

CATTLE RUN DROPS OFF

Lighter receipts responsible for a better undertone to beef trade.

DEGREE OF STRENGTH NOTED

Spots 10c higher—Cows and Heifers steady to strong with Early Tuesday Selling—Stockers Firm.

Lighter receipts at all of the leading markets today gave the trade in beef cattle somewhat better color, but there was no decided improvement in prices over yesterday.

HOGS FINISH STRONG

MARKET OPENS WEAK TO 5c LOWER BUT CLOSES STEADY TO 5 CENTS HIGHER.

BULK AT STEADY RATES

Trade Snappy on Final Rounds—Tops Sell at \$6.25, With Bulk of Sales Hanging From \$5.90 to \$6.15.

The hog market today had a slow, weak opening and a strong, whirlwind finish, prices averaging fully steady for the session as compared with Tuesday.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Table with columns: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Receipts from Jan. 1 to Date.

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ST. JOSEPH HAY MARKET

Local quotations corrected to date by local dealers.

LAMBS RULE HIGHER

PRICES ON GOOD KINDS UP 10c TO 15c ON A LIMITED SUPPLY.

SHEEP GENERALLY STEADY

Wethers Sell Up to \$4.85 and \$4.00 Paid for Good Class of Ewes—Top Lambs Land \$6.25.

The effect of the recent heavy fall of snow and sleet on transportation facilities was perhaps more noticeable in the sheep house than in any other section of the yards today.

ITEMS IN BRIEF

R. Frey, prominent farmer of McClure, Neb., had one car of hogs on today's market.

NEBRASKA LIVE STOCK

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE GIVES OUT SET OF FIGURES FOR STATE

HORSES SHOW GREAT GAIN

Twenty-One Thousand More on January 1, 1912, Than Previous Year—Fewer Cattle and Hogs.

Washington, Feb. 14.—There were 21,999 more horses in the state reported for the year before, according to figures just given out by the department of agriculture.

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

Aside from the moderate assortment of holdovers in speculators' hands there was very little in the way of stocker and feeder cattle in the yards today.

YEARLINGS AND CALVES

Yearlings and calves were in fair to good demand at steady prices.

FEEDING COWS AND STOCK BEEFERS

Feeding cows and stock beefers were in fair to good demand at steady prices.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET

Table with columns: Wheat, Corn, Oats, Rye, Barley, Prices.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

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

WHEAT

Table with columns: May, July, Prices.

CORN

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OATS

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MARKETS GOOD BUTCHERS

Kansas Shipper on Yesterday's Market With One Car That Sold Well.

HAD BEST LAMBS

Kansas Firm on Yesterday's Market With Load of Fed Mexicans.

HAD GOOD FAT STEERS

John Ashworth Here Tuesday With Two Loads That Realized \$7.35.

WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES

Table with columns: Dressed Beef, Prices.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO. CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., Feb. 14.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 15,000. Market steady to shade higher.

KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 14.—Special to The Journal: The Drover's Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 5,000. Market steady to 10c higher.

SOUTH OMAHA

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 14.—Special to The Journal: The Drover's Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3,000. Market steady to 10c higher.

FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 14.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3,500. Market 10c to 15c lower.

SHEEP ALSO AFFLICTED

Clinton County Man Reports Strange Disease in Breeding Ewes.

TAGGART TOPS BEEF MARKET

Nebraska Had Load of Choice Steers That Sold at \$7.75 Yesterday.

S. H. DAVENPORT A VISITOR

Former Union Star Shipper, Now Buying Stock for Montana Packery.

HOGS AT THE TOP PRICE

T. R. Evans, of Sabetha, Kan., Had Load at \$6.20 Yesterday.

HAD LOAD OF GOOD COWS

L. W. Myers, of Geneva, Neb., Realized a Good Figure for Them.

HENRY KATZ BEEVES, \$7.10

DuBois, Nebraska, Feeder Markets One Load at That Price.

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EXPECT HIGHER WOOL PRICES.

From the headquarters of the Wyoming Wool Growers' association letters are being sent members and others engaged in wool growing in the state, advising them to not contract their clips at prevailing offers, because of the belief that better prices will be paid later, regardless of the action congress may take on the tariff on wool.

CROP OUTLOOK GOOD.

Denver Record Stockman: "The country down through western Nebraska has had plenty of moisture during the winter and the present outlook for a successful crop year is very bright."

