fitzgerald, 10 cows, 793 lbs, \$1.80; 20 cows, 657 lbs, \$1.80.

Scaling & Tamblin sold 23 steers, 1007 lbs, \$2.60.

Paxson, Shattuck & Co. sold for J B Wilson, 80 steers, 1064 lbs, \$2.70; 88, 1058 lbs, \$2.75.

Gregory, Cooley & Co. sold for L Lennon, 16 steers, 1001 lbs, \$2.50; 2 bulls, 1510 lbs, \$1.60.

Wood Bros, sold for W C Wright, 179 steers, 1060 lbs, \$2.70; C Sanford, 21, 921 lbs, \$2.35; G W Miller, 44 steers, 1191 lbs, \$2.65; Barse Live Stock Co., 142 Kansas-Texans, 1182 lbs, \$2.85.

The James H. Campbell Co. sold 61 heifers, 410 lbs, \$1.85; 32 d, 596 lbs, \$1.75 for Hallam, 50 steers, 934 lbs, \$2.40; Wilson 50 cows and mixed, 819 lbs, \$1.85.

Godair, Harding & Co. sold for P. C. Lee of San Antonio, 163 cows, 830 lbs, \$1.80; J M Jones, 187, 875 lbs, \$1.85.

Greer, Mills & Co. sold for Wade Bros., 23 steers, 1010 lbs, \$2.50; for the Saginaw Cattle Co., 190 steers, 1060 lbs, \$2.60, 217 steers, 1058 lbs, \$2.60.

R. Strahorn & Co. sold 23 cows, 805 lbs, \$1.90; 20 steers, 929 lbs, \$2.55; for E H East, 230 steers, 1171 lbs, \$2.65; W C Quinlan, 208 steers, 1068 lbs, \$2.65; H B Sanborn, 22 cows, 820 lbs, \$1.90; 45 steers, 839 lbs, \$2.60; 278 steers, 834 lbs, \$2.60.

Keenan & Sons sold for McCoy & U., 124 steers, 993 lbs, \$2.50; 81, 948 lbs, \$2.50; A Drumm, 45 steers, 1165 lbs, \$2.70.

The Chicago Live Stock Commission Co. sold 58 steers, 973 lbs, \$2.55; 57 cows, 823 lbs, \$1.85; 12 cows, 898 lbs, \$1.90; 10 steers, 894 lbs, \$2.35; for J Miller, 57 cows 845 lbs, \$1.85.

The Evans-Snyder-Buel Co. sold for Andy Drumm, 96 steers, 1117 lbs, \$2.60; and, 57 head, 1142 lbs, \$2.60.

A lot of 200 Texas calves sold at \$3.45 averaging 127 lbs, and 127 head averaging 154 lbs sold at \$3.50.

The general fat cattle market opened stronger this week, the best grades selling a shade higher. The Texas cattle market was about the same as on Friday of last week.

Texas sheep steady. Poor to fair \$3@3.50; good to choice, \$3.90@4.10.

A. C. HALLIWELL.

Prizes for Texas Cattle.

From the premium list of the Twelfth American Fat Stock show to be held in the Exposition building, Chicago, November 12-21, 1889, under the auspices of the Illinois state board of agriculture, we clip the following:

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The above prizes attest the liberality

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Cutting Down the Herds.

Chicago Drovers' Journal.

Some of the oldest and best known ranchmen in Texas, Montana and the intermediate range country are cutting down their herds by marketing the heifers, yearling steers and calves. A few years ago such a thing as marketing range calves had never been heard of or thought of, but it is now come to be quite a feature of the calf receipts.

In the days when the range business was booming calves and yearlings were worth more at home than any butcher could pay. Since then, however, it has been different. When it was plainly evident that the ranges in all directions were overstocked, the question of how to reduce the herds became an important one. The first move was to market all of the aged beef cattle closer than ever before. Then ranchmen stopped buying bulls which they had been loading up with heavily; then they began to market the 2-year-olds and spay the heifers. All of this seemed to make but little impression. Then ranchmen commenced to send in their yearlings, and to still further cut down production by marketing heifers and breeding cows and some bulls not too old for service. Latterly they have "put the screws on tighter" and have been marketing calves in large numbers, although less than a decade ago only a few calves came to market for veal purposes. Along in 1880 to 1883 the Eastern dairy calf business flourished and Chicago received large numbers that were sold to farmers and feeders in the West. That trade fell off entirely, but there has been a steady increase in calf receipts for several years. In 1882 receipts were

only 24,965 head, including Eastern dairy calves; in '84 52,343 arrived; in '87 65,859 arrived, and in 1888 there were 96,086 calves received at Chicago, all from the West.

