

STEER MARKET CRASH

PRICES AROUND 10c LOWER ON BULK—SOME GOOD BEEVES WERE ON OFFER.

CHOICE WHITEFACES AT \$7.75

Cows and Heifers Steady to 10c Lower—Bulls and Calves Firm—Mean Sluggish Market for Stock Cattle.

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HOG PRICES DECLINE

AFTER A FEW SALES AT NICKEL DISCOUNT MARKET RULES A DIME LOWER.

RECEIPTS FAIRLY LIBERAL

Trade Slow in Middle Rounds But Closed With Fair Spirit at the Lower Level—Top, \$6.20.

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SOUTH OMAHA, NEB. FEB. 13.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Journal Stockman reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 8700. Market steady to 10c lower.

Hogs—Receipts, 29,000, record breaker. Market 5c to 10c lower.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000. Market active, 10c higher.

FT. WORTH, Tex., Feb. 13.—Special to The Journal: The Daily Live Stock Reporter reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 11,000. Market steady; top \$5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market 5c higher. Top \$6.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 800. Market steady.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 13.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Reporter reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 15,000. Market steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market 10c lower with yesterday's average.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Market steady.

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MUTTON SAGS AGAIN

FEW EARLY SALES WERE STEADY BUT LOWER PRICES PREVAIL GENERALLY.

SLUGGISH TONE AT DECLINE

No Improvement Looked For Until Eastern Dressed Mutton Demand Whipped Up—Good Lambs at \$6.10.

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ITEMS IN BRIEF.

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Good Magazine Paper Made.

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has been demonstrated beyond question, according to the department's progress reports.

This has been established so conclusively that the department is spending no more money on that end of the inquiry.

The practical utility of cornstalks for paper making resolves itself into a question of dollars and cents.

Cornstalk paper by itself is too expensive to compete with paper made from ordinary materials.

In making cornstalk paper there is a by-product, which is a sort of caramel-like extract, with a sweetish taste.

The scientists have been working up the value of this as a stock food.

Experiments carried on for several months with a herd of twenty cattle have yielded pretty definite figures about the value of this extract as food.

The figures have not been made public, but it is stated at the department that, if further experiments indicate that the extract is worth as much as the first experiments seemed to show, then it will be possible to put cornstalk paper on the market at such a price as to meet the competition of ordinary magazine paper.

To check the results of the early experiments, the department has arranged to feed a lot of animals this year and will set a value upon the extract as a stock food.

From the practical standpoint much remains to be established before cornstalk paper can be counted upon commercially.

If the department finally decides that the extract has sufficient value to make it possible to put out cornstalk paper at commercial rates, then it will be necessary to establish a market for the extract. But the department scientists profess not to be worried about this, as they believe private enterprise has become quick to take up projects which the department backs as having a commercial value.

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And the amount of paper now used in magazine making is enormous. The department scientists think that they will have done much to meet the danger of paper shortage if they can produce cornstalk paper to a commercial basis.

The department has issued a bulletin of 30,000 copies, each copy of which is printed upon five different kinds of paper made at commercial rates.

One sheet of the issue is made of cornstalk and cotton linters; another of broomcorn stalks and poplar wood; the fifth of pure cornstalks.

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MARKETS PULP FEED EWES

Great Western Sugar Co. Sends in Two Cars From Scotts Bluff, Neb.

The Great Western Sugar Co., which has been represented on the local market quite frequently of late, disposed of a satisfactory quantity of sugar today.

There were around 255 head in the shipment, averaging 93 lbs. and sold at \$4.90 per cwt., the top of the market for that class of mutton.

The Great Western Sugar Co. is a name closely affiliated with that of the western industrial enterprises, having a national reputation for its big sugar refineries, scattered throughout Nebraska and feeding operations.

The company was represented in the cattle division with four cars of pulp-fed steers from their feedlots at Rocky Ford, Colo.

There were 34 steers in the shipment, averaging 1,375 lbs. and sold for shipment to the United Dressed Beef Co. of New York at \$7.25 per cwt., the best price paid for beef steers on yesterday's market.

