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# Correspondence.

Rotation of Crops-Grasses.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-The time has come when the farmers of the eastern counties will have to adopt some system of rotation in which the tame grasses will have to be recognized. The outside range is all fenced, and the natural grasses are nearly all destroyed. The grass question forces itself on the minds of nearly all thinking farmers. Millet makes an excellent hay, but it is conceded that it will not do for pasture; besides the annual expense of plowing and sowing will exclude it from the pasture grasses. Stock of all kinds in thrifty condition, and it does seem as though it was to the interest of farmers to aim to keep all young stock growing during the entire twelve months, rather than to see how little they can feed during the winter months and keep them alive, in which case it requires a of seasons back, owing to the scarcity and high good portion of spring and summer to regain what was lost. The question is not how little has been good during the present fall. Mechangrain can we get along with, but how much can be profitably fed. BROWN.

Hiawatha, Brown Co., Dec. 1.

## Odessa Wheat.-Butter and Grease.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER: -Some farmers are talking of sowing grass wheat, saying that it is just as well to sow just before the ground freezes, as early in the spring, and a little better. I would like to hear from those that have experience in the matter. Very little, if any, fall grass or Odessa wheat has been sown, as it quite generally failed to go through the winter last year. I think it has had its day, and we had a snow storm some two weeks ago, yet the must try some other variety to obtain success, The May varieties are the favorites now. The rush for corn has subsided a little, and prices have dropped about 10 cts per bushel. There time last year was larger in the top, but it was is more corn over in Nebraska and the counties not as well rooted. Our earliest wheat last east of us than was generally supposed, and the year, and that which had made the largest dollar a bushel for those who have it to sell does not appear so glittering as it did some time ago.

Our Farmers' Alliance is in a flourishing condition, and meets every Saturday night. At our last meeting we had some very useful hints from a couple of gentlemen visitors, and one week later the creamery question. We think we shall have a creamery in the spring. D. S. A.

Kirwin, Phillips Co., Nov. 28.

# Butter-Making in Kansas.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER: -Some years ago I commenced dairying, making butter, and followed the business for three years with varying success. I built a stone milk house with heavy walls and arranged with special reference to keeping an even temperature for the milk. During moderately cool and cold weather we were reasonably successful and the result of our work quite satisfactory; but during the heats of summer, and especially when high winds blew, we could not make good butter, and but little of it. We shipped the product of our dairy to Colorado and found that market more remunerative than the home market. But owing to the unsatisfactory results of our work in hot weather we quit the business.

Noticing in the FARMER the advertisement of T. H. Lyman, of Topeka, of the Cooley Creamer, and having seen flattering notices of the Cooley system in the agricultural press, we concluded to try it. We procured a creamer in September, have used it constantly to the present time, and are enthusiastic over the results. ters in your columns-from Barbour, Sumner, With this system we find we are entirely independent of the baleful influence of the hot state, and perhaps somebody would like to hear Mental Sience. winds, and the product of our dairy is uniform and the work of skimming and handling the milk is quite insignificant compared with the not the best, but may be called good; and we

are able to. Dairying, in my opinion, pays in good condition to go through the winter. better than grain farming; it affords more certhe tame grasses, the growing of which necessitates to some extent that rotation of crops which is the very foundation of the continuous fertility of the farm. EDWIN SNYRER. Oskaloosa, Jefferson Co., Nov. 29.

### Miami County.-Paola.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-The amount of wheat sown the past fall was small here, but that that was sown looks well. There seems to be but a very little old wheat on hand. Good many of the farmers are buying corn. It is of buyers on hand for it. The stock shippers are paying \$5.25 per hundred for good fat hogs. They ship altogether now to Kansas City. There are not many stall feeding cattle here this winter, perhaps fewer than for a number price of corn. General business at this place ics of all kinds have had constant employment all summer and fall at good living prices. Our town has improved a good deal in the last two years. We have ten grocery stores, five dry goods stores, two clothing stores, two boot and shoe stores, four drug stores, two hardware stores, and four restaurants.

Dr. J. H. OYSTER. Paola, Dec. 2.

# Early and Late Wheat Sowing.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER :- We have had thus far a very pleasant fall. Although we snow was a capital thing for our wheat. Our wheat is now in excellent condition, better, I think, than for some years. Our wheat at this growth in the fall, was in the worst condition in the spring. Much of it was plowed up while that sown later, from the 10th to the 20th of September, was fair wheat. Wheat sown quite late was, as a rule, killed. I can very easily account for the late sown wheat on the butter question. One of them had been being a failure, on the principle of insufficient rooting, but why our early sown wheat, that is, a country merchant in Iowa and had shipped sown the last week in August, should be in a as high as a ton of butter a week to Chicago condition so much worse than that sown in ed by two large boilers situated in a stone enand Milwaukee. He said he found he was September, I confess is an unsolved mystery to gine and coal house in the rear of the main losing money, as the butter he obtained from me yet. The wheat had made a large growth building. This renders the new building sethe farmers, though looking nicely, would be in the fall, covering the ground entirely, and marked "grease" and sold for 6 cts a pound. looked healthy; but in the spring it was nearly After ascertaining what the trouble was, he all dead. Alfred Gray once asked me if I ever bought a butter worker, obtained some Ashton knew wheat to be sown too early. After thinksalt (English), then had his patrons bring their ing, I replied that I believed I never did, but butter in fresh; he worked and satted accord- if that question was asked me now I would aning to scientific principles and soon brought swer in the affirmative. Where there is no his sales up to 22 to 25 cts per pound. We Hessian fly the only objection to very early discuss the corn question next Saturday eve, sowing I ever heard of was, the fear the wheat would joint in the fall. Mr. Gray's idea was and closes June 15th, '82. that it would not joint in the fall, no matter how early sown. But in the case now before us the wheat was a failure, because it was sown too early, not because it jointed, but because of some reason which I would be glad if some one would give.

Some say it grew too much in the top, and not enough in the root. They say this year the wheat is rooting well but not growing large in the top, but why, I ask, did it not root as well as that sown later?

The only plausible reason I can think of is, that the chinch bugs may have drawn heavily on the life of the plant early, and thus weakened it to such a degree that it could not withstand the terrible cold of the winter.

We will have a mild winter and booming crops next year—that is, we hope so.

M. MOHER. Osborne, Osborne Co., Nov. 25.

# From Pratt-Insect Poisoning.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-Please excuse my long sileace. Your columns are so full of good things written by abler pens than mine, that I do not see how you can have room for me, anyhow. But then I love to read the letters in your columns—from Barbour, Summer,
Sedgwick—yes, from all the counties in the
Reviews & Outlines. from Pratt. Well, here it is.

We are getting along finely. Our crops are Pedagogies.

that we are going into the business again as excellent this year. Our county has more fast as we can, and on as large a scale as we wheat sown here this year than last, and it is

Stock of all kinds are doing well, and we tainty of uniform results; enriches instead of have an abundance in the shape of feed. Our impoverishing the farm, as it almost compels stock men are fixing up to protect their anithe farmer to depend in a great measure upon mals from storms; so that I think poor stock will be a rarity next spring. Good care, good shelter and good feed pay the stock man handsomely for his trouble. Early in the fall we lost some stock with black leg (so called). Now, I would like to know what causes the disease. Some say too much fat; but the reverse is true with mime. My lattest and best calves were not affected. Some say drinking drank at the same pond, and those drinking the most water escaped. These things puzzle me. Could it be possible that, in grazing, they worth sixty five cents per bu. Whenever a mischief? The idea of insect poisoning was examination in the academic branches, and to enter suggested to my mind this fall while my cattle were dying. Purslane, or pursley (so called), grew very thick in some parts of my field, and they were very fond of it. In pulling the stuff up, I found it covered with millions of insects. Let's have an investigation.

D. G. BENTON. Carmi, Pratt Co., Nov. 28.



STATE NORMAL SOHOOL.

#### The State Normal School Located at Emporia, Kansas-What it is Now Doing.

BUILDINGS.

The school occupied the new and substantial building represented in the cut, May 11th, 1880. Before the completion of the new building, and after the burning of the old one in the fall of '78, the school occupied the old boarding halls owned by the city of Emporia.

The new building is heated by steam furnishcure from accidental burning by the spontaneous combustion of coal. The building is well supplied with water from the city water works, and the gas pipes, with wise forethought placed throughout the building, will soon be connected with the city gas works.

TERMS.

The school year is divided into two terms of 20 weeks each. The 2nd term begins Jan. 31st,

DEPARTMENTS.

From the fact that so many students seek admittance who are not prepared to do the work in the Normal Department, the establishment of a Preparatory and Model Department was found a necessity. This department is divided into eight grades beginning at the first principles of reading, etc., and including all that is usually denominated the "common branches." Students in this department range from 5 to 25 years of age.

COURSE OF STUDY IN THE NORMAL DEPARTMENT. 1ST

1st Term. 2d Term. Penmanship & B'k-keeping. Arithmetic. Elocution. U. S. Eistory & Cons't. Grammar & Composition. Gram, & Composition. Drawing & Music. Geography,

Algebra. Etymology or Latin Drawing & Music.

1st Term.

Physics & Physiology Rhetoric or Latin. Drawing & Music. 3D YEAR. 2d Term Geology & Zoology.

Eng. Literature

Polit. Econ. or Latin

2d Term. Algebra & Geem.

Geometry, Chemisiry or Latin. Gen'l History. PROFESSIONAL YEAR. 1st Term.

2d Term. 'ieaching' Reviews & Outlines Prin's of Teaching. Econ. & Managem't Hist. of Education.

GENERAL EXERCISES. old system. My wife is so well pleased with it are getting good prices, which makes our crops Gymnastics 15 minutes each day for two years. Declamation weekly during 1st year, " 2d " " 3d " ..

ED ABOVE. COMMON-SCHOOL COURSE.-This course consists of the first year of the course, and the professional year, with Algebra and Physics and Physiology substituted for Pedagogies and History of Education in the pro-

XPLANATION OF THE COURSES OF STUDY, AS TABULAT-

fessional year.

ELEMENTARY ENGLISH COURSE,—This course con sists of the first two years of the course and the professional year.

ADVANCED ENGLISH COURSE, -- This course consists of all the work of the four years; also special drill in grading and superintending schools.

ADVANCED ENGLISH AND LATIN COURSE.—This curse is the same as the Advanced English, with bad water poisons the blood, but mine all drank at the same pond, and those drinking a translation of the above courses, appliants must pass a final examination in each subject with a standing of 80 per cent, and must teach in the Preparatory and Model school at least twenty weeks.