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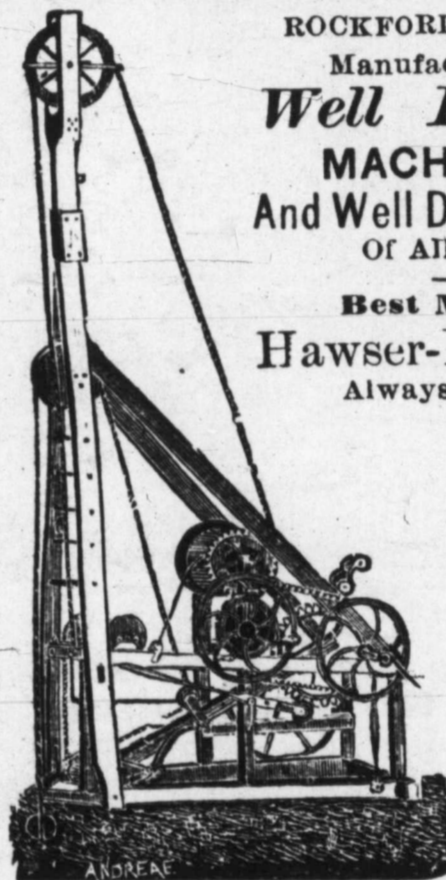
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The Value of Good Blood.

Editor Texas Live Stock Journal.

You refer to a letter of mine in the Hoof and Horn.

The present demoralization of the cattle market is temporary and produced by many causes combined. I have been watching the market for a year and a half for a change. I have said but little through the press, I have read a good many articles on the subject. I have been at a loss to account for the continued depression and will not go into the discussion of the causes, but assume that good cattle will always pay more money to the breeders and feeders than poor ones.

I have the Chicago report this evening of the market August 14th. Top cattle sold for \$4.80; the movement for good cattle has commenced. Texas steers reported sold from \$2.40@3.15, a difference of \$1.65 and it is possible that this difference may be spread to 3c in six weeks. Four Texas steers averaging 1034 lbs, at \$3.15 brought \$32.57.

The native steer weighed 1541 lbs, at \$4.80 brought \$73.96. This is from the top Texas and top natives. There is no better steer than that which is obtained from the thoroughbred Hereford bull and a good Texas cow. When you get this cross and on good pastures in good season, you can come very near covering the gap between the Texas and native steers, but don't quarrel with the market because it won't pay as much for a scrub steer as for a good well bred one.

I think Texas has been doing a good deal during the last two years to improve their cattle, but they have 8,000,000 of cattle; say 2,500,000 cows. These would require four bulls to 100 cows, 100,000 bulls at a cost of \$10,000,000. One million of your cattle stock if sold would buy 100,000 thoroughbred Hereford bulls and this deal would double the income from your cattle interest and carry the bullock to market a year earlier.

Supposing the tide has turned after a five years ebb, there is always a full

flood tide after a low ebb. It is not scrub cattle that are to feel this flood tide, but advise your readers who are in the cattle business to breed their cows to thoroughbred Hereford bulls and build for permanence, for the future and not for the present.

On the 14th of August Montana and Dakota steers sold from \$3@3.95 and made nearly 1200 pounds; here is nearly \$1 between the tops of Montana and natives and will be made still wider.

Texas breeders will not buy 100,000 thoroughbred Hereford bulls, but some of them will and they will find it will pay. T. L. MILLER.

Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 19, '89.

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Value of Cotton Seed.

Dick Naylor, Texas, in American Agriculturist.

The real value of our cotton seed crop is not yet fully appreciated by the Southern farmer. It is one of our best and most convenient winter foods for cattle, and is usually fed without any preparation; hulls and all. Small seed hullers for farm use are now manufactured, and every Southern farm should be supplied with one. The hulls have little or no nutritive value for stock, but the ashes from them, or even the rotted hulls are excellent fertilizers. They are too bulky and indigestible for the bovine stomach, yet native Southern cattle devour the entire seed with relish. This does not prove that it is best to be fed whole, however. The raw kernels, with the hull removed, are much more easily masticated. If dampened and mixed with bran or corn meal, a most enticing and nutritious ration for milch cows would be had. The kernel of the cotton seed is so soft that I do not think it would be profitable labor to cook it. When fed unhulled, however, boiling the seeds softens the hull and makes them more easily eaten by thoroughly wetting and "laying" the lint that adheres to them. A little salt should be added when boiled. Cattle that have been accustomed to eating raw seed will not readily eat the cooked unless mixed with meal or bran, or with a little shelled corn or other grain. Thus prepared cotton seed is good for hog feed, especially for sows suckling pigs. Dry seed in the hull should not be fed to swine, as the lint seems to accumulate in the stomach gradually until it finally kills them. Sometimes when cotton seed is fed alone to milch cows it imparts a somewhat unpleasant taste to the milk. Salt tends to prevent this, but if the ration is changed occasionally to carrots, turnips or sweet potatoes twice a week—or better still, mix a few cut up turnips or sweet potatoes with every feed of seed, no such trouble will occur.