COLORADO LAMBS AT \$6.35

Lamar Shipper Markets Two Loads of His Own Feeding at Above Figure.

Waynesboro, Pa., Feb. 13.—When a grain elevator firm at Waynesboro announced that it would pay \$1 a bushel for wheat the offer brought from under cover 8,000 bushels in two days.

One of the wagon loads there was an unusual find. The Miller elevator people noticed that a portion of the grain being weighed was unduly heavy and upon investigation a can of nonball was discovered in the wheat. It had been carelessly thrown in the grain and hauled to market.

The rings of Saturn may be electrical.

KILLED IN A RUNAWAY.

Atchison, Kan., Feb. 13.—William Bollinger, a farmer, aged 50 years, was killed in a runaway accident near Erlingham. He started to town with a load of shelled corn.

His team became frightened at a central branch passenger train and ran away. Mr. Bollinger was thrown from the wagon and it passed over his chest, dying about two hours later.

Mr. Bollinger has been a resident of Atchison county for twenty-five years.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Theatre—Tonight, "Madam X." Tuesday night, English grand opera, "The Girl of the Golden West."

Wednesday night, May Robson, in "A Night Out."

At the Lyceum—Until Thursday, matinee daily, Glycer Girls extravaganza. Last half of week, matinee Saturday, Jolly John Larkin, in "Royal Sam."

FEEDING FEW CATTLE.

Feeders Not Used to 60-Cent Corn Around Logan, Ia.

"There are very few cattle on feed in my home district," remarked L. L. Allen, of Logan, Ia., who was at the yards yesterday looking over the market with a view of sending a few shipments of cattle to this point.

"No," added Mr. Allen, "there is fewer cattle on feed around Logan than I have seen for a good many years.

Feeders are not used to sixty to sixty-five cent corn and the cattle feeding proposition is practically going by default this winter.

As to hogs, there is a fair supply on hand, but they are being marketed in a very poor condition, very few carrying anywhere near the weight usually sent marketward from that section of Iowa."

\$500 FOR FIVE OAK TREES.

Carmel, Ind., Feb. 13.—William Kinzer & Sons, this week sold from their large farm, to the Central Veneer Company, five oak trees for which they received \$500.

They recently sold a tree which contained 1,019 feet of lumber, probably the largest tree cut in Hamilton county for many years.

Mr. Kinzer preserved his timber, only cutting a tree when it shows signs of decay.

Molasses in January is slow enough, but it hasn't anything on a senatorial investigation in February.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO, Ill. Stock Yards, Ill. Feb. 13.—The Live Stock Market reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 6,000. Market slow, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000. Market steady to 5c lower. Top \$6.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000. Market generally steady.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 13.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Journal reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 11,000. Market steady to 10c lower; top \$8; cows and heifers steady to weak; stockers slow, steady; calves weaker.

Hogs—Receipts, 21,000. Market 5c

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-Forsue Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

Table with columns: Options, Open, High, Low, Close, Change. Rows for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Barley.

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Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Sales, 11,000.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,000. Sales, 900.

Wheat—Receipts, 100,000. Sales, 90,000.

Corn—Receipts, 200,000. Sales, 180,000.

Oats—Receipts, 50,000. Sales, 45,000.

Rye—Receipts, 20,000. Sales, 18,000.

Barley—Receipts, 10,000. Sales, 9,000.

Flour—Receipts, 100,000. Sales, 90,000.

Meal—Receipts, 50,000. Sales, 45,000.

Shorts—Receipts, 20,000. Sales, 18,000.

Lard—Receipts, 10,000. Sales, 9,000.

Tallow—Receipts, 5,000. Sales, 4,500.

Hides—Receipts, 10,000. Sales, 9,000.

Beans—Receipts, 10,000. Sales, 9,000.

Peas—Receipts, 5,000. Sales, 4,500.

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STEEL MILLS INDUSTRIAL HELLS

Working conditions in the most highly protected American industry are in for an investigation. It is alleged that the steel mills are industrial hells, that men are overworked and under-paid, that huge dividends are piled up at the expense of that American labor.