PLANT FERTILE SEEDS.

The wisest farmers this year will be those who do not fail to pay unusually close attention to planting none but the very best seed corn obtainable.

While thousands of farmers buy their seed corn elsewhere, a great majority save their own seed or procure a supply from the nearest neighbor.

GOOD THINGS TO KNOW.

Leather is sometimes treated with glucose and barium, and this will cause it to absorb and retain moisture to a high degree.



The Toad at the Greenhouse Door

Daddy's Bedtime Story—The Greenhouse Toads and Their New Spring Suits

YOU have noticed the little toads that hop around in the garden in the summer," said daddy to Jack and Evelyn. "Oh, yes; they catch flies and mosquitoes! You told us so," replied the children.

It's a certainty that the crop from the good seed will repay this extra cost many times over. The country is in no position to stand another short, inferior corn crop like that of last year and by wise, careful selection of his seed corn the farmer can do much towards insuring a good crop for 1912, provided nature does her part.

Again, the reserve supply of high-grade old corn will be well-nigh exhausted before another harvest rolls around. For this reason it is highly probable that every bushel of 1912 corn that will grade up well, will be wanted at remunerative prices to the grower.

IN WOMAN'S REALM

"Love is the gift of the gods on high," But the price of love is tears! An echo drifts from the days gone by—

Unusual susceptibility to cold is an indication for a nerve tonic, and it is good management to combine a nerve tonic with a treatment that will restore the secretions and open the bodily sewers.

ARMY TO HAVE AEROPLANES

Five Machines Ordered by War Department, With More to Come. Washington, Feb. 13.—Undismayed by the small appropriation allowed by the house for carrying on aeronautics in the army during 1912, the war department has let contracts for five war aeroplanes.

FARMERS TO BUILD ELEVATOR

Craig, Mo., Feb. 13.—Craig is to have a new grain elevator. A company of farmers, being formed and they will incorporate \$10,000 for the erection of the building and its operation.

she may still have common sense, and should try to control their minds. Cultivate self-control. Keep an injured person warm and comfortable as possible.

An excellent tonic for the hair is to rub plenty of fine table salt in it, on the scalp, tie the head up in a close cloth, and in the morning brush out the loose salt.

VIEW OF SHEEP SITUATION

Market Outlook Discussed by a Chicago Mutton Buyer. On returning to Chicago from a visit for Missouri river markets a sheep buyer for Swift & Company is quoted as saying concerning sheep:

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"DEMOCRATIC" DOG CROWS

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 14.—Noble Stallings, living at New Harmony, has a dog that imitates the crowing of a rooster so closely that it is hard to detect the difference. When the dog was only a few weeks old he began to take notice of the crowing of a rooster and he began to imitate them.

WOMEN FOR \$500,000 FIRM

Mining and Investment Company Without Man in It. San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 12.—Women today entered their determined endeavor by filing with the county

DIVERSIFIED FEEDING.

It Pays Good Returns, According to Reports of Rosendale Mtn.

To practice diversity in live stock feeding, as well as in farming, is a sure way to get a lot of experience, and incidentally to fatten your bank account. These are the sentiments expressed by W. E. Watts, a prominent farmer and stock feeder at Rosendale Mtn., who was on yesterday's market with a car of lambs that sold well, considering market conditions.

MISSOURI ROADS WIN.

Supreme Court Finds Major Had No Case in Onster Against Lines. Jefferson City, Feb. 13.—Several important opinions were delivered by the supreme court on basic law cases, one of which, written by Judge Brown, dismisses the proceedings initiated by Attorney-General Major in 1909 against the state and the Missouri railroad companies for forfeiture of their charters because of alleged violation of the anti-trust law in being in a combination to fix rates.

TO ATTRACT LAND SEEKERS

Congressman Barthold Wants Exposition Building at St. Louis. Washington, Feb. 13.—Representative Richard Barthold introduced a bill in the house providing for an appropriation of \$100,000 for a building in St. Louis to be used as an immigration exposition building.

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FOR FIRING BROTHER'S BARN

Two Men, With a Hard Cider Grievance, Get Long Term. Franklin, Pa., Feb. 13.—Convicted of burning the barn and live stock of the brother, William and Lowry Hoffman, well-to-do farmers of York county, were sentenced to the penitentiary for a period not exceeding twelve years.

CATCHES CHICKEN THIEF.