> the professional year at once. 13. No one will be permitted to enter the profes sional year who has not completed the academic work of one of the courses, either in this school or by examination, or by transfer from the State University or the Agricultural college.

Students who present certificates of honorable dis-missal from the State University or the State Agricultural College will be credited with such class standing as is 80 per cent. or above, without examin-

DIPLOMAS -Any student completing either course in this institution under the above described conditions will be granted a diploma, which, by law, is life certificate to teach.

ATTENDANCE.

When the new faculty, with R. B. Welch as year 366 students were enrolled, representing 37 counties in Kansas, and 7 different states. At the present time 300 students are in attendance, with new students coming nearly every enrolled during the present year.

OBJECTS AND AIMS OF THE INSTITUTION. The State Normal school does not profess to be a college or a university, but it does rlaim to do solid, thorough work as far as it goes. It proceeds upon the assumption that to attain to anything like thorough culture, students must be masters of the principles and skillful in the application of the so called common branches, that a teacher is not worthy the name who has not attained proficiency in the rudiments of knowledge,

It would make this article too long to give the methods of teaching taught and practiced in this institution, but I will venture an outline of the work done during the professional year.

which time the students become acquainted with the various kinds of mental activity and the known laws by which they are developed. They are required to make a complete outline of the subject from an analysis of their own consciousness. After mental science is thus studied, ten weeks are given to formulating the principles of teaching, based wholly upon the mind growth observed in the model school. Ten weeks are then given to school economy and management. Rosenkranz' Science of Pedagogics is studied twenty weeks and an outline of the nature, forms and limits of education and educational methods is then made by each student, latitude being given for original remarks and discussion.

HISTORY OF EDUCATION Twenty weeks is given to the study of the follow

(1) Bacon, (2) Milton, (8) Locke. (4) Rousseau, (5)

Practical Educator

(1) The Jesuits, (2) Aschara, (3) Sturm, (4) Mann. Froebel, (6) Pestalozzi, (7) Willard. National Systems.

1. United States: (a) City Systems. (b) State Sys tems. (c) What is the present relation of the National Government to education? Should there be a national system of education and a secretary of edu-

2. China, England, Germany.

Practical Educational Topics.

(1) Illiteracy in the United States. (2) Relative rights of the state and individual in regard to educa-tion. (3) The high-school question. (4) Compulsory education. (5) Moral instruction in schools. dustrial education. (7) The Normal school problem, (8) Coeducation. (9) The Kindergarten. (10) Oral instruction vs. Text-books. (11) Relation of Psychology to Pedagogy. (12) Gradation of schools. (13) Superintending schools. (14) Waste labor in schools. (15) The use and abuse of object lessons. (16) Tenure of office of teachers, (17) The salary of teachers.

Students are required to teach one class per day in the model school during the year under the constant supervision of the principal of the department. In this way old errors are climinated from "experienced teachers," and new

teachers are saved the annoyance of unlearning many of the bad habits formed in their first schools.

The work done by the class in outlining is of three kinds:

1st A logical outline of the common branches exhibiting the true relations of the parts.

2 A running outline of the common branches or such an adaptation of the subject matter as mind must have to acquire new truth,

3 A working outline, or the preparation of assigned lessons for class work."

That this necessitates a thorough review of the common branches is evident.

EXPENSES

No tuition or incidental fee is charged to students in the professional year. An incidental fee of 25 cts per week is charged to all other students. Good board is had at \$3 to \$4 per week, everything furnished. Most of the students board themselves at half this amount,

FACULTY.

The faculty of nine instructors are gentlemen and ladies of rare scholarship and enthusiastic teaching power. We believe no institution in the west offers better facilities to those seeking to become good teachers.

SUPPORT.

The institution has received no aid from the state for the payment of teachers or for the purchase of apparatus, library, etc, since the year 1875. The school is supported wholly by the interest accruing from the sale of salt lands granted by the state in '64. This income is not sufficient to the growing interests of the school, President, took charge of the institution in and it is hoped that the next legislature will Sept., '79, only 90 students were enrolled the better provide for the education of her teachyear before. At the end of the first year 199 ers. The state annually expends large sums of students were enrolled; at the end of the second money for the support of the common public schools. The one object of the normal school is to furnish trained teachers for the public schools of the state. The utility of normal schools to the great common school system is day. It is expected that 500 students will be no longer an open question and the sooner the state places her normal school in the best possible condition to do its work, the sooner the state will reap the reward of having a well disciplined, efficient corps of teachers in charge of her children, one of the dearest interests of any people.

It is urged, with some reason, that the counties where the state schools are situated derive the greatest benefit from the institutions, and hence they are to a large extent, local affairs.

This is remedied in the state of New York by a law which allows only a certain number from each county to attend free, all others have to pay tuition. The few from each county who attend any state institution have their ex. penses to and from the school paid. This Mental Science is taught for 20 weeks, in brings the University, Agricultural College, and the various Normal schools of that great state to the very door of every farmer.

Conditions of admission to the State Normal School at Emporia:

1. To enter the Preparatory and Model Dept. a certificate as to character is all that is required. The examination determines the grade. To enter the Normal Dept. a standing principles of mental science and the facts of of 80 per cent. in the common branches is required.

To enter the Normal Dapt, females must be fifteen and males sixteen years of age. To enter any advanced year, there must be a corresponding advance in age. Each applicant must present a certificate of

good moral character from the county superintendent, or from some responsible person to whom the candidate is well known.

No student will be enrolled as a member of the school until all dues are paid.

Candidates for admission to the Normal Dept. are required to subscribe to the following declaration:

"I hereby solemnly deciate, that my chief purpose in attending the Normal School is to fit myself for teaching in the schools of Kansas and that I will carry out this pledge in good faith; and I do further pledge to report to the President of the State Normal School, semi-annually, where I am and what I am doing, for three years after graduating at said institution.'

For catalogues, etc., address, inclosing stamp R B. Welch, President, Emporia, Kansas.

Mortality among brakemen on railroads is so great that they find it difficult to get their lives insured. An exchange says that it is estimated that there are at least ten brakemen killed throughout the country every day while coupling cars and making up trains, or are knocked from the top of the cars by bridges, or slip, or fall, or are injured or killed in collisions. And there are probably three times as many injured as are killed, of whom the public get no account.

# farm Zetters.

#### Corn, Wheat and Sauer Kraut.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER :- We are satisfied with the weather. Corn is nearly all out; the crop will average from one-third to one-half throughout the county. A number of farmers on the Little Blue Bottoms tell me that they have as good corn as last year. Wheat averaged about 10 bushels to the acre; oats from 25 to 50 bushels; potatoes few and small. The acreage of wheat sown this fall is about the per cent, above last year.

Cattle and sheep are looking well. Sheep are getting to be numerous in this vicinity. Hogs are being sold as soon as fit for market. A small number will be wintered. Hogs are worth 5c: corp. 48c.

Your correspondent, M. M. Maxwell, is no "Dutchman," or he would spell spoiled cabbage quite differently. We have a county organization in this county for the purpose of enforcing the liquor law. Nearly \$1000 stock has been taken. It will do good.

Barnes, Washington Co., Nov. 28.

### Potatoes, Mineral Springs, Etc.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-The weather for the past few days has been very delightful. Winter wheat and rye are in better condition than for many years at this season. Our pota- in ten had any. Some perhaps have enough to to crop which, during the latter part of August | last them-worth 60@75c, and scarce at that. and the first part of September was thought to Hogs are put on the market very light. Horses be a failure, was stimulated by the fall rains are very thin for the time of year. Cattle look and the weather, so that we will have enough very well. Horses are having the pink-eye, for use, but none for export. The price now is about \$1.25 per bushel. Late Peachblows look

The usual acreage of fall wheat has been sown. Some cases of pinkeye have been reported, two or three terminating fatally. Diphtheria has been prevalent to an alarming extent among children, several cases proving fatal.

A mineral spring has lately been discovered upon the land of Mr. Pryor Plank, about five miles northeast of this city, which has been analyzed by a Chicago chemist, the analysis as that of the famous Eureka Springs of Ar-

Best wishes for the success of the Kansas WESLY TREVETT. FARMER. Highland, Doniphan Co., Nov. 28.

### How is the Salt Applied?

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-In looking over the Third Quarterly Report of the State Board of Agriculture, I find in John M. Griffin's letter from Olathe that he sows salt on his wheat in the spring to kill "chinch bugs and Hessian flies," and that it increases the yield from "five to ten bushels per acre." I have observed that on some farms chinch bugs never give any trouble. It may be that the soil supplies certain elements that do not suit their taste.

When gypsum was first brought into use in Michigan, we used to plaster our corn which gave very satisfactory results. It may be that plaster would have the same effect on the chinch bugs. I decided at once to try the experiment next year of putting salt on corn, but when to apply it is a point to decide. During the last two seasons, my corn has been damaged by the second crop of bugs that have been reared after the first ones made their flight Perhaps Mr. Griffen may give some ideas in regard to the application of salt to the cornhow much and when it should be applied.

D. W. KINGSLEY. Independence, Montgomery Co., Nov. 25.

# Fall Plowing-King Philip Corn.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-Thanksgiving has come and gone again with its usual amoun of good things, and the everlasting turkey car roost on the lower branches once more. A severe storm of sleet and snow visited us during the past week as a sharp reminder of winter's approach.

A scarcity of feed of all kinds is necessitating a closer economy in the care of stock than is usual with the average Kansas farmer. But little corn is being fed to stockers, and the allowance will be very short for teams before another crop is grown. Good warm sheds for our cattle and more of them, with a good allowance of dry bedding, will give a better return for the outlay than money at interest, especially during scarcity and high prices.

Farmers are waking up to the many advantages of fall plowing, not only for small grain, but for corn as well. It is better than the cultivator for killing weeds, better than the harrow for pulverizing the soil, and much better than being behind with corn planting in the spring. I believe that by thorough and deep fall plowing, turning under all the trash, and then burning all the old grass, weeds and rubbish adjoining, we can keep the "whiprow" on those little pests, the chinch bugs.

Corn is all secured, and the yield not more than half a crop, and of an inferior quality. It will require very close feeding to supply the home demand. It is now worth 65c, and steadily rising. Hogs are marketed very close, but few being kept over. The bulk of them sold for \$5.50@5.75. Stock cattle are low, with but little sale, and no doubt will remain so until grass comes.

Will some of your numerous readers tell me where I can get pure seed of King Philip corn, D. D. SPICER. and price? Geneva, Allen Co., Nov. 28.