LOOK FOR HIGHER HOG MARKET

Flourishing that five hogs are equal to one head of cattle in the amount of meat, the shortage in cattle this year as reported by the United States department of agriculture is equal to 10,000,000 hogs.

POSSIBLY A HELP REMEDY.

The population of Ireland is quite dense and had it not been for the fresh air from the sea, the great white plague might have diminished the population. Until a few years ago the poor people of that island were very poor.

TRYING TO STIR UP TROUBLE.

Chicago Live Stock World: The hurrah about free meats that is being raised by eastern politicians who desire to curry favor with consumers is liable to make trouble for farmers and live stock producers.



Daddy's Bedtime Story—Thus Good Luck Goes Ever With Good Luck

TRY to think that you are living in America about 135 years ago," said daddy to Jack and Evelyn. "If you can do this then you will think that the best and greatest man in the world is General George Washington, leader of the American soldiers who are fighting against the English."

LAW ON "DEAD HOGS."

The Missouri Statutes on a Point Now Important. In answer to the question of "What is the law on dead hogs?" we quote the following from the Revised Statutes.

FARMERS TO FIGHT FOR LAND

Recent Claim of Railroad Involving Land Worth \$10,000,000. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—W. A. Prince, representing an organization of several hundred farmers along the Union Pacific, for years in the North Platte valley, has gone to Washington to present an argument to the house committee that has in charge the Norris bill quieting title in the farmers along that railroad to a portion of its original right of way.

COLORADO FRUIT UNINJURED

Sections Around Grand Junction Expect Big Yield. Grand Junction, Colo., Feb. 12.—The winter investigations which have been made of the fruit buds in the Grand Valley during the past week, show that the cold winter has left them entirely uninjured, and unless there should be unusual weather conditions in the late spring, the biggest fruit crop in the history of the valley will be sent out this year.

WISCONSIN STATION SENDS OUT SUGGESTION TO AID FARMERS.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 12.—Recent severe cold snaps have caused Wisconsin farmers considerable trouble in connection with their gasoline engines, which can be readily avoided, according to Prof. C. A. Cook, of the agricultural engineering department of the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin, who is sending out suggestions on this subject to farmers.

BOOK TREASURES OF PAST

immense sums invested in the copying, illuminating and binding of them by hand. The cost of materials and copying, illuminating and binding books by hand made them the treasures of rich collectors and the pride of museums, palaces and convent libraries.

CHILD IS A GREAT THINKER

Juvenile Logic Displayed by the Little Girl Who Wanted a Baby Brother. Those who call children thoughtless merely prove that they do not know the child nature. Children, as a matter of fact, are great thinkers.

Rules for Talking Weather.

The English are as insensible to their weather as they are to a vast number of other things. They talk of nothing else; but there is yet an artificiality about the conversation that denotes it to be a standardized topic.

Pole's Passion for Gambling.

The trial at Crakow of a Polish advocate named Steinfeld who has come to grief through gambling has been the occasion of some curious revelations about the hold which this vice has on business men in Austrian Poland.

In Sox Signo Vincas.

Judge—Jones answered an advertisement and sent a dollar for four pairs of socks. When they arrived, Jones looked them over and then wrote the advertiser: "Socks received. The patterns are vile. I wouldn't be seen on the street with them on."

FACTORY AT SCOTT CITY.

Scott City, Kan., Feb. 12.—A big pump factory is being located at Scott City. A large company has been organized of Scott City citizens to be known as the Scott City Pump and Irrigation company, with the following officers: W. S. Manker, president; J. B. Chapman, general manager; H. W. Hill, vice president; E. M. Hill, secretary and treasurer.

BUFFALO SPECIMENS.

Buffalo Bill Sends Two of Historic Importance. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 12.—Two adult specimens of Nebraska buffalo have been secured for the state museum through Charles H. Morrill. They were obtained in New York from Colonel William A. Cody (Buffalo Bill), and were animals formerly used by him for exhibition purposes.