The high manurial value of cotton seed has long been known, and no farmer should sell his seed to the oil mills except in exchange for cotton seed meal, which is nearly as valuable for cattle feed and manure as the entire seed. To sell off the crop of cotton

seed at ten cents per bushel, and buy nothing to feed the soil in its place, is a suicidal policy that is ruining many a short-sighted Southern farmer, especially our colored farmers.

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Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas in the justice court September term, A. D. 1889, to the sheriff or any constable of Tarrant county, greeting: You are hereby commanded that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Tarrant, if there be a newspaper published in said county, but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Mrs. M. F. Davis, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the justice court, to be held in and for Precinct No. 1, County of Tarrant, at my office in Fort Worth, on the second Monday in September, 1889, the same being the 9th day thereof, at a regular term of said court, file number being 405, then and there to answer the complaint of Turner, McClure & Co., a firm composed of J. K. Turner, J. D. McClure and A. S. Dingee, filed in said court on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1889, against the said Mrs. M. F. Davis, and alleging in substance as follows, to-wit: Suit being upon verified account for the sum of \$120.00.

Herein fall not, but have you then and there before said court this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand of said court in Fort Worth this 7th day of August, A. D. 1889.
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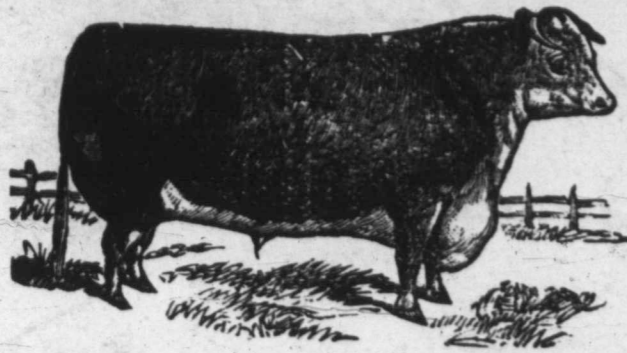
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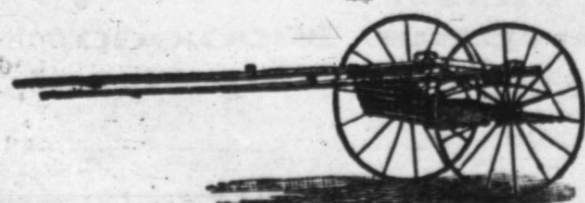
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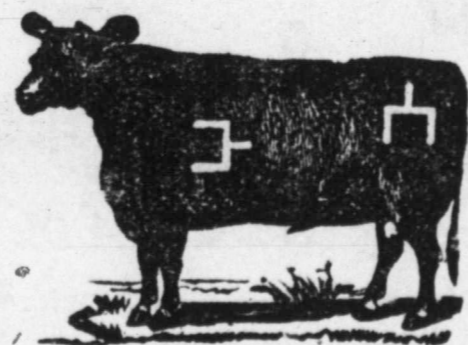
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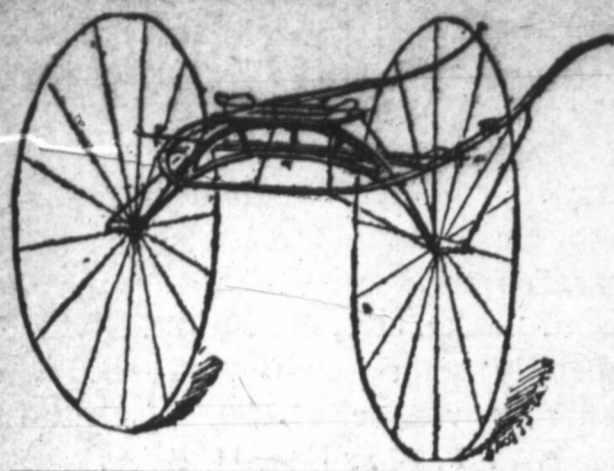
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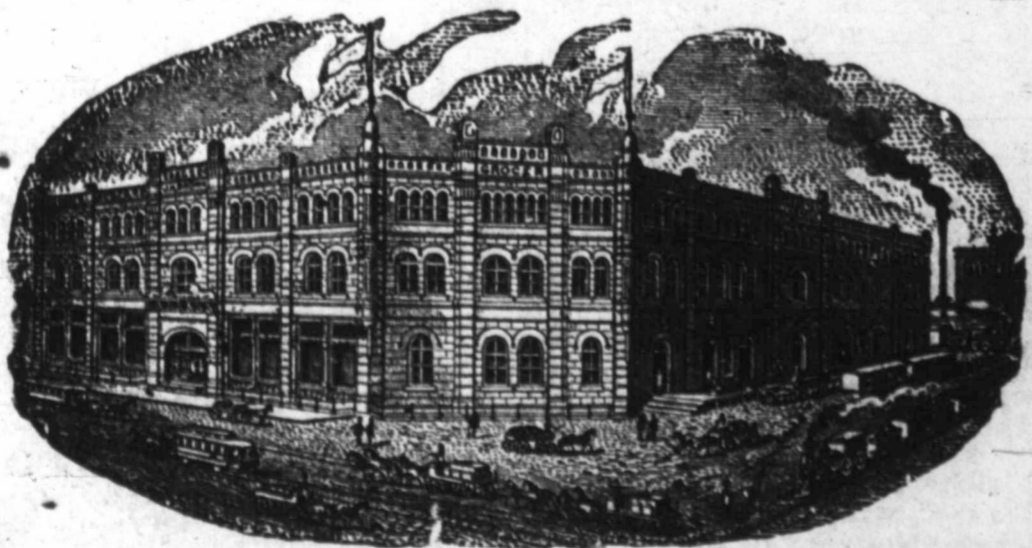
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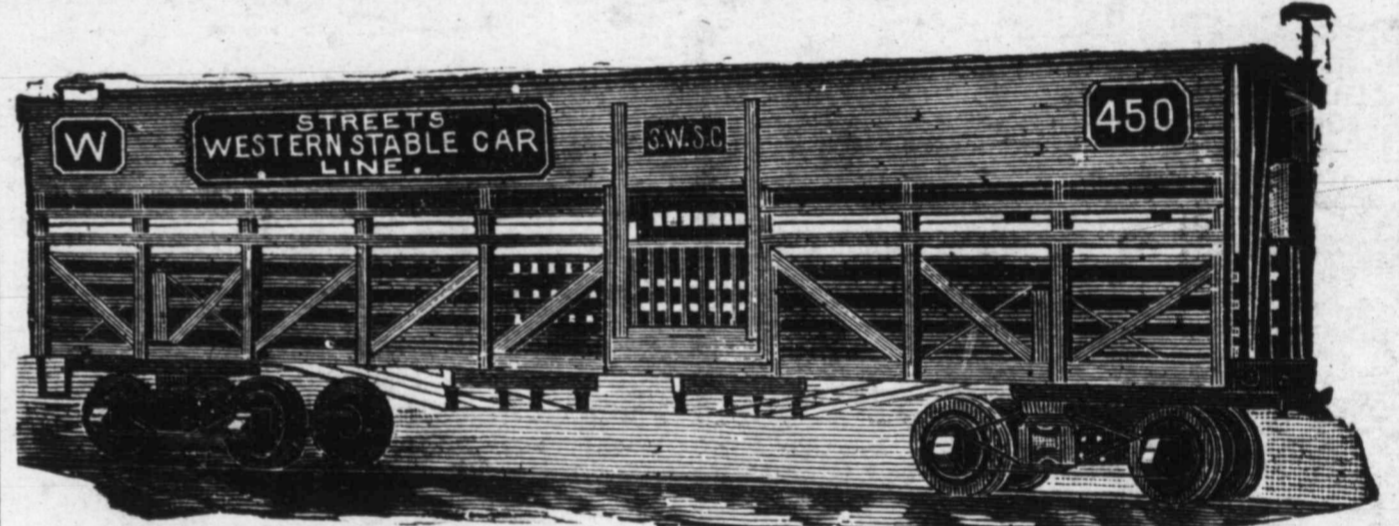
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