Poultryman Uses Electric Charged Bar With Effective Results. The proceedings were filed just after the two-cent rate case and the other rate cases were appealed to the supreme court of the United States.

OVER GREAT LAKE IN AUTO.

Port Arthur, Ont., Feb. 13.—D. Boura of this city left here Saturday in an attempt to cross Lake Superior for Duluth in an automobile. The distance is 194 miles.

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clerk articles of incorporation for the California Women's Mining and Investment company, with an authorized capital stock of \$500,000. There is not a man connected with it.

VISIT 'GREAT WHITE FATHER'

Fullblood Indians to Discuss Oil Lease With Taft and Others.

Arkansas City, Kan., Feb. 13.—During the present week, the members of the United States council will go to Washington to visit the "Great White Father" and the department of Indian affairs. Their business in the capital city is to look into the matter of leasing the Osage land to the Uncle Sam Oil Company.

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Lawson Puts Asunder

By M. J. Phillips

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"Let's go to Mr. Grive," urged a voice outside Edward Lawson's door. It was a very humble door, since he was junior partner in the great law firm of Grive, Field & Morrison.

"No," replied another voice, which he was sure he recognized, "we'll go in here. Edwy Lawson will know as well as anyone."

Lawson rose precipitately to greet Jean Melbourne, her mother, and Ferd Van Sluyck. Jean was ravishing, though her eyelids showed evidences of recent tears.

"Oh, Edwy," began Jean, plaintively, "we're in the worst trouble! And we want you to help us out."

"What is it?" Anxiety sharpened Edwy's voice a bit.

"You tell, mother," urged Jean. Mrs. Melbourne smiled. "No, Jean; you must tell him yourself."

"Well, Edwy," began Jean, plaiting her handkerchief. "I have a house party of girls. There are eight of us. And last night we decided to put on a play—impromptu, you know."

"We borrowed a paper-backed novel from the cook, 'A Wild Wedding Morn,' and Nell Chatters assigned the parts. Really, it was funny. We didn't know what our character was going to say, and we had to think up answers on the spur of the moment to keep things going."

"I was the persecuted heroine because I have light hair; persecuted heroine are always blonde. The 'wild wedding morn' was the climax of the third act; so of course we had to have a wedding."

"Ferd had been up to see papa on business and was going through the hall just as we were setting the stage in the parlor. The girls dragged him in; they said it would be much more realistic to have a man for that scene." She paused and looked at Lawson.

"I see." The young attorney swallowed miserably. "We had the ceremony, with Ferd as bridegroom."

"And now some one has told you that a mock wedding, properly witnessed, it's binding in this state."

"Why, yes," agreed the girl in surprise. "I've heard of such cases before."

"What we want to know, Mr. Lawson," asked the complacent Mrs. Melbourne, "is whether the ceremony is really binding."

"I don't know—yet," sighed Edwy. He turned to Jean. "What sort of rigmorale did you go through with?"

"Polly Pearson acted as the minister," replied the girl, "and what she said sounded natural."

Lawson's heart swooped down through limitless depths of despair, like a broken aeroplane. Polly Pearson was the sister of the Episcopal minister and had been witness at a hundred weddings. Doubtless she had the wedding service letter-perfect.

Mr. Lawson. Mr. Melbourne will send you a check. Come, dear." Ferd, caressing an insufferable little mustache, was also beaming. Edwy felt like biting him.

"Mind, I don't say positively this ceremony is binding," he said wick edly. "I would have to know all the circumstances; and, come to think of it, there is a supreme court decision of 1876 that has a bearing on certain mock marriages. I will look that up and call tonight to let you know," he finished, boldly.

"There's no hurry," began Mrs. Melbourne, quickly. "Oh, yes there is!" assured Jean, who had been dashing her eyes with her handkerchief. "Do come up, Edwy."

That evening the attorney was striding back and forth like a managerie exhibit. He and Jean were alone in the cozy back parlor. The light-hearted house party was making merry elsewhere.

Edwy sat down as far as possible from Jean. He did not dare go near; there was a subdued pensiveness about her altogether unaccustomed and charming. He wanted to cuddle and to comfort her, and he hadn't the right, or the money to give him the right.

"Well," he began, as cheerfully as possible, "the '76 decision has nothing to do with your case. The ceremony is legal and binding."