EXCHANGE DIRECTORY.

- Following is a list of the commission firms and stock cattle dealers engaged in business at the St. Joseph stock yards: Commission Firms. Butler, James H., rooms 237-28.

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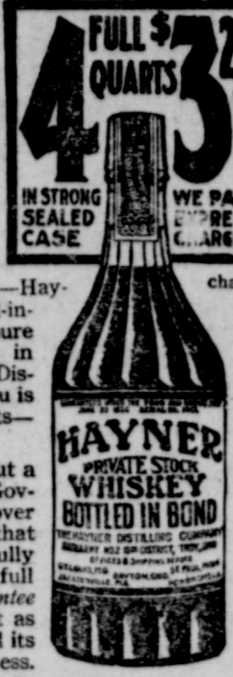
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MANILA'S OLD FORT SANTIAGO WAS BUILT MORE THAN 300 YEARS AGO.

Key of City's Vast System of Defense Constructed by the Spaniards is Now Used as Military Headquarters.

A score of miles down the bay from Manila, right at the very front door of the archipelago, lies hidden on Corregidor Island a veritable hornet's nest of masked batteries.

The Gruson turrets, made of concrete and steel and sunk on rock foundations, natural or artificial, in the deep, resembling huge gray turtles sticking up out of the water with protruding gun barrels for necks, occupy El Fraile and other small islets in the vicinity.

When it comes to age and romantic history, however, old Fort Santiago is far ahead of Corregidor. Manila's walled city, a town in itself, consisting of several city blocks with paved streets, business houses and large dwellings is surrounded by a stone wall about thirty feet high and from thirty to forty feet thick.

The walls once were skirted on the outside by a deep moat, filled with water having drawbridges at the various gates. Most if not all of the moat has now been filled in, but no doubt the walls will stand for years if for no other reason than for their historical interest.

Of this vast yet crude system of defense Fort Santiago stands as the key. What the Tower of London is to England, what the Vatican is to Rome, what the Bunker Hill monument is to the United States, Fort Santiago is to the Philippine Islands.

The Spanish invaders made Manila their headquarters in 1571 and began to fortify it about twenty years later. The first stone construction was the circular wall, which is still standing. Since the American occupation of the fort its armament has been taken away and the buildings within the park have been converted into barracks and storerooms.

Commodious office buildings have been erected on top of the walls along and overlooking the Pasig, and here the commanding general of the Philippine division has his headquarters. In one of the beautiful parks within the fort is located the military arsenal, with its big steam and electric workshops.

Some of the maps and plans of the fort are now in the British museum, in London, where they were carried after the British conquest of Manila. The fort, mostly in its present form, has stood for 300 years. There are all sorts of stories floating about concerning secret chambers in the walls and wings.

So far as the secret chambers are concerned, there is some truth in the rumors. The filling of the old moat closed many of the entrances to these chambers, probably forever. When the wall in Calle Aduana was removed, an inner chamber was found filled with human skeletons.

Natives have a wholesome terror of the old place, and absolutely no desire to see anything below the surface of the thick old walls. Americans who, with electric lamps, have started explorations have given up, owing to the foul air, crumbling passages and other hindrances.

Only three flags have flown above Fort Santiago. For 325 years the Spanish ensign was unfurled to the tropic breeze, except for the brief time the British flag supplanted that of the rightful lords. The hoisting of the third flag is well known to all Americans.

Waging a War. Fourteen million dollars was spent in this country last year in the war against tuberculosis. In comparison with the small amounts expended for the same purpose only a few years ago this sum seems vast. In reality, it is not nearly so large as it should be.

THREE DELECTABLES. By Nicolas Soyer, Chef of Brooke's Club, London. Savory Fish.—Put a little flaked cold fish, with a sprinkle of Parmesan, mixed with a little cream, on a slice of well-buttered toast.

Sweetbreads, au Naturel.—Take four sweetbreads, parboil them, take off the skins, dust each sweetbread with salt and pepper very lightly and pour over each a tablespoonful of cream.