# The Back Doors Open.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-We are now having beautiful weather. On Thanksgiving morning, the mercury stood at 9 degrees abov-

zero. Two weeks ago we had about six inches ly put seeds in the ground, even if they do not be made what it was intended, that is, a school of snow, but it did not last long. Wheat and start in the fall. They thus mature and flower rye are looking fine, and prospects are good for during the cool weather of spring. The Clarthe year to come. Winter pasture is excellent kias and Nemophilas and Annual Larkspurs and stock are doing well so far without hay. are noted examples. There are also sev-

just commenced operation with four run of with spring sowing that will bear autumn sowstone and all the modern improvements. It ing in the open ground, and reward us with cost twenty-five thousand dollars, and is one of early spring flowers. Sweet Alyssum and the finest mills in western Kansas.

temperance question. We have three saloons tumn, in this place. Suit was commenced against same as last year, and that of rye is about 20 them in the district court, but our County At- in the autumn with good success. Seeds of bithey would pay all costs and keep the front produce strong little plants, will flower the the way it is understood, and there has not though they bloom the first summer, if sown the street. There is not a very strong temperance element here. P. W. SMITH.

Hays City, Ellis Co.

### Up in Osborne.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER :- We have had but little rain since early in July. This fall there has been enough to keep small grain growing nicely. Wheat averaged about 11 bushels to the acre and sold early for \$1.10, but now for 75c@\$1. Corn was no crop. Not one but it is very mild.

Water is scarce, and has been so all the fall. Nearly every one has to haul for their stock.

Bull City, Osborne Co., Nov. 28.

# How it is in Woodson.

EDITOR KANSAS FARMER:-Hay badly damaged in stack; selling delivered at \$5 per ton. Cows and calves selling at low figures. Fat hogs, \$5.50 per cwt. Early potatoes yielded well. Late potatoes almost a failure-sellshowing it to be about the same, only stronger, ing at \$2 per bushel. About the average breadth of wheat sown, looking very well. Wheat is selling at \$1.25 per bushel; butter, 25c per pound. Owing to the rainy tall, most farmers are behind in their work. A sleet and slight snow fell on the night of the 24th of November. Crop of winter apples scarce and selling at \$2.

W. W. SMITH. Neosho Falls, Woodson Co., Nov. 27.

# Miscellaneous.

# Wool Growers' Meeting.

A meeting is hereby called at Larned, Kansas, on the 15.h of December, 1881, for the purpose of organizing a wool growers' association for the Arkansas valley of all counties on or near the Santa Fe from Newton west. All newspapers throughout the district are hereby requested to give notice of the time and place of this meeting. All interested in that branch of that it baked and could not be properly tilled business are hereby requested to attend. The following named gentlemen interested in sheep husbandry, it is understood, unite heartily in this call:

Name.	No. Herd.	P. O.
J E Wood	1500	Larned.
A B Legard	6000	Larned.
Truesdale & Co	5500	Larned.
G H Wadsworth	10000	Larned.
C N Dunaway	1400	Larned.
S D Fitzgerald	1000	Ben Wade
E W Andrews	2200	Larned.
John McMillan	2500	- Inman.
J C Tousley	3000	Inman.
— Jones	1000	Inman.
D Y Sabin & Co	1000	Brown's Grove.
Silas Wright	1200	Brown's Grove.
Jacob Guth	1000	Brown's Grove.
H H Smith	400	Larned.
C H Warner & Son	1300	Larned.
Will McDougal	3020	Point View.
Andrew Henry & Co	1000	Point View.
— Dunn	800	Point View.
Blakesley	300	Ray.
Taylor & Gould	2000	Larned.
Joshua Smith	2000	Green Ridge.
Rinald Smith	1000	Green Ridge.
Wm M Gardner	300	Garfield.
Pierce	400	Larned.
H F Miller	500	Garfield.
E B Strang	500	Garfield.
8 Hollingsworth	1000	Garfield.
Carter & Lewis	500	Larned.
Huddleston & Co	3100	Larned.
Wm Crosby	1000	Larned.
S K VanVorhis	1000	Larned.
Joseph Parker	600	Larned.
J Meilhaney	1000	Larned:
W J Colvin & Son	1000	Larned.
Jockson & Sage	5000	Larned.
Lowrey & Booth	1200	Larned.
J J Rider	1500	Larned.
D LaRugg	900	Larned.
G T Berry	500	Larned.
G T Buskirk	1500	Larned
S E Brown	1000	Larned
G G Robins	5000	Larned
		10.000
Kansas Wool Growing Co	2080	Prattsburg Our Carter
J S Chandler	2000	
Robert McCanse	1200	Kinsley
E M Parlin	800	Larned Ben Wade
Longworth & Des Brisay	-	This could be seen a
Frank Martin	800	Inman

## -Larned Chronoscope. Seeds Best Sown in the Autumn.

Most people have observed, no doubt, that self-sown seeds, that is, seeds that have dropped from the growing plants of the previous season sometimes produce the strongest and most healthy plants that bloom the most freely. This is true of several kinds, and particularly those that suffer under exposure of our midrummer suns. The reason is that self-sown seeds get a very healthy growth in the spring. vegetating as soon as frosts are gone, and are good sized plants by the time we usual

Our new mill, the San Francisco Mills, have eral varieties of hardy annuals that do well White Candytuft will give us abundance of I am glad to see the stand you take on the white for early cutting, if sown in the au-

In a sandy soil the Portulaca may be sown torney discontinued the suits on condition that ennials and perennials, if sown early enough to doors closed for a time. At any rate, that is next summer. Pansies and Chinese Pinks, been a day since the close of the trials but their in the spring, will make much stronger plants back doors have been open, and some days and flower more freely and earlier if young there have been a great many drunken men on plants are grown in the autumn,-Vick's Floral Guide.

# Killing and Dressing Poultry for Mar-

A correspondent writes as follows in the In diana Farmer:

"Almost every locality has its own system, but I may advert to a few facts on this subject. Poultry, when bled to death is much whiter in flesh. I should advise the following plan as the best, causing instant death without pain or disfigurement: open the beak of the fowl, then with a narrow and pointed knife make an incision at the back of the roof, which will divide the vertebre and cause immediate death; after which hang the fowl up by the legs till the bleeding ceases, then rinse the beak out with vinegar and water. Fowls killed in this manner keep longer and do not present the unsightly external marks as those killed by the ordinary system of wringing the neck. When the entrails are drawn immediately after death, and the fowl stuffed, as they do in France, with paper shavings or short cocoanut fibers to preserve their shape, they will keep much longer fresh. Some breeders cram their poultry before killing, to make them appear heavy. This is a most injudicious plan, as the undigested food soon enters into fermentation, and putrefaction takes place, as is evidenced by the quantity of greenish, putrid-looking fowls that are seen in the markets."

### Complaints of Seasons.

If we listen to the answers of farmers when asked as to the success of their labors, we shall be surprised to observe how much of their want of success is attributed to accidents, and how uniformly these accidents result from causes which thorough drainage would remove

The wheat crop of one would have been abundant if it had not been frozen out in the spring, while another has lost almost the whole of his by a season too wet for his land. A far mer in the west has planted his corn early and rains have rotted the seed in the ground, while another at the east has been delayed so long by these rains in planting that the season is too short. Another has worked his clayey farm so wet because he had no time to wait for it to dry And so their crops have wholly or partially failed because of too much cold water in the

soil. It would seem by the remarks of those who till the earth as if there never was a season just right, as if Providence had bidden us labor for bread, and yet sends down the rain of heaven so plentifully as to blight our harvests.

It is rarely that we do not have a remarkable season, with respect to moisture especially. It is always too wet or too dry. Our potatoes are rotted by summer showers, or cut off by summer drouth. We frequently hear that the season was too cold for corn, that the ears did not fill, or that the sharp drought following the spring rains (as it did this season), cut short the crop.

We hear no man say he lacked skill to cultihis loss to the poverty of his soil. He has favorable season he would have reaped a fair reward for his toils, but the season has been too wet or too dry; and with full faith that farming will pay in the long run, he resolves to plant the same land in the same manner, hoping in the future for better luck.

Too much cold water is at the bottom of most of these complaints of unpropitious seasons, as well as of most of our soils, and it is in our power to remove the cause of these and of our want of success.

"The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, But in ourselves.

We must underdrain all the land we cultivate that nature has not already underdrained, and we shall cease complaining of the seasons We shall seldom have a season, upon properly drained land, that is too wet or too dry, or too cold, for thorough drainage is almost as sure a remedy for a drought as for a flood .- French, in Farm and Drainage Journal.

# A Model School for the Times.

The Charlottesville Chronicle gives an interesting account of the Miller Manual Labor School in Albemarle county, which, did space permit, we would copy in full. It strikes us that such a school was in the mind of the man who drafted the bill giving the states a part of the public lands for establishing agricultural and mechanical colleges. Such an one would be a blessing to the state-but one that heretofore has been a rival and damaging competitor to the other institutions, both state and denominational, has neither accomplished the design of the author nor benefitted the bone and sinew of the state. We hope it will now is good stock feed.

for teaching agriculture and the mechanical arts, even if the smattering of academic instruction has to be entirely abolished.

"Every boy in the Miller School works in the shop, in the printing office, on the farm, or in the garden. They learn the best mode of feeding and caring for stock; the best modes of cultivating orchards, vineyards, gardens, and lawns; they learn how to plant a crop, and tend it and gather it, and all this they learn by having to do it themselves-not by watching others do it. "The building for the workshops for instruc

tion in skilled labor in wood and metal will soon be completed. In these it is intended to train the boys thoroughly as practical workmen under the eye of a skilled master, scientifically educated. This building is constructed on the most approved plan at a cost of from \$15,000 to \$20,000. The shops will be provided with a foundry, with forges, lathes, saws, planing-machines, &c. The machinery will be run by a first class Corliss engine. In the instruction to be given in these shops the effort will be to combine the Russian workshop system, as it prevails in the Massachusetts Technological Institute of Boston, with the method of the Washburn Machine Shops of the Worce ter Industrial Institute, in which saleable articles are wrought by the pupils. Each boy will begin with the schools of the hammer, the vise and the plane, and end his course with the manufacture of useful articles in wood and iron by the skilled use of machinery.