Jean sighed and looked down at her intertwined fingers. "Oh, well," she said, gently, "I don't know that it makes much difference. Everybody's delighted—Ferd and his mother and my mother—"

"I thought your mother was," remarked Lawson. "Yes, I did; Van Sluyck hasn't anything but money. He's a catch."

"Why, Edwy!" There was an injured look in her dewy eyes. "And so are you delighted," he charged, harshly. "He can give you a flock of automobiles, and a forty-room house. Bah, money, money, money! It's the only thing that counts nowadays."

She bridled. "You shouldn't talk so, Mr. Lawson. I have a perfect right to abide by the law."

"You haven't!" Edwy's voice was sharp with misery. "That marriage must be annulled."

"Must be annulled—why?" "Because I want you myself—and I'm going to have you."

He gathered her hands to his breast, and kissed the pink palms. Jean swayed toward him. "Oh, Edwy," she whispered, "I was afraid you were never going to say it!"

After a while, some minutes—or maybe hours—later, Jean remarked demurely: "I really don't think an annulment is necessary, Edwy. You see, when Polly asked me if I'd love, honor and obey Ferd, I didn't say 'Yes.'"

"You didn't!" cried Edwy excitedly. "I said, 'No, never. I wouldn't promise to obey any man.'"

Affectionate mirthfulness bubbled up in Edwy's eyes. "You little sea lawyer, you! That really does put the whole thing in the catalogue of jokes."

"But," he continued, shrewdly, "why didn't you tell me that in the office this afternoon?" Her burrowing movement fixed a few more grains of rice powder in the shoulder of his coat. "Because I wanted to tell you—here!" she whispered.

Magic of Dickens. The hundred years which have rushed over the earth like an express train since Charles Dickens felt the first pinch of a terrestrial winter have changed the human mind, altered the attitude of the soul to the universe, and modified the affections of the human heart.

They are no longer easily moved to tears, we are loath to let exaggeration flit our laughter, we are perhaps less eager than our forefathers to be made to smile, and certainly more avicious with our tears than were our grandmothers. Nevertheless, the magic of Dickens still touches our lives, and the manhood of the whole Anglo-Saxon race is colored by those enraptured hours of our boyhood when we roared with Sam Well-ker, hated Jonas Chuzzlewit and Car-ker, loved Little Nell, trembled at Nickleby, fancied ourselves Nicholas Nickleby, envied David Copperfield, longed to possess a Grip, loathed Pecksniff, and felt our hearts grow heavy over the bitter sufferings of Oliver Twist, Poor Jo and tragic Smike.—Harold Begbie in the Century.

PAPER BAG COOKING

Great System Perfected by M. Soyer, Famous London Chef.

FRUIT CAN BE COOKED DELICIOUSLY.

By Martha McCulloch Williams. A French woman, a student of medicine, has just won her doctor's degree with a paper on scientific cooking. In it she impresses forcibly the fact that good feeding is not merely necessary to good health, but essentially to its restoration.

Further, she sets forth that the slops and messes to which invalids are commonly condemned not merely have no reason of being, but that they are positively harmful. They overwork stomachs already weak, in sympathy with debilitated bodies; worse still there is no comm. rate return for the work in the way of nourishment.

Yet, it is manifestly impossible for sick or weak or ailing folk, old people and little children, to feed upon the "heartly" things, of those highly spiced and sauced, which suit healthy persons of strong appetites and stronger digestions.

Right here comes in the paper bag cooking. By help of it, food is made tender, easily digested and flavored as nature wills, with only the added savors that fire brings out. Not only meat and vegetables, but fruit as well. The French lady lays stress upon the fact that fruit is almost curative for many things if properly prepared.

Fruit cooked in a paper bag is wholly sanitary. There is, further, no trouble of watching, of stirring, no apprehension of scorching. Peaches should be scalded in boiling water for a minute and a half, then the skins removed, and the fruit, on the seed, put to stew in a lightly buttered bag. Add a tablespoonful of water for a dozen large peaches—less if they are very juicy. Cook for 20 minutes in a fairly hot oven, slacking heat a third after five minutes from the putting in. The seed gives an adorable bitter-almond flavor. Add sugar to taste, while the fruit is very hot, and let stand several hours before using.

For an invalid, choose sweet, very juicy peaches, cook in small quantity—say half a dozen at a time—without adding water, and buttering the bag well. Serve unsweetened with thick cream. Wash gage plums very well, put them in a buttered bag with a very little water, and cook twelve to twenty-five minutes, depending on the quantity, in a fairly hot oven. Sweeten while very hot, or add soda if sweetening is forbidden.