Fowl (Savory Crumbs).—Wash the fowl well inside with plenty of cold water. Dry well and put the liver and a small shallot inside the bird. Have ready a large tablespoonful of white breadcrumbs and add to them a lump of butter the size of a big walnut, pepper and salt to taste.

Electric Fans Prevent Frost. To the long list of the means heretofore proposed of protecting fields, orchards, and vineyards against frost a new one has recently been added by a French scientist. He points out the fact that frosts are not feared when the wind blows; he is thus led to suggest the creation of an artificial wind by the installation of electric fans among the plants to be protected.

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Former Missourian Elected Chairman of Missouri, Kansas & Texas. New York, Feb. 12.—Frank Trumbull, chairman of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, was elected chairman of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas and chairman of its executive committee.

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He was born in Arcadia, Mo., in 1853. His father was a school teacher. The son entered business when 12 years old as a clerk in the postoffice and in a country store at Pleasant Hill, Mo.

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HIS STRAGEM WAS COSTLY

It Was Designed to Break Him of Cigarette Habit, but Only Left Him Poorer.

Mac Keene is described by Mrs. Meyer, our landlady, as being a "studium" and "poor as a church mouse." The first appellation is true—he is a student of engineering; the stumle is rather baffling, but that he is poor I fear is true also. Mac Keene is a philosopher. Many men of little business, I observe, are philosophers. I became acquainted with Mac Keene when I invited him in one evening to share the warmth from my fire—he having none—and he proved a treasure to me during many long winter evenings. I offered him a smoke, and was instantly attracted to the man by his story of the cunning stratagem he employed to break himself of the habit of smoking to excess.

Mac Keene had devised sundry and divers tricks to accomplish his end, all without success; the latest maneuver against the enemy consisted in his buying the most expensive cigarettes he could find, with the idea in mind that the wanton and prodigal extravagance of smoking them up too rapidly would materially reduce his consumption of the weed; then, if the campaign were successful, he would not increase his expense in the long run, but when the habit was more under control he could reduce his expense even below the present by returning to cheaper brands. Such ingenuity as this was deserving of reward, but alas! it failed from the start, and left Mac Keene a poorer and a no more temperate man.—New York Evening Post.

"LIMIT" IN SHORT WEIGHTS

Indianapolis Man Finds Dumbbell That Is Four Ounces Less Than It Is Branded.

Dr. W. F. King, assistant secretary of the state board of health, has found what he terms "the limit" in short weights. He wrote to a sporting goods house a few days ago to buy some dumbbells for his daughter, and in "hefting" a pair found that one was lighter than the other. He called the attention of the salesman to his discovery and the dumbbells were placed on a balance and weighed, and one found to be four ounces short of the branded weight.

"I don't believe the misbranding could be handled under the pure food law," said Dr. King, "but isidor Wulfson might take the case." Dr. King recalled that when Ben-Hur was a slave on the Roman galley he represented to the overseer that keeping a galley slave chained to one side of the ship all the time developed him on one side only and that the owner was not able to get full value received from his price for the slave, and that as a result the slaves were shifted regularly from one side of the ship to the other. In this way, Ben-Hur was enabled to maintain rugged health and strength until he escaped.

HIPPO ATE A MINCE PIE

But Bill Snyder, the Keeper, Said the Confection Was Wasted on Missa Murphy.

It is throwing money away, according to Bill Snyder, head keeper of the Central park menagerie, to feed a hippo on pies, especially on the mince variety. This observation by the keeper was elicited after he had tossed a beautiful mince pie into the yawning mouth of Missa Murphy, one of the hippos in the menagerie. The hippo had been promised the pie by a man on the upper West side fully a week ago. He said he wanted "the kids" to have a laugh. When Miss Murphy gulped the pie down yesterday more than a score of persons, as well as "the kids," laughed.

It was a conventional 3-cent pie, but Miss Murphy looked more important than 30 cents when she began to crush the delicacy in her sawing jaws. According to the man who carried the pie to the menagerie he had soaked it well in brandy. He was accompanied by two lads.