"The school has connected with it a farm of about six hundred acres, of which one hundred and twenty acres are of the best bottom lands on Mechum's river. Good crops of grain are annually produced. The work is done by boys, and they are shown how best to do it. A good fence has been built entirely around the farm, and the upland is being put into grass. Good buildings for the accommodation of stock, for the storing of grain, and for the protection of vehicles and farm implements, have been erect-The school is gradually being supplied with the very best improved stock. An orchard of more than 2,000 choice trees has been planted, which will soon be bearing fruit. In this orchard, to which additions will be frequently made, the boys will be trained in the best modes of pruning, grafting, budding and caring for fruit trees. A vineyard, containing a choice collection of vines, has been put out. To this we will add annually, and special care will be given to instruct the boys in the best modes of cultivating the different kinds of grapes, which have been found to be of such great value to this country. An excellent garden is worked exclusively by the boys, from which the tables are supplied with an abundance of vegetables."

# Young Men.

The most unfortunate day in the career of any young man is the day on which he fancies there is some better way to make money than to earn it; for from that feeling spring the many extravagant and visionary plans which are indulged in for the purpose of gaining a livelihood without labor. When a young man becomes thoroughly infected with this feeling, he is ready to adopt any means for the accomplishment of his objects, and if he is foiled in his efforts, upon the crest of the wave which he has already mounted, and in full view, is the tempt tion of crimes, to shield him from the disgrace which he thinks must inevitably follow in the wake of defeat. To these he yields and the first he realizes he finds himself the violator of the community, and the inmate of a prison, waiting trial, all brought about for the want of a manly firmness in the outset of life to prompt him to choose an avocation where the penny earned would bring with it its sure reward.

Recent swindles by bank cashiers and clerks have again called public attention to the growing evil of fast living. One of them arrested vate his crop. Seldom does a farmer attribute the other day in Chicago, said that since this thing had fallen upon him he was in hell-tha: planted and cultivated in such a way, that in a he had not slept one hour in twenty-four. So it goes with these villains. When they are spending other people's money in riotous living they are in heaven, when detected and hauled up, then they look back over their infamy and are in hell. This is retributive justice. Every boy, every woman, every man who ever occupied a position of trust, did so because, and only because, those who placed them there had implicit confidence in them. They started out honest and sincere. No wonder, then, that when they fall their fall is painful. It ought to be. Every scoundrel ought to suffer the torments of hell here long enough, at any rate, to purify him again, so that when he gets to heaven really he won't be tempted more.

An exchange mentions as an item of news that the election in that county this year cost the people \$183.90. Another election will be held in the spring which will cost as much, thus making in one year an expense of nearly four hundred dollars in a single county. This is repeated every year. We have often thought that our elections are too frequent; for, besides the expense, the intervals are so short that many men are tempted to make office-seeking a regular business, boarding around between times A great many persons who ought to be respectable and honest people are thus rendered useless to themselves and nuisances to the commu nity.

The French are an inventive people. They are now making flour and bread out of the seed of broom corn and pronounce it ahead of all competitors. They declare that flour in weight equal to one-half the seed is made, and the bran

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#### Notice to Patrons.

The regular annual meeting of Kansas State Grange P. of H. for 1881, will be held at the City of Topeka, commencing on the second Tuesday, 13th day of December next By order of Executive Committee

W. H. JONES, Chairman,

### State Items of Interest.

Olathe Gazette: One of the boldest robberies that onatthe cazette: One of the bodges robberies that we have heard of in this section of the country is reported to have been perpetrated on M. B. Griffs, a farmer residing five miles east and two miles south of this city on Saturday night last. Some time after Mr. Griffs had retired for the night, two men entered the house and made a thorough search of the lower part for money and other articles of value, after which they proceeded upstairs to the sleeping apart ment of Mr. G., when they succeeded in securing \$260 before disturbing the peaceful slumbers of the inmate and were just preparing to exit when Mr. G. awoke, but alas too late! for when he came to a sitting position he was immediately covered with a revolver and requested to remain perfectly quiet, which demand he promptly obeyed, and the highwaymen took their leave and made good their escape.

Beloit Gazette: The meeting at McCurdy hall on last Saturday evening to take the preliminary steps toward organizing a military company, was largely and enthusiastically attended. Remarks were made by many, and several important committees were ap-pointed to report at the next meeting, which is to be held at the court room on next Tuesday evening. Let there be a full attendance.

Onaga Journal: We hear considerable complaint about wolves prowling around the country seeking whem (chickens, pigs, etc.) they may devour. We noticed one within ten rods of the town site one day last week.

Iola Register. If a man supposed to be partly demented should walk into town and assassinate one or more persons, he would probably go clear of the charge of murder and be placed in the asylum. Just what benefit that would be to the victim or his bereaved family or relatives we are unable to state. But if we are correctly informed, just such a transaction is likely to occur right here in Iola.

Wyandotte Gazette: A thunder shower with the moon unclouded and a rainbow of great beauty, were interesting phenomena to those who saw them Tues-

Nickerson Argosy: A few of the girls of this town are a little too fast for this age. They should slack up a little for their own and the community's good

Ford Co. Globe: The present indication for a good crop of wheat in this county next year is very favorable. Although the acreage sown is not so large as in former years, still there is a great deal of wheat put out, and thus far it is looking very promising. The ground is nicely covered, and unless destroyed by hard freezing during the winter, early spring rains would make it a good crop for 1882.

Lawrence Spirit: The new temperance ordinance went into effect in this ci y on Tuesday morning, and now the antis may look out how they break the law, for Marshal Prentice has signified his intention to carry out without fear or favor the whole intention of the ordinance. Let the good work go on.

county are becoming an unbearable nuise the sheep interests increase, the dogs become more dangerous. Last Friday night a lot of dogs got among Mr. S. S. Lynn's sheep. There were 500 in the corral, and Saturday morning Mr Lynn found one dead, nineteen badly torn and twenty missing. The sheep were valuable ones, and his loss will not be less than \$100. He got on his pony and followed the dogs nearly to town, so it seems probable that they are kept here. Owners of sheep killing dogs should either keep them tied, or what is much better, tie a stone around their necks and drop them into the Walnut. If Mr. Lynn can find the owners of the dogs, he will make them pay for the loss.

Hutchison News: There has been a general complaint the past few weeks about the inferior coal oil that has been sold in our city. The trouble seems to be that oil inspected as 150 test, is by fraud lowered to only 110 test, and shipped west of the Missouri river to country dealers There is no law in this state against such frauds, but in Missouri several firms have been arrested for this kind of work.

Salina Journal: The contracts based upon the water works has been signed by M. C. Orton and Mayor Addison, and the water works business is now

Chase Co. Leader: J. B. Buchanan, while crossing Broadway Monday afternoon, was knocked down and run over by a team, receiving injuries that will confine him to the house for some days Owing to the wind blowing the rim of Mr. B.'s hat over his eyes, he did not see the team until it struck him, and the driver had his attention attracted in another di-

Kansas Valley Times: The amount paid in Topeka by keepers of places where "soda water and other drinks" are sold, has been \$5,790 since July 1st. The amount will reach \$6,300 by January 1st

Lyons Republican : Mr. LeClerc, an old gentleman of about 80 years, seriously cut himself with a razor last Monday, while laboring under a temporary abberration of mind. Something over a year ago he lost his wife, a faithful and loving companion o, many years, and since then he has often expressed himself as being lonely and caring not to live. His dejected moods have been more frequent of late and despite the careful attention of his sons, on Monday he secured a razor, and going out to the strawstacks inflicted several severe cuts upon his arms and body.

Before the doctors could reach him the loss of blood was very great and notwithstanding their exertions ie sank away, till death claimed him on Tucsday.

Neosho Co. Journal: Twenty car loads of broom corn have been shipped from Humboldt this season, for which \$20,000 has been paid out to the farmers of that locality. Why is it that the farmers of this section do not raise broom corn? It has proved to be very sure and profitable crop in southern Kansas.

Jewell Co. Review: Some claim there is just as much whisky drank now as before the prohibitory law went into effect, but the solid fact remains that not one drunken man is seen now where twenty were before, and acts of lawlessness induced by drink are almost unknown.

Osberne Co. Farmer: As a means of beguiling a portion of the long winter evenings ahead, a move-ment has been set on foot to organize a senate. The august body assembled in Library hall for the first ime last Saturday evening. After a spirited contest, in which party lines were duly recognized, Mr. J. Godley was elected president. The movement is being participated in and encouraged by all the prominant men the most the relationship of the prominant men the most the relationship of nent men of the place, including lawyers, doctors merchants, etc., and promises to be a source of con-siderable profit in matters of debate and parliamentary discipline.

Logan Enterprise: Last spring there were 7,842 hogs in Phillips county, but the number has considerably diminished owing to the scarcity of food.

The wool clip of Phillips county for the year end-

ing March 1st, was 11,344 pounds. That of the present year will be much more.

Garnett Plaindealer: Coffey county will entertain a proposition from the Topeka, Iola & Memphis road on the 27th inst., viz.: Shall said county subscribe for \$125,000 stock of said road, and issue county bonds in payment thereof, dollar for dollar. Of course it will carry, over there, notwithstanding that we failed to carry a far more reasonable proposition for a far more tangible enterprise in this county-owing to the "still hunt" policy.

Dodge City Times: Goats destroy the loco weed and are not affected by its poisonous qualities, so Henry P. Niess has observed, he having a number of goats on his farm. The rearing of goats is a profitable business, and ought to be encouraged on every cow ranch.

Chase Co. Courant: The whisky cases that were to have been tried in this city last Thursday, did not come off because of the non-attendance of Dr. W. H. Carter, the prosecuting witness, to whom the costs were taxed up.

Council Grove Cosmos: McPherson, the stock lealer will ship several car loads of cattle to Chicago Saturday, also eight head of fine stock cattle direct to Europe, being the first shipment of stock ever made from Council Grove to an European market. The cattle are fine ones, and were purchased of Higgins & Co., of the great "Stony Road" farm.

Fall River Times: Mr. Brown of Hitching creek Elk Co., was watching a dog chasing a rabbit, a few days since, when the rabbit darted between his lega, and the dog in attempting to take the same chute ran against Mr. Brown's leg with such force that it was broken just above the ankle. Mr. B. is doing as well as could be expected, considering, as Mr. Brown says. "That it was broken bus discharge it is ays, "That it was broken by a d—d dog."

Valley Falls New Bra: Mr, D. M. Balwin had two cows badly cut up on the night of Tuesday last. The animals were found Wednesday morning terribly crippled. One had a very bad cut in one of her hind legs near the hip, and the other had one of her fore legs badly cut and broken. The latter was so badly hurt that it was necessary to kill her, and the former is so severely injured that if she lives will be comparatively worthless.