Baked pears are relished by almost everybody. Ripen, full flavored fruit of medium size and even is the best. Cut off the stalks, close, slip out the blossom end, and stick in a clove there. Pare thinly, pack in a buttered bag with a little water and cook fifteen to thirty minutes in a fairly hot oven.

Leg of Lamb, with Turnips: Get a fat leg of lamb, have the butcher take off carefully the outside membrane—in that most of the "sheepy" taste resides. Scrape well, wipe over with a damp soft cloth, and if necessary, wash quickly in cold water, but avoid washing if possible. Salt and pepper moderately, then grease well—using either butter or clarified drippings—dredge very lightly with flour and put into a roasty, thickly greased bag with a pint of sliced turnips, two small thinly sliced onions, a small sprig of mint, and a half cup of tomato pulp or catsup. Sliced potatoes can be added at will—in that case use fewer turnips.

Be sure there are no sharp ends of bone projecting—they should be cut off rather under the flesh. Season the vegetables lightly with salt before putting them in the bag, but take care not to put in too much. Add half a tumbler of cold water, seal, put in a hot oven, slack heat after five minutes and cook until well done. Time depends on weight.

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SUNDRY SWEETS.

By Nicolas Soyer, Chef of Brooks' Club, London. Petit Nid: Peel and core half a dozen cooking apples. Empty a gill, a liberal quantity of fruit syrup (for preference pineapple) into a thickly buttered bag. Add the apples, seal bag, place on broiler and simmer gently until cooked, but take care that they do not get broken. Line a paper soufflé-case with puff paste, place carefully in a well greased bag, put the apples in the end and twist long strips of citron and angelica round them. Place four ounces of butter in a clean basin, sift in eight ounces of sugar and whip to a cream. Then add the well beaten yolk of four eggs and season to taste with grated nutmeg. Place on the fire and stir gently until very hot, then add the whites of the eggs, whipped to a stiff froth. Stir these in lightly, then pour over the apples, place in the bag, put it in the oven without loss of time and bake to a golden hue. Dust thickly with powdered sugar and serve either hot or cold. Plenty of citron or angelica must be used to give the idea of a nest.

Apple Dumplings: Make it the usual way. Cook in the paper bag. Allow twenty minutes in a hot oven. Scone: Any kind of scone or breakfast rolls should be placed in a large loose greased paper bag in hot oven. Allow ten to fifteen minutes according to size.

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REIGN OF MANCHUS ENDS

Child Emperor of China Has Abdicated His Throne.

Pekin, Feb. 13.—After occupying the throne of China for nearly three centuries, the Manchu dynasty, represented by the child emperor, Pu Yi, abdicated yesterday. Three edicts were issued, the first proclaiming abdication; the second dealing with the establishment of the republic, and the third urging the maintenance of peace and approving the conditions agreed upon by the imperial premier, Yuan Shi Kai and the Republicans.

The abdication of the Chinese throne by Pu Yi, the child emperor, brings to an end the powerful dynasty which has reigned in China since 1644.

The boy ruler has been on the throne since 1908, when the emperor Kwang-Su, his uncle, died. His father, Prince Chun, was appointed regent and was the chief figure in China for three years.

Sun Yat Sen An American Citizen. Washington, Feb. 13.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen, first president of the Chinese republic, is a naturalized American. The department of commerce and labor so held in 1904 on the ground that Dr. Sun, who had been born in the Hawaiian islands, had been endowed with American citizenship by the act of 1903 which provided that government for Hawaii and declared all citizens of the territory to be citizens of the United States.

GIRL STUDIES FARMING. Missouri Miss Will Learn How to Profitably Manage Tract. Columbia, Mo., Feb. 13.—Miss Pearl Chandler, twenty years old, the daughter of a wealthy farmer of Boone county, yesterday took up her studies at the University of Missouri College of Agriculture here to learn how to manage her 150-acre farm and make it a paying proposition. She is the first young woman to enroll in the farm management class at the university.

"I am going to feed cattle," said Miss Chandler, "and when I make my first shipment to St. Louis I am going to ride there on horseback to see them sold at the market." Crop production and stock raising are being given special attention by the young woman and next summer she will take the full management of her farm.