Snyder tickled the hippo's chin with the edge of the pie, and as she opened her mouth, he sent the whole thing in at once, as if it were a straw hat. "Some bugs in this town!" said the keeper. "A woman came here yesterday and wanted to know if she could get a permit to give the lions catnip."

Spice of Life.

One way of ironing out domestic difficulties was originated by the late Vaughan Kester, author of "The Prodigal Judge." He was living at Gunston, an old colonial estate on the Potomac, not far from Mount Vernon, with his wife, an aunt of Paul Winchell, who made the dramatic version of "Thais," when he drafted the constitution and by-laws of the Mutual Help association, retails the New York Sun, in mentioning the incident. "Everybody's business but my own," was the motto of the association. Under the head, "Declaration of Purpose," appeared this paragraph: "The members of this association, recognizing that there are realms of indecision and irresolution difficult for the single mind to grasp, penetrate and fully explore, have formed an association for the specific purpose that the individual members may have the advantage of every other member's opinion on all conceivable questions affecting his or her personal welfare, believing that by so doing they will add the variety which is the spice of life."

Telegram That Saved India.

In connection with the Durbar, a museum of Mogul relics has been arranged, which contains, among other objects, the telegram which illustrates Montgomery's great saying, "The electric telegraph saved India." This is the famous telegram dispatched by Brenchind on May 11th, 1857, which gave the news of the rebellion to the north of India, and enabled Lawrence and Edwards and Nicholson to take steps for the disarmament of regiments on the verge of revolt, and to make those brilliant arrangements for the relief of Delhi by which—and probably by which alone—the mutiny was crushed out, and Delhi once more returned to her British allegiance.

Disgusted Old Columbus.

Columbus deftly stood the egg on end, then waited for the applause. "That's all right enough," said the audience, "but show us how to buy a really fresh egg." Frowning grimly, Columbus replaced the egg in his coat pocket and satiated for America.

None but the Best.

Uncle Rasberry walked into a drug store. "Gimme one o' dem plasters for my back," he said. "One of the porous plasters?" "No, I don't want one o' dem porous plasters. I want one o' de best!"—Atlanta Journal.

SHOULD BE TAUGHT TO EAT

School Girls and Boys Need Lessons in Mastication for Their Stomachs' Sake.

Nor is it enough that school girls and boys should be taught to cook; they should also learn how to eat. Few learn this at home. They are usually taught to eat silently, and not to take soup off the end of a spoon or to put the knife into the mouth; but the more important art of mastication is ignored. It is a branch of physiology and should be taught by experts in the schools.

If it were, the next generation of mothers and fathers would know that it is a crime to let their children swallow food, particularly milk and cereals and vegetables, before it has been kept for a while in the mouth to be mixed with saliva and made digestible.

If it were indelibly impressed on school children that gluttony is a vice which defeats its own end, that by eating slowly much more pleasure can be got from one mouthful than by bolting a whole plateful, that this pleasure can be vastly increased by consciously exhaling through the nose while eating, and that those who eat in this way will escape the pangs of indigestion—if these truths were impressed on every child mind, two-thirds of the minor ills of mankind would disappear in two generations, and most of the major maladies also, for the stomach is the source of most diseases. As Thomas Walker wrote nearly a century ago, "Content the stomach and the stomach will content you."

The "Fruits" of Ambition.

"If you are ambitious and want to get on in life, don't wait for your opportunity—make it." So counselled Mr. Kalesick to young Kabbage, whom he had just appointed to the management of a green-grocery stall. All that day the youth pondered the advice, and he still remembered it when his eye suddenly caught an item in the sporting columns of his favorite paper: "Clodville Football club requires dates for December."

Two minutes later Kabbage was busy with pen, ink and paper, and in ten more minutes he was proudly counting the following note to the Clodville secretary: "Dear Sir—I beg to inform you that we have a choice lot of dates in stock. Inclose one as a sample, and will be pleased to supply any quantity at two-pence a pound, or four pounds for sevenpence ha-penny!"—Ideas.