Hutchinson Herald: Most of the coal oil sold in this city of late, is villainous stuff. It is of the very poorest quality, and so mixed and adulterated with poorest qualities to give it apparent test qualities, foreign qualities to give it apparent test qualities, that it will scarcely burn, and is, indeed, very dan-gerous. Those of our citizens who have been swearing at their lamps and lamp wicks are on the wrong lead. It is the oil.

Graham Republican: There is to be a meeting of the old soldiers next Monday evening in the court house. They think of proposing certain measures to congress for their benefit,

Beloit Gazette. W. W. Abercromble, of Saltville, arrived at home with his family last Friday, from their visit to the old home in Georgia. He is fatter and heartier than ever, and had a splendid time while absent. He brought back s veral emigrants with him and says they could be procured by the car load in Georgia if any one would work the mattre up The cotton growers are doing pretty well there by hard work, but the mountain people want to get out into God's country.

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#### Post Office Addresses.

When parties write to the FARMER on any subject whatever, they should give the county and post office both. Some of the new post offices are not put down in the post office directopapers or letters.

Mr. H. A. Heath, is traveling representative of the KANSAS FARMER, duly accredited. est of the FARMER will be honored at this office. Mr. Heath is also special corresponpeople of Kansas for the benefit of the FAR-MER's readers.

One of our correspondents wants to know where he can get good seed of King Philip

"Guerilla evangelism" is what the Central Christian Advocate calls that kind of religious work which is done by per patetic preachers who have no organized machinery to assist

The Miller Manual Labor school in Albemarle county, North Carolina, is said to be flourishing and succeeding beyond the anticipation of its friends. Next week we will try to give a description of it.

Manhattan has a boom, and a neat one, too. Our neighbors up there are talking of transfering to the city, by means of wire cables, a water affirmative position argue that our mines will power which is four miles away. The scheme is a feasible one, and will pay.

Business generally throughout the country is safety-valve in business of all kinds is to pay as you go.

It is said that there is a gold credit in England to the late Confederate States of America. and that is the reason of the traffic in confederate bonds. It is believed that when this money is released, if it ever is, a small propor. its doctrine. There never was too much real eration from that body to the exclusion of mere opportunity for learning how low freight tion of these bonds may be paid.

It seems curious that the United States, the greatest food-producing country in the world, should be importing any kind of ordinary food. by weight, being money properly considered, there never was a time when the members of But it is true that English-raised potatoes are if its unrestricted coinage results in increasing Congress were better informed touching the now being shipped to New York and sold there the quantity, and prices are therefore affected, people's needs and the proper methods of reat \$2.50 per barrel of 180 pounds.

Continued requests come to us for back numbers of the FARMER to include Nov. 1. They cannot be furnished, for every paper we printed in November, except our files, is sent out. The orders ought all to have been forwarded in advance of the time, instead of after it.

If all the farmers in this country were con-

A kneading machine has been invented by a Frenchman. It will be next to the sewing Mixing dough is one of the most laborious that the new machine will prove to be the thing needed.

What a racket and a noise the wheels, the they run, blow and whiz, and yet they are only carrying or manufacturing what the farmer raises. His crops of grain, fibre and fruit; his widens out into a grand, regular and safe immediate attention. Our carrying trade is stock, his meats, his hay and straw, keep all growth. There is nothing spasmodic about it rapidly coming under the control of a few men; these things going.

tural congress was held at which all classes of them wen't be in the way. German agriculturists were represented. Resolutions were passed appealing to the government for the imposition of high duties on all is hurt? Before that good day comes, the cost is lessened. There are two parties to this American agricultural products except corn, bonds will all be paid, then who is to comand on that a light duty.

A reader of the FARMER wants to know something about a picket wire fence which he says is used some in Iowa. Pickets of wood with barbs in them are attached to the wires with staples. We have never seen the fence, and hence cannot speak positively of its merits Can any of our readers help us out?

A correspondent asks "when is the best time mode of preserving till time of planting?" Our

late evening always.

The interest in Guiteau's case, and the seriousness of it, increases. He has been on the the farmer needs is more or less taxed before witness stand, and under cross examination he studies his answers with as much care as the comes very much concerned about a reasonable most conscientious person would. At times, however, he flies into a passion, his eyes glare, and he spits out venom with the ease of a serpent. He sticks to his text better than Talmage, and though never denying the killing of the President, he insists that it was a bit of necessary work which the Lord had determined should be done, and he was chosen as the person who must do it. He says that when he neglected to pay his board bills in different places, he was working for the Lord, and he expected the Lord to pay his bills. In answer ry, and when the county is not mentioned, the to one of Judge Porter's questions the other post office clerks do not know where to send day, he said-"When I determine to do a Nations must act likewise. In both cases, thing, I do it." One day he said in denuncia-Any business transacted with him in the intercourage gave way to his sympathy, but finally dent of the paper, and will be pleased to avail he was worked up to the sticking point, and he to do the same thing in Lowell, Massachusetts, himself of all courtesies extended to him by shot his victim in the back. As the trial proceeds, we are gradually coming to the concluon the gallows.

#### Free Coinage of Silver.

Among the important matters to be considered by the national legislature is that at the head of this article. Nothing is better established in finance than that the value of money, its paying and its purchasing qualities, ought to be as nearly stable and permanent as possible. This is essential for protection to the people who need and use the money.

Another rule is, that when what is used as money becomes unnecessarily abundant, its as to affect its value? Those who take the will be lost. The men they employed will be made almost as fast and cheaply as out of paper on a printing press; that men everywhere will rush to the mines to dig out dollars, declining as the season closes. Failures are in- and that consolidations of capital in mining creasing, resulting mostly from over-trading, will operate to give magnificent fortunes to a bad debts and speculative investments. The few, the same as in manufactures and commerce. The other side assume that the increase in quantity would not more than accommodate the increase of population and business of the country.

We are with the latter class, at any rate until it is demonstrated that evil will result from another thought not generally considered in conthe probabilities are that the ratio of increase dress. in money volume and in the rise of prices would be so nearly uniform, and would so nearloss because of change in nominal prices of proportionately, they would not amount to ment of the money circulation, it will require the people at every possible point. money which needs no redemption-paying as that plane. it goes-real money, the common prosperity

plain? Let the coinage be free.

## The Tariff.

Perhaps there is no one subject in which in hand early. people everywhere are more deeply interested than in the tariff. Farmers, especially, have relations to the subject which cannot be over estimated. Laborers and mechanics are necessarily participants in all the benefits or losses occasioned by tariff legislation. If a pound of for procuring cuttings of cottonwood, and best coffee costs two cents more than it cught, and a family uses fifty pounds in a given time, one experience, and it has been very satisfactory, dollar is lost. If a yard of muslin costs one is, to remove young branches from the tree in cent too much, and the family uses a hundred

the earth be thoroughly pulverized and deep, are all higher than they ought to be, the excess, manuring is useless as a fertilizing agency, unand mixed with fine, dry, rotten manure or multiplied by the number and extent of pur- less the manure be thoroughly rotten, so that chip or leaf soil. If it becomes necessary to chase, s measures the aggregate loss. If goods it may be spread in small particles and mixed water during the summer, first remove the are too high-priced, it is not the fault of the with the surface soil. Strawy manure spread earth from the stem, making a basin or trough merchant. He has no interest in the cost of on the ground and left in that condition is soon about it, pour in the water, and when absorbed goods, because he buys to sell, and when goods dried up and blown away, leaving no benefit draw back the dry earth again. Water in the cost him more, he need only charge his custom- behind unless a good rain has fallen upon it er more. The consumer is he who winces. Goods can be too high only because of excessive tariff duties. Hence, as nearly everything he gets it, and he must pay that tax, he beand proper tariff.

It is too soon yet in the history of man to bandon the theory of protection and embrace that of freedom in legislation; that is to say: individuals are not yet safe in permitting their affairs to be managed by other people. The same rule holds good among nations. A man who permits his neighbors to run his business is always at their mercy. If we had had no manufactures of our own during the late war. we might have been fighting yet. Individuals must protect themselves against the cupidity of their fellows by guarding their own interests. however, a reasonable rule should prevail. tion of his attorney's language, "I never feign There is no need of a man becoming a miser, -I act, myself, sane or in ane." There is so nor need a nation become oppressive to its own much method in his eccentricities that the peo- people. What is proper may be learned by ascertaining how little is necessary for protecdebated with the Lord some weeks before de- tion. If it costs four cents to make a yard of termining to shoot the President. Then his calico in Manchester, England, and lay it down on a New York counter, and it costs five cents tion in that case. If the same rule be applied sion that the wretch ought to explate his crime to all articles used in the country, the whole subject is covered.

We know that there are many people among the industrial classes who incline to favor free its bearings. Let any one consider what would others. be the condition of the three millions of per sons now engaged in manufacturing establishments in the United States, if all the tariff laws were repealed, and how that condition would react upon other mechanics and laborers and value is lessened, as is shown in the rising of farmers. If manufactories are closed, then prices. Referring to these two rules, the thing workmen must seek other employment, and to be considered with reference to the free coin- what is left but farming and common labor? age of silver is, will it make money so plenty | Close the factories and the markets they create cease to consume and begin to produce. Then become money shops where dollars will they come into competition with the farmer and laborer, closing some of his markets and helping him to supply the rest. This would reduce prices of farm produce and common

The true rule, as we see it, is, protect all necessary manufactures to the extent of an even, fair competition, and stop there.