ROBBERS' SHOTS GO ASTRAY

Man With Butter and Eggs Escapes Hold-Up Man. Pottstown, Pa., Feb. 13.—Morris Harring of Boyertown had a thrilling experience with a hold-up man while returning home with his selfish load of butter and poultry that he had purchased from farmers.

Stepping from a lonely place in the road near Woodchopptown, the highwayman, who wore a mask, commanded, "Hands up." Harring disobeyed and, whipping his horse into a dead run, escaped. The would-be robber, who had a big revolver, fired a fusillade of bullets after him, but all missed the mark.

DIPHTHERIA BLAMED ON CAT

La Crosse Health Board Reaches Conclusion Regarding Three Cases. La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 13.—Three cases of diphtheria in the family of Herbert James are officially pronounced by the La Crosse Health Department to be due to a cat. The family had recently acquired a Maltese cat from a family in which there had just been a recovery from the disease. The health department declares that cats furnish one of the most serious means in quarantining, and advises the destruction of pet pussies in homes where cases of contagion occur.

STARVING PHEASANTS FED

Orchardists Buy Grain for Mongolian Fowls, Which Eat in Yard. Hood River, Ore., Feb. 13.—But for the endeavors of valley orchardists, the large number of China pheasants here would have perished from starvation because of the recent heavy snow. The snowfall covering the ground for a period of three weeks has driven the handsome birds into barnyards, where they have been feeding with the chickens.

A subscription was taken in the Odell region, headed by Mark Cameron, and grain bought for the birds in the more thinly settled communities. Shortage of pure-bred cattle is going to be serious if present indications are.

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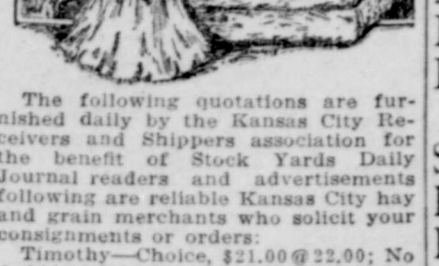
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SWEET POTATO RAISING

A FAIR YIELD MAY BE EXPECTED ON ANY FARM LAND.

By Dr. J. C. Whitten, Professor of Horticulture, University of Missouri.

While the sweet potato reaches its best yields toward the South, still it may be expected to give profitable crops in Missouri. A fair yield may be expected on almost any farm land.

Some of our richer bottom lands are not so well suited to its profitable development as are the uplands of moderate fertility.

The plants make excessive vine growth, and the potatoes are less desirable in quality on the richest heaviest soils.

A loose light soil tending toward sandiness is preferable. At least a fair yield may be had, however, on almost any well drained land that will grow an ordinary corn crop.

Among the varieties most usually planted are the Nansemond, Jersey, Cuban Queen, and Vineland.

Sweet potatoes are propagated by means of sprouts or draws produced in hotbeds from sweet potato tubers. The hotbed should be made in early spring, and the sweet potatoes imbedded, lying close together in a layer, and covered with two or three inches of soil.

As soon as the sprouts are well up, they may be broken off close to the sweet potato, each containing a few roots near the base, and planted out.

If desirable, these draws may be made into cuttings, and a larger number of plants thus secured.

The cuttings are made long enough to contain three buds; one bud should be at the base of each cutting, and two above.

These cuttings may be rooted by inserting them an inch apart in rows 5 or 6 inches apart. They may be set in sand, in the outside soil, or in the hotbed. Cuttings should be set deep enough so that the upper bud will be above the soil. Roots will quickly be produced below, especially in the vicinity of the buds below ground.

The ground should be plowed to a good depth and thoroughly pulverized by harrowing and dragging. The aim should be to give level culture. If possible the time for setting out the plants should be when the soil is fairly moist, but not wet enough to be sticky.

Plants should be set two feet apart in rows four feet apart. Many growers set by turning the furrow with the turning plow; dropping the plants in the furrow and covering with the loose soil which was turned out. Other growers simply mark the rows with a marker and set the plants with a spade.

The spade may be inserted in the soil and pushed forward, leaving the space for the plant and its roots behind the spade. The second person inserts the plants behind the spade to a good depth, and when the spade is withdrawn, the soil is pressed firmly back against the plant with the foot.

Frequent and thorough cultivation should be given. On very wet land, it may be desirable to grow the plants in ridges. Level cultivation, however, is preferable on most soils.