Pulse Watch.

Among the ingenious devices of the physician may be mentioned a watch, constructed on the "stop" principle, whereby the number of pulse beats per minute may be indicated. A push-button is pressed at the beginning of the count and again at the twentieth pulsation, when the number of beats per minute is shown on a dial without the necessity of calculation. Still another push on the button brings the counter back to the starting point. In the ordinary method of taking the pulse the observer is obliged to do two things at the same time—count the beats and keep his eye on his watch. With the pulse watch only one operation is necessary, the counting of the population up to 20, when the push button is pressed.

He Was on Oath.

"Now, Frank, remember you are on oath. Don't testify to what you can't swear to. Did you really see the prisoner bite the other man's ear off?"

"Well, your honor, I see de prisoner go up to de odder man an' open his mouf, and place it kinder 'round his ear, an' when he come away de odder gemmun didn't hab no ear. But I wouldn't want ter swear de prisoner actually done bite dat ear off!"

Consignment HIDES STEADY

THE undertone of the market indicates lower prices. Tanners are out of the market and will not buy a hide at present prices. Better ship to us this week. Furs are booming.

SALT CURED HIDES		No. 1	No. 2	DRY HIDES	
Natives	12c	11c	Dry flint butcher, heavy	13c	
Side brands, over 40 flat	11c		Dry flint fallen, heavy	18c	
Side brands, under 40 flat	10c		Dry flint, under 16 pounds	18c	
Bulls and stags	9 1/2c	8 1/2c	Dry salt, heavy	15c	
Bulls, side branded flat	8c		Dry culls	11c	
Green salt cured glue flat	60				
Green salt cured deacons, each	60@25c				
Slunks, each	25c@15c				
Green uncured hides 1 1/2c less than same grade cured. Green frozen hides bought as No. 2's.					
Green half cured 3-4c less than cured.					
Horse hides, green, No. 1	\$3.50@3.00				
Horse hides, No. 2	\$2.50@2.00				
Green pony hides and glue	\$1.50@75c				
Sheep pelts, green	\$1.00@25c				
Dry, according to wool, per pound	9c@7c				

TALLOW		FURS	
Tallow, No. 1	5@5 1/2c	MINK—Central	
Tallow, No. 2	4@4 1/2c	No. 1, large	\$7.50@8.00
Beeswax	15@25c	No. 1, medium	\$6.00@6.50
		No. 1, small	\$4.00@4.50
		No. 2, large	\$5.00@5.50
		No. 2, medium	\$3.00@3.50
		No. 2, small	\$2.00@2.50
		No. 3, large	\$3.00@3.50
		No. 3, medium	\$2.00@2.50
		No. 3, small	\$1.00@1.50
		No. 4, large	\$1.00@1.50
		No. 4, medium	\$0.50@1.00
		No. 4, small	\$0.25@0.50
		MUSKRAT—Continual	
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		No. 1, medium	\$1.50@2.00
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		No. 1, large, red	\$2.00@2.50
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		No. 4, small, red	\$0.10@0.25
		WOLF—Prairie and Timber	
		No. 1, Prairie, large	\$1.00@1.25
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		No. 2, medium	\$5.00@7.00
		No. 2, small	\$3.00@5.00
		No. 3, large	\$5.00@7.00
		No. 3, medium	\$3.00@5.00
		No. 3, small	\$2.00@3.00
		No. 4, large	\$3.00@5.00
		No. 4, medium	\$2.00@3.00
		No. 4, small	\$1.00@2.00
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		No. 1, small	\$2.00@3.00
		No. 2, large	\$3.00@4.00
		No. 2, medium	\$2.00@3.00
		No. 2, small	\$1.00@2.00
		No. 3, large	\$2.00@3.00
		No. 3, medium	\$1.00@2.00
		No. 3, small	\$0.50@1.00
		No. 4, large	\$1.00@2.00
		No. 4, medium	\$0.50@1.00
		No. 4, small	\$0.25@0.50
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		No. 1, small	\$0.50@0.75
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