## Congress and Taxes.

Congress met last Monday in regular session. It is reasonably expected that matters of grave importance will claim and have consid- for carrying, and it will afford the people an money anywhere in the world, except in the partisan politics. There has not been a time coffers of plunderers. There is, however, in our history as a nation when there was more need for careful and wise legislation on subnection with the subject, namely: That silver jects of vital importance than the present; and

The great, overshadowing subject is, and has been for some time, embraced in one wordmaintain their present or usual relations, that TAXES. We do not mean assessments made on there would be no derangement of business nor liquors and tobacco, nor duties imposed upon imported property, nor transportation charges, commodities; and that, this being true, the re- nor income taxes; but we mean all of these. sulting stimulus to trade would be so general They are all included in taxes. Of course, as to amount to no more than a real and sub- they must be considered under separate heads, densed into one, and all the farms brought into stantial prosperity. The thought may be thus and different methods will be adopted in their the one he owns; and then if all the railways, illustrated: Say one hundred dollars will buy discussion. The same general idea, however, canals and steamboat lines were trimmed down a horse in 1881, but by reason of the enlarge- will and ought to be the leading one-to relieve

more than a wheelbarrow for the fat old farmer. one hundred and ten dollars to buy a horse of Our tariff laws need revision, not repeal. the same actual value in 1885. Now, upon the Duties imposed in the war times and while principle which caused this change, the laborer war necessities existed, in some respects, at who, in 1881, received one dollar a day, will least, ought to be reduced. All we need is, to machine when it becomes well appreciated. receive one dollar and ten cents in 1885, and to place our home manufacturers on an even the farmer who took one dollar a bushel for footing with foreign manufacturers in our own duties of the housewife. It is to be wished his wheat will get a dollar and ten; the yard markets. Anything beyond that is unnecessaof cloth which cost a dollar will bring a dollar ry for protection, and is unjust. If our tariff and ten. Prices in general will rise, so that all on woolen goods, or on iron, or on anything industries will be affected in the same way; else goes beyond that, and we think such is engines, the mills and the spindles make as and inasmuch as the money is not credit, but true in many instances, it should be modified to

Commerce among the several states needs as with paper money. It is not dependent up- and the inspiration of all business is, not philon anybody's caprice or avarice. The dollar is anthropy, but money-making. It is not to be At Berlin, Germany, recently, an Agriculalways a dollar and the same dollar. More of disputed that consolidations of capital in any enterprise generally results in reducing Let our mines be opened up. Let the silver charges, but still, more money is made in the coin flow out, and if everybody gets rich, who aggregate, even with the reduction, because the transportation, the carrier and the people. The carrier has always had it his own way. The people need protection against his power to wrong them. Congress must take this matter

Patent laws, also, need a thorough overhaulng. The patient people have been literally robbed of millions of dollars annually by extortions permitted by our laws relating to patents. Invention ought to be encouraged, and inventors ought to be protected, but that does not imply that the people ought to be robbed.

Every farmer ought to have a barn-yard, some means of saving the manure. It is one he spring after the buds beg in to show life, yards, another dollar is gone; and if cloths and of the most profitable investments on the farm

prepare the cuttings, and set immediately. Let flannels, and hats and shoes, and dress goods spread and plowed under. Top or surface soon after spreading. But if it is plowed under while fresh, its virtues mix with the soil, and not with the air.

> As was stated last week in the FARMER, but limited number of copies of the last Biennial Report of the State Board of A riculture were printed, and those were distributed some time ago. The Secretary, who is constantly besieged for copies which he cannot supply, informs us that a copy was sent to every Township Trustee, County Clerk, Treasurer and Superintendent of schools in the state: so that persons who have special occasion to examine the work, should call on one of those officers, instead of applying to the Secretary for it, as he has none to send them.

> A correspondent of the Country Gentleman says he purchased a farm some two years ago on which were two orchards, one in good condition, the other neglected. He continued the neglect, but notwithstanding his meanness, a dozen or more of the castaway trees bore a crop of good apples of the same variety every year. He says that this persistence in producing good fruit every year has softened his heart, and now he is going too look after that orchard. He ought to do so.

If you are a farmer, do not overwork you children, and thus, by a hard and dreary life, drive them off to the cities. Arise at a reasonable hour in the morning, take an hour's rest after meals, and quit at five or six o'clock in the afternoon. Let the young people, in games trade-an absolute repeal of all tariff laws, so and other amusements, have a happy time durthat every man may sell in the highest, and ing the remainder of the day. There is no buy in the lowest market; but we doubt wheth- reason why a farmer's family should be depriver such persons have studied the subject in all ed of recreation and amusement any more than

> A plant has two parts of corresponding dimensions and closely related duties. One part is in the earth, the other is in the air. When the seed germinates, the root starts downward at the same time that the top starts upward. Study of this fact and all its lessons will prove to be very profitable to persons growing or transplanting trees and shrubs.

A new kind of lawsuit is pending in McLean county, Illinois. A railway company has sued a farmer named Cope for \$5,000 damages because his cattle, running on the railway line, caused a train to be thrown from the track-This will bring up a new question, but a fair one. The railway company is entitled to protection as well as the people.

The unsettled condition of railway freight rates is encouraging. It will operate for good in two directions. It will put the railroad men to studying how to permanently reduce their rates, and yet receive fair compensation can be carried.

Inventors will find in another column an advertisement of Wm Tweeddale which is of pecial importance to them. Mr. Tweeddale has done the proper thing for Topeka, as well as for inventors, in establishing a reliable agency through which Kansas patents may be satisfactorily and promptly obtained.

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Article fourth of the constitution of Subordielection the officers shall be elected at the regattention of members to this fact hoping that there will be a full attendance on the day of the election of officers; and I ask as a special favor of the secretary of each Alliance that he be prompt in reporting to the State Alliance a list of the officers elected and the number of members they have enrolled. In giving the postoffice address of the secretary elect be particular to give the name of the county.

Respectfully, Louis A. Mulholland, Sec. of State Allianec. Topeka, Kan., Dec. 5th.

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A German newspaper compares the Liberals to a worm and the heels of Bismarck, gnashing its teeth with rage, one fist clinched threateningly, and beckening for aid with the other arm. This is equal to the English clergyman's description of the Church, "with one foot planted on the rock of ages and the other pointing to the skies."

It Is Worth Remembering
that nobody enjoys the nicest surroundings if in bad health.
There are miserable people about to-day with one foot in
the grave, when a bottle of Parker's Ginger Tonic would do hem more good than all the doctors and medicines they nave ever tried. See adv.

A Leadville man in one week was attacked and scratched by a catamount, hurt by an explosion, had a boulder roll own on him and stave in two of his ribs, and was kicked by a mule. And a local editor remarked that he had "been mewhat annoyed by circumstances lately.

Prisoner at the bar," said the judge, "is there anything you wish to say before sentence is passed upon you?" The prisoner looked wistfully toward the door, and remarked that he would like to say good evening if it would be agreeable to the company. But they wouldn't let him.

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### Holiday Presents.

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ious to reach the station—"Cahnt you drive a little fashter? We'll miss the train if you don't 'urry." Cahman whips up his 'orse, but doesn't seem to get on much "fashter." Lady again—"Cahnt you 'urry the 'orse a bit? 'It 'im in some wital part, y don't ye?" Cabman—"It 'min some wital part? Vy, mum, Hi've halready 'it 'im in all uv his wital parts hexcept one, and Hi'm reserving that for 'Olborn, 'Ill!"

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It publishes more religious discussions than the renate Alliances provides that after the first popular monthlies, and gives more information than an annual cyclopædia. The long cable dispatches recently published from the great Methodist Council ular meetings in July and January, the regu-in London are a good illustration of what The Inde-lar term of office being six months. I call the inent religious and philosophical writers, poets and story writers in the country is a list of the contributors of The Independent. Besides the space set aside for these writers and for editorials, there are twentytwo distinct departments, edited by twenty-two spec ialsts, which include Biblical Research, Sanitary, Legal, Fine Arts, Music, Science, Pebbles, Personalities. Ministerial Register, Hymn Notes, School and College, Literature, Religious Intelligence, Missions, Sunday School, News of the Week, Finance, Commerce, Insurance, Stories, Pazzles, and Agriculture. 32 Pages in all.

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### Mound City Feed Mills.

We call attention to the advertisement in another column of Mound City and Big Giant feed mills manufactured by J A Field & Co, St Louis, Mo The 'Big Giant' has become so well known throughout the United States, territories and Canada, as well as in many foreign countries, that it is unnecessary to add father comment. The 'Mound City' is exactly the same in crushing parts, while the grinders are enlarged and improved, so as to greatly increase the capacity of the mills, as well as to adapt it to the reception of steel grinders and greatly lessen the cost of the grinding parts so that when mill is woin out, grinders can be replaced at half the price of other mills. The grinding capacity in fine grinding capacity in fine grinding capacity in fine grinding as well as grinding oats and small grain has been

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# Literary and Domestic

Autumn.

BY C. N. SLOAN.

[The fallowing beautiful poem comes to us in the College Herald, Bloomington, Illinois. It was written by a young man who is climbing the ladder, a student of rare industry and energy, now in the Preshman class. The closing thou, it in this effort, extending out into the great autumn of the future, when the harvests of men's labors here are garnered, is brilliant, and it testifies of a genius that may safely be educated, -ED. FARMER,]

How sweet are my thoughts in the Autumn, When the sighing winds wave through the trees; When the branches with ripe iruit are bending, And laden with odors the breeze

Then harvest is passed, and the summer
Has plumed her pinions for flight
From the land she has filled with her treasures; From the homes she has blessed with delight

Thou cam'st from the land of the south wind Where the sunlight plays soft on the sea; Where the orange and citron hang silent, As if charmed by some sweet melody.

As thou shower'dst thy rich treasures down; And the mountain, the hill, and the vailey, With pleasure and gratitude shown

At first, field, forest, and vineyard An ocean of rich verdure stood, That waved in the snulight of heaven A far-reaching turbulent flood,

But the goddess of harvest, fair Autumn With a masterly stroke of her hand, Transfigured the fields into golden, And loaded with vintage the land.

The rivers rolled patiently onward, Transporting thy fruitage afar; While the streamlets, impatient, were sighing; 'Oh would I such service could bear!'

And the waves of old Ocean laughed loudly, As onward thy cargoes she bore; While the pride of her ponderous bosom Was swelling from center to shore.

The toiler will sing of thy riches The ploughman will reap his reward,
And sorrow to see thee departing
When Winter hath given "the word."

How beautiful is thy departure, As the evening of winter draws near; If crimson pall covers the forest;

Like nations when emperors fall, And there steals o'er my senses a vision Of a gorgeous and tapestried hall,

Where the tramp of a host falls in silence— No echo resounds from its dome, As they enter its broad-arching portals— From mystical lands they have come,

Ah! the form they adored lies withered. And out from the temple's towers, A funeral train moves with its trappings That beggar description's powers.

Far, far through the shadows we watch them, Till their fading forms melt in the gloon Then we dream of an Autumn celestial
In the far distant ages to come.

Where the seeds that are sown in weakness, And the labors bestowed in tears, Shall yield an abundant harvest To last through Eternity's years.

# How He Did it on Scott's Bar.

"Talkin' about vigilantes, boys, jest square round, an, I'll tell how we did it on Scott's Bar

"In '52 there comes an emigrant to the Bar -a young lawyer by the name of Smith. He dence jest like he'd been in a regular court. had hung out his shingle in the states, but There was some big points in Frenchy's favor. didn't have any luck, an' come to California to Humbug was a good ten miles from the Bar, make a raise, jest like the rest of us. He was the night of the robbery the darkest you ever an innocent sort o' feller, so Sam Patterson an' saw, the trail over the mountain terrible rough. I showed him a place where the bed-rock It seemed impossible to make the trip in the pitched, an' he started in, an' did first rate. night; an' Beek spent an hour trying to prove Everybody liked Smith, he was always singin' that a man couldn't be in two places at one in his claim. Ef you met him twenty times a time swearin' he'd starve before he would day he aiways had a pleasant word. He didn't commit murder. Finally Smith stepped up. drink nor gamble; he said there was a little 'Boys,' says he, 'let me take Frenchy out an' wife and baby back in Illinois that needed his talk to him; ef he don't give me that money in for a nugget he lost sleepin' in the same room money worse than the gamblers. Smith cab- half an hour, I'll think he ain't the man, with Frenchy. Then constable's fees, an' finined with a Frenchman by the name of Doctor Baid-we called him 'Frenchy'-but he wasn't and soft to him at first. He told him about very thick with him, an' always carried his his wife an' little one that was waitin' for him; sack in the pocket of his coat to his claim. how he had toiled for it, pinched himself to One day he forgot it. Frenchy came walkin' save it, an' ef he'd give it up he would forgive down to where he was rockin' an' told him his an' never expose him. It was no use. Frenchy coat was up in the cabin, he was goin' down the still declared his innocence; when all of a sudriver, an' he had better take care of it. Smith den Smith jumped to his feet, drawed his six was scared, but he found his sack apparently all shooter, an', in a voice so earnest an' deathlike right. Every Saturday night he weighed his pile, an' the next time he put it in the scales turn white, he says, 'Frenchy, I know you it was short about six ounces; but he might have got my money, an' ef by the time the sun have made a mistake in the figures, an' didn't goes over that hill, you don't tell me where it

say much about it.
"Frenchy soon went over to Humbug, an' left Smith alone in the cabin. Along in the snake—there was such a queer, devilish look fall Smith's pile had swelled up to about \$1,500, an' he fixed to leave. One night, Sam an' I in a few minutes there was a loud yell, an' Cy was up to see him, an didn't he feel good? He was goin' in a week, an' told us how he was had compromised, an' agreed to give Frenchy goin' to slip in with his minin' rig on, tell his poor little wife he was broke-jest to see if she would stick to him-an' then pour the whole sackful right into her lap. We were busy talkin' about the old homes in the states, an' it might have been about nine o'clock when we heard a little rustle, like a mouse would make. up on Smith's bunk. We didn't think anything about it for an hour, an' jest as we left, Smith reached up for his coat. It was light the jury; every face was as cold as a stone. He as a feather . didn't have the color in it. We began huntin' round, an' found that a piece o' chinkin' had been loosened during the day, an' the little rustle we heard was made by the hang me; I'll show you the money.' Sure robber's hand. We felt sorry for Smith. He never said a word, but sot down, an' swelled down the river with him about a mile, to where up an' choked till the big tears come, for the the trail run under a broken bluff. Frenchy meetin' with his little wife was a long ways off reached up as high as he could, pulled the big now. Next mornin' we raised the Bar, an' the sack out of a crevice, an' handed it to the own-

and then held a meetin', resolved that a durned into a vigilance committee-every one of us. Smith said Frenchy was the only man that knew where he kep' his money; an' when he Frenchy was the man we wanted. Cy Herd was made constable an' sent to Humbug. He found Frenchy jest startin' for Yreka, an' as he didn't have any papers, he thought he would go along an' git a regular warrant from the old chief o' the vigilantes. He got the warrant, an' I always keep it to show. Since they changed the county to Siskiyou-it used to be all Shasta-some folks want to deny that there ever was a committee there."

Drawing out a greasy memorandum book Tom produced the document, bearing the mark of age, and the unmistakable stamp of genuineness, reading as follows:

"State of California, County of Shaste, "Shaste Plains Township.

Vigelent Com. Vs. Dr. Baid.

"To any constable of Shaste Plains Township this day complaint having Laid before me Vigelant Committee that the crime of fclony has Ben committed and acusing the above named Dr. Baid of the sam therefore you are to arest the said Dr. Baid and bring him before the people and to be delt with according to their Judgment. chairman of Committee.

"Now, boys," remarked Tom, as he folded the relic of the people's court carefully away, "that didn't have many big words in it, but it meant business. Cy put it into Constable Thompson's hands, and they snatched their man and started for the Bar. When they got there Frenchy was on the bluff and allowed he would make somebody pay for that day's work. Brought before the jury-twelve o' the best men in that camp-he weakened a little, but swore he was innocent, an' called on the Holy Virgin-that was tolerable strong for a Frenchman-to witness that he had not been on the Bar for two weeks. No one saw him on the Bar within that time. Cy Herd found out at Humbug that Frenchy was there at sundown the night o' the robbery, an' at work soon after daylight the next mornin'. The only evidence was Smith's opinion; he stuck to it that ef Frenchy didn't have his money he didn't want a cent, but that wasn't hardly enough to hang a man on. Some o' the boys wanted to hang Frenchy on general principles, but that wouldn't pan; there was some good square men on the jury, an' you bet he got a fair trial.

"Smith told all he knew. Cy swore to the time Frenchy was at Humbug, an' we couldn't find a track anywhere that fitted his boots. The jury went out under a big oak, talked it over, an' took one vote; about half was for Frenchy, the balance wanted to hang him anyhow. One o' the jurors was old Beek-a kind o' natural lawyer, an' one o' the worst men in an argument you ever saw. He knew lots, and picked up lots more as he went along -jest like quicksilver, awful slippery-an' would gather up all the gold in your convertake the wrong side, git the run o' your points. flop round, make you take his side, an' then flummux you, as he called it. He was a kind o' easy goin', soft-hearted man, an' for lettin' Frenchy slide. 'It wouldn't never do,' he said, 'to hang a man on suspicion; I don't want no ghost jabberin' French round my cabin.' Beek saved Frenchy's neck. He made up his mind that he was innocent, and he riddled the evi-They went out together. Smith talked easy that the prisoner's lips began to quiver an' is, I'll kill you.' He had him covered an' I always believed he would have shot him like a about his eyes that it made my flesh crawl; but said the jury had agreed. So they had; they a little swing-just to leave his tip-toes on the ground-then another, an' if that didn't choke the money out of him, he was the wrong man. Then they came in a body, lookin' mighty serious, one o' them bringin' a rope with a regular hangman's noose at the end of it. The fore-

"Poor Frenchy looked at the rope, then at gave a wild kind of a wistful look up the mountain, but his feet were hobbled, an' he weakened right there. 'Men,' said he, 'don't enough he did. Thompson an' Smith went boys was terrible hostile. There wasn't a lick er without a word. Smith in his joy, wanted struck that day. We took a drink all round, to let Frenchy go, but Thompson said every-

man read the verdict. 'Guilty; to be hanged

before sundown.'

thing must be done regular, accordin' to law. mean trick had been done, an' formed ourselves Meanwhile the jury got their heads together. Great Moses! wasn't old Beek mad. 'Boys,' he says, 'a man that can fool me on human na ture that way, is an awful dangerous element. told about missin' the six ounces, we concluded The majesty of the law is busted wide open. Frenchy's got to have a little taste, to show him Americans won't stand no foolishness. That's always the way," said Tom, quietly, "do a man a positive injury, ten to one he'll forget it; but jest impose on his judgment, an' he'll the outer surface and coagulates the albumen, never forgive you. The jury all agreed on that thus preventing the escape of the juices. Preproposition. They passed a string o' resolutions-everything was done that way: 'First, that Frenchy git twenty-nine lashes on his bare juices are free to pass into the liquor surroundback; second, that Smith was to do the whip- ing it. pin'; third, that the prisoner should leave Shasta Plains within five hours; fourth, that certain money found on him should go to pay all just demands against him after constables fees were paid.' Frenchy was stubborn as a an ordinary chair and have a carpenter or mule, but he was taken to a big black-oak in cabinet maker take out the legs and replace front of De Jarlai's store, an' his arms tied them with longer ones. You will find such a round it pretty far up, his feet jest restin' on the ground. One o' the boys was from Missouri, where that kind o' thing was common, so he fixed up a piece o' raw hide lariat, about three teet long, an' handed it to Smith. He wasn't on it, an' began to beg for Frenchy; he made the nicest kind of a little speech. 'I can't whip a man,' he says, 'except in a fair fight. Frenchy's done the square thing with me, and I forgive him. I had made up my mind to kill him, but now I feel so good, I can't touch him. I'll treat this crowd, an' pay you all for your day's work, but don't ask me to do that.' Some o' the crowd began to growl, but an old grizzly man spoke up an' says : 'That's right; it ain't Smith's business to do that job; he's only an immigrant, an' it ain't fair to ask a man to do anything that goes agin his conscience; let the constable do it, an' it'll be according to law. Another resolution was passed, an' Abe Thompson stepped out, sayin' 'that he didn't fancy the job, but when a man was an officer he ought to do his duty, an' he wouldn't never flinch from his. Old Beek counted-one, two, three-up to fifteen. Thompson didn't lay on very heavy, feelin' kind o' sorry for the poor devil. Frenchy was game, never flinched; but about the fifteenth lick, he made a motion an' wanted to speak, for his lips began to froth, an' the devil was risin' in him. He looked at Thompson-his eye glistened jest like a wild cat's: 'Sacre bleu!' says he-an' darn him, how it hissed through his white teeth-'I kill you, sure.' You just ket your life, Frenchy bluffed the wrong man. 'You kill me!' says Abe. Then he rolled up his sleeves and took a new hold, an' he went for him. Lord, how that piece o' lariat did whiz through the air. Whew didn't the fur fly. It wasn't no foolishness now He struck high up-that was the orders; the big welts raised, and the bark began to peel off. Twenty-nine, thirty. 'Hold on,' says Beek, 'one too many.' 'Not much,' says Abe, 'I've sation into a store for future use. Beek would done your dirty work, gentlemen, as a matter git a feller into an argument, as like as not of duty, an' now I've got a little enterprise o' my own, Kill me! You sneakin' thief! I'll see if I can't whip the devil out o' you.' I counted now-one, two, three, four. Frenchy gave a pitiful kind o' moan. 'Hold on Thompson,' says he, 'I will never bother you, never; don't kill me.' We took him down, an' he was a bad sight. The last ten licks broke the skin an' brought blood every time. He was weak an' couldn't look up; but Abe took him in his arms back o' the store, an' bathed him, an' put mustang liniment on his wounds-paid two dollars out o' his own pocket for it, jest like he'd been his brother. That was a nasty day's work, boys, but there was a little bright spot in it, like findin' a chunk o' gold inside o' a granite boulder. "The jury took a drink all round, but they

hadn't got over their mad. First they weighed six ounces out o' Frenchy's sack, to make up Smith's loss. Then six more to pay Cy Herd ally there wasn't enough dust left to pay th last claim. 'Now, boys,' says old Beek, 'I think justice ought to be satisfied. Let's make up shake-purse, an' give the poor devil a fair start.' We shook in three ounces, an' told him to git and never be seen in them diggins agin. An' he wasn't."

"Well," inquired one of the audience, "did it cure Frenchy?" "No," replied Tom, "an' I don't believe punishment ever cured any oneonly scares others; the durned skunk went right over to Little Shasta, stole a mule, got up an' dusted for Jacksonville, an' was afterward run out o' there for some deviltry. Tell you what it did do, though," continued the speaker, giving the fire a kick that sent the sparks whirling up in a fiery column through the foliage. "It gave the Bar a rough name, an' there wasn't another robbery there as long as I can remember. I don't never want to see another man whipped, but, after all, the vigilantes kept things straight, an' jest look at the difference now. If a feller steals your sack an' pays liberal, he can git a lawyer to punch a hole in the law big enough to ride a mule through, an ef Frenchy had been before a regular court the verdict would have been, innocent as a lamband Smith out o' luck.".

The camp-fire had burned low, and we crawled into our blankets. Tom's homely conclusion forced an earnest inquiry as to the comparative efficiency of modern legal science and the simpler method born of pioneer necessity and enforced by the Scott's Bar miners.

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# Weather Report for November, 1881.

[From observations taken at Lawrence, Kansas, by Prof. F H. Snow, of the State University.]

The most noticeable peculiarity of the month was the unusual continuance of warm weather and the long delay of the first severe frost. Apples, plums, cherries, pears, liacs and other fruit and flowering trees and shrubs were in full bloom during the first ten days of the month.

MEAN TEMPERATURE,-40.40 degrees, which is 1.56 degrees above the average November temperature of the 13 preceeding years. The highest temperature was 71.5 degrees, on the 4th; the lowest was 11 degrees on the 24th; range 60.5 degrees. Mean temperature at 7 a. m., 36.17 degrees; at 2 p. m., 47.20 degree; at 9 p. m. 7 a. m., 36.17 degrees, at 2 p. m., 37.20 degree; at 3 p. m., 39.12 degrees. The mercary reached the freezing point for the first time during the autumn on the 3d, and the first severe frost occured on the 9th, saving an interval of 210 days since the last severe frost of

RAINFALL,-2.55 inches, which is 0.49 inches above the November average. Rain or snow fell on five days. There were two thunder showers. The entire rainfall for the 11 months of 1881 now completed has been 32,37 inches, which is only 0,72 inches below the average for the same period in the 13 preceeding years. The first snow of the season—a few flakes only -appeared on the 9th. The thunder storm of the 18th brought nearly an inch of sleet.

MEAN CLOUDINESS,-45.55 per cent. of the sky,-the month being 2.55 per cent. clearer than the average. No. of clear days, 16 (entirely clear, 5): half clear, 4; cloudy, 10 (entirely cloudy, 5). Mean cloudiness at 7 a. m., 50.33 per cent.; at 2 p. m., 50.33 per cent.: at 9 p.

WIND:-S. W., 36 times; N. W., 33 times; S. 10 times; S E.6 times; E., 3 times; N. E., twice. The entire distance traveled by the wind was 13,006 miles, which gives a mean daily velocity of 463,53 miles, and a mean hourly velocity of 19.31 miles. The highest velocity was 40 miles an hour.

MEAN HEIGHT OF BAROMETER,-29 186 inches; at 7 a. m., 29,196 inches; at 2 p. m., 29,158 inches; at 9 p.m., 29,203 inches; maximum, 29,656 inches; minimum, 28,599 inches; monthlyrange, 1.057 inches.

RELATIVE HUMIDITY; -Mean for the month, 66.9; at 7 a. m., 77.3; at 2 p. m., 49.8; at 9 p. m., 73.8; greatest, 100, on the 11th; least 22.4 on the 4th. There were 2

The following table furnishes a comparison with

Nov.	Mean Temp.	Maxi. Temp.	Mini. Temp.	Rain inches	Mean cloud,	Mean Humi	Miles of d. wind.
1868	37.99	73.0	17.0	3.54	51.77		
1869	37.39	72.0	23.0	1.86	62.89		
1870	44.92	72.0	17.0	0.57	36.83	67.9	
1871	35.89	72.5	3.0	2.48	57.44	72.3	
1872	33,86	67.0 *	-1.0	0.01	44.89	55.8	12,202
1873	42,58	78.0	12.0	1.21	35.00	55.4	15,414
1874	38.76	77.5	5.5	3.69	56.67	72.4	16,104
1875	35 55	70.0	2.0	0.36	52.78	62.1	12.282
1876	37.50	72.0	9.0	2,60	46.11	70.9	12.287
1877	39.23	64.0	9.0	1.47	48,89	73.8	9.491
1878	45.87	72.0	22.0	1.55	42.00	62.6	11.198
1879	44.26	76.5	16.0	5.15	38.33	70.6	11.964
1880	31,58	65.5	7.5	2.24	51.77	74.4	11,325
1881	40,40	71.5	11.0	2.55	45.55	66.9	13,906
Mesn	38 95	71.7	10,9	2.09	47.92	67.0	12,121

\*The minus sign denotes temperature below zero.

# The Lunny Bart.

When Autumn comes, Autumn leaves.

It doesn't require a pair of horses to drag out a mis

The man who feels certain that he will not su is seldom mistaken

"Mary Jane, have you given the goldfish fresh wa "No, ma'am; what's the use? They haven't drunk up what's in there, yet." An old gentleman, having been invited by an ac-

naintance to go out and see his country seat, went and found it to be a stump in a large meadow, A procession of men passed through Madison street

yesterday morning, and were an hour and a half in passing a given point. The given point was a saloon. An Albany paper tells of a woman in that city who

woke her husband during a storm and said: I do wish you would stop snoring, for I want to hear it A young lady at an examination in grammar was

asked "Why the noun bachelor was singular?" She replied, immediately: "Because it is very singular they don't get married." An editor wrote a head-line, "A Horrible Blunder."

to go over a rallroad accident, but thought it was the printer's fault that it got over an account of a wedding. The editor was the man thrashed all the same

"Well Mary, how do you like your new home in Vermont?" 'Well. mum, we all like it but father, and the air is too embracing for him; but under the can ister of heaven I think there isn't a more beautiful

A fellow fished a rich old gentleman out of a millpond, and refused the offer of twenty five cents from the rescued miser. "Oh! that's too much!" exclaimed "'Taiut worth it." And he handed back twenty-one cents, saying calmly, as he pocketed four cents: "That's about right."

At a juvenile party a young gentleman about seven years old kept himself from the rest of the company, The lady of the house called lo him, "Come and play and dance, my dear. Choose one of those pretty girls for your wife." "Not much!" cried the young cynic; 'no wife for me! Do you think I want to ! worried out of my life, like papa?"

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Once, when somewhat under the influence of drink a certain citizen of Windham, Conn., wandered off into the fields and went to sleep. On rising he forgot to put on his old cocked hat. Some boys found it and took it to him, thinking to cover him with con "In which lot did you find it?" he inquired, blandly. "In Mr. White's pasture, near the barn." "Weil, boys, go take it right back; that is my place to

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# THE STRAY LIST.

### HOW TO POST A STRAY.

BY AN ACT of the Legislature, approved Feb 27, 1866, section 1, when the appraised value of a stray or strays exceeds ten dollars, the County Clerk is required, within tenders after receiving a certified description and appraisement, to forward by mail, notice containing a complete description of said strays, the day on which they were taken up, their appraised value, and the name and residence of the taker up, to the Kansas Farmers, together with the sum of fifty cents for each animal contained in said notice." And such notice shall be published in the Farmer in three successive issues of the paper. It is made the duty of the proprietors issues of the paper. It is made the duty of the proprietors issues of the paper. It is made the duty of the proprietors of the paper in the state to be kept on file in his office for the inspection in the state to be kept on file in his office for the inspection of the proprietors of the Farmer of the Peace, a County Clerk, or the proprietors of the Farmer for a violation of this law.

How to post a Stray, the fees fines and penalties for not posting.

Broken animals can be taken up at any time in the year. Unbroken animals can only be taken up between the lat day of November and the lat day of April, except when found in the lawful enclosure of the taker-up. No persons, except citizens and householders, can take up a siray.

No persons, except current and the person of a stray.

If an animal liable to be taken, shall come upon the first an animal liable to be taken, shall come upon the premises of any person, and he fails for ten days, after being neithed in writing of the fact, any other citizen and householder may take up the same.

It is the person taking up an estray, must immediately advertise the current stray posting three written notices in as many places in the township, giving a correct description of such stray.

Any person is king up an estray, must immediately advertise the same by posting three written notices in as many places in the township, giving a correct description of such stray.

If such stray is not proven up at the expiration of ten days, the taker-up shall go before any Justice of the Peace of the township, and file an affidavit stating that such tray was taken up on his premises, that he did not drive nor cause it to be driven there, that he has advertised it for ten days, that the marks and brands have not been altered, also be shall give a full description of the same and its cash value. He shall also give a bond to the state of double the value of such stray.

The Justice of the Peace shall within twenty days from the unit stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray was taken up, (fen days after posting) make out a stray shall be valued at more than ten dollars, it shall be advertised in the Kaassa Fanker in three successive numbers.

The owner of any stray, may within twelve months from the time of taking up, prove the same by evidence before any bettine of taking up, prove the same by evidence before any the time of taking, a complete fittle shall be offered. The stray shall be delivered to the owner, on the order of the Justice, and upon the payment of all charges and costs.

If the owner of a stray fails to prove ownership within twelve months after the time of taking, a complete fittle shall was a stray and appraise such stray commons to the sorved by the taker up; said appraise, or two dimensions to the beaved to the case of the Peace shall issue a summons to the householder to appear and appr

### Strays for the week ending December 7.

Anderson county-Thos. W. Fester, clerk. HORSE—Taken up by Sarah C Cottle in Putnam tp Get 13 1881 one black horse 6 years old, with collar marks, valued at \$60

COLT—Taken up by John T Townsend in Reeder tp Nov 10 1881 one dark brown horse colt, no marks or brands, val-ued at \$20

MARE—Taken up by Owen P Mooney in Reeder to Nov 1 1881 one dark bay mare 2 years old, right hind foot white, valued at \$25 HORSE