Cultivation may continue until the vines cover the ground. In the later cultivations, growing vines will be dragged lengthwise of the rows. A little later they will branch laterally and will cover all the space between the rows and keep down weeds.

The question is frequently asked whether it is best to pinch off the ends of the vines to induce tuber formation. With the same question in mind, some growers advise cutting the vines around the hills so they will make length growth less rapidly. These methods of checking length growth probably do not pay under average conditions.

It is usually best to allow the plants to make their own natural growth. The potatoes should be dug just before frost. If a frost accidentally catches the vines, digging should be done as soon as possible.

CLAIMS OLE BULL'S ISLAND

Estate Was Bequeathed to a Swiss Child by the Famous Violinist's Daughter.

Ralph S. Bartlett, who was counsel for Mrs. Olea Bull Vaughan, only child of the late Ole Bull, the famous violinist, successfully contested the will of Mrs. Bull in the probate court of York county, Maine, last summer, recently left on board the steamship Franconia for Liverpool on his way to file Mrs. Vaughan's will at Bergen, Norway, the New York Herald's Boston correspondent says.

Mr. Bartlett is executor of the will of Mrs. Vaughan, and he and Miss Amelia Shapleigh of West Lebanon, Me., are co-trustees for Sylvia Vaughan, the adopted daughter of Mrs. Vaughan and the principal beneficiary under Mrs. Vaughan's will.

The reason that the will of Mrs. Vaughan is to be offered for record in Bergen is that the only foreign real estate which she possessed is the island of Lysoen, near Bergen. Ole Bull owned this island, which is said to be one of the most beautiful in the world. It is in a fjord about twenty-two miles from Bergen, and consists of about seven hundred acres of land, largely forest.

Ole Bull in his lifetime developed two fresh water lakes and a cave and laid out twenty miles of paths on the island.

Lysoen was left by Mrs. Vaughan to the little Swiss girl, Sylvia, whom she adopted a couple of years ago, but on Sylvia's death Lysoen is to be preserved by the Norwegian government as a memorial to Ole Bull.

The exact procedure which will be followed in Norway with respect to the case is a matter of uncertainty, because under the Norwegian law no foreigner can own real estate in that country without the written consent of the king.

WHEN LANDIS WAS NAMED

Brother of Judge Tells How He Came to Be Called Kenesaw Mountain.

"The most memorable Christmas I ever spent was during the war," said former Representative Landis of Indiana at the Willard. "My father had returned from the war on leave of absence to find another son. He had taken part in the fight at Kenesaw Mountain, and when he found his heir awaiting him he suggested the name Kenesaw Mountain. That is how my brother, who has become more or less noted as a judge, came to be named."

"But it was not that incident that made my Christmas so memorable. Kenesaw was a baby. I had other brothers. We were living a few miles from a small town in Indiana, and my father had only a few days' leave. He was compelled to rejoin his regiment before Christmas, if I remember correctly.

"I shall never forget the day before that Christmas. My father and mother were much excited. When mother came back with a bundle we were more excited. It turned out that father had purchased us some gifts. Mine was a candy camel. The other boys had similar gifts. I had great appreciation of that camel. I placed him affectionally on the 'what-not' of the best room, and took many pilgrimages to have a look at him. Of course, I caressed him, and now and then I would take a loving lick. For several days following Christmas my camel remained there, but one day I could not resist the temptation, and, turning carnivorous, I devoured my animal. I do not know what the other boys did with their animals, but I suppose they went the same way that mine did."—Washington Post.

Helne and London.

Helne did not like London, but the London county council likes Helne, for the passer-by is now reminded by the usual encaustic tile that the poet once lived in Craven street, Strand. As he looked out of his lodging Helne exclaimed, "Send a philosopher to London, but no poet. This downright earnestness of all things; this colossal uniformity, this machine-like movement, this moroseness even in pleasure, this exaggerated London smother the imagination and rends the heart." But if Helne did not love London he found something within easy reach to warm the imagination and fire the heart—the chalk cliffs of Ramsgate in mid-June, with a beautiful Irish girl to assist in the process.

A New Kind of Exercise.

It is a morning exercise invented by a Parisian actress, who takes the newspaper and tears it up. The fragments are thrown upon the floor in a thousand pieces. Then she gets up and collects those pieces, and the point is that not a fragment is lost. For this is the new way of gardening—the stooping cure that is recommended by every doctor. You can do it in your home, and do not require a garden. It is only to buy the morning paper, tear it into fragments, chuck them on the floor, and pick them up. Quite as good as gardening.

Aerial Postal Service in Italy. Italy is the latest country to try an aerial postal service. The Italian aeronaut Dal Mistro recently carried a sack of mail between the Bologna and Venice postoffices in a Duperdussin monoplane, covering the distance of 101 miles in one hour and twenty-eight minutes.

PROFIT IN CELERY GROWING

SHOULD BE STARTED IN SEED BED AND TRANSPLANTED.

By Dr. J. C. Whitten, Professor of Horticulture, University of Missouri.

Celery is profitably grown only on a very rich soil. A deep rich mellow loam is best. Almost any good farm land will produce good celery if heavily manured. If land is thin or sterile to begin with, a season or two of preparation will be required to get it into shape for celery growing.

This preparation consists of deep plowing, and even subsoiling where necessary, together with abundant manuring. If fresh manure is used, it should be plowed in to allow it to become thoroughly incorporated with the soil. If old well rotted manure is available, it may be applied annually.

Celery should be started in a seed bed and twice transplanted. The seed should be sown in February for a very early crop or in March for a winter crop.

The best early varieties are the White Plume and Self Blanching. Good winter varieties are Golden Heart and Giant Pascal. The seeds are slow to germinate. They should be started in a prepared soil in a hotbed or forcing house. They are tiny seeds, and should not be sown deep. It is perhaps best to sow them on top of the prepared soil and cover them with a quarter of an inch of sand. When the young plants are well up and putting out the third leaf, they should be transplanted in a prepared bed or cold frame, four inches apart each way. At this transplanting they may be set deep enough so that the seed leaves will come just above the surface of the ground. Here they should be watered as necessary and all weeds kept down until they are ready to go into the field.

In order to keep them short and stocky, it is best to clip the leaves back every few weeks.

For an early crop, celery should be transplanted to the field in late June or July. For winter use it may be put into the field in August.

The most economical arrangement in planting a field is to plant three or five rows in a strip, the rows being seven inches apart, and the plants seven inches apart in the rows. Then a vacant space of at least eight feet should be reserved and another three to five rows of the plants set. The open eight feet of ground between the belts of celery rows is for the purpose of getting sufficient soil for blanching it later on. Transplanting will be more successful if done in cloudy weather, and especially just before a rain. When the leaves of the plants are six inches long, they will be large enough for the earthing up and blanching to begin. The leaves of the plant should be gathered upright into a straight bundle. Soil should be gathered around and in between the plants until the leaves are covered within a few inches of their tips. Only the upper ends of the leaves should be left exposed to the sun above the ridged soil. Care should be taken not to get the soil into the heart of the celery, as it may rot it. As the leaves increase in length a few inches, additional soil should be again banked around them.

This repeated earthing up should be performed until growth ceases upon the approach of cold weather. Whenever earth is banked up around the celery, care should be taken to leave it in such form that it will shed water. If the embankment is left low in the middle, rains may get down into the hearts of the plants and cause them to rot.

In order that the celery may stand as late as possible for winter, the tops of the leaves should be covered with straw in cool times to prevent injury from frost. There are several ways to keep the celery from freezing for winter use. One is to leave plants in the soil embankment where they grew, mulching the tops with sufficient soil and straw to protect them from frost. Another way is to pack the celery plants into boxes and keep them in a cool cellar. Two or three inches of soil should be placed in the bottom of the boxes. The plants may then be dug up with their root systems intact, and their roots set in the soil in the bottoms of the boxes, so the plants will stand upright and close together, filling the boxes.

If large quantities are to be stored, the plants may be set in three inches of soil directly on the cellar bottom. Another successful way is to set the celery in a small celery house provided for the purpose. A good celery house may be made as follows: Make a roof-like structure five feet wide on the ground with A shaped double rafters coming together four feet above the ground at the center. This may be boarded up on the outside forming a roof or protection. Each upper board should have its lower edge overlap the upper edge of the board below it. This forms a tight roof over the celery which will protect it from the rains. The soil may then be prepared beneath this celery house and the plants set in close together as described above for setting in boxes or on the cellar bottom. The plants may be further protected from the cold by covering the house with straw, strawy manure, or earth.

Ventilation should be left at either end of the house until severe cold makes it necessary to close it up entirely. Plants may be taken out of such a house at any time, as needed for the table or for market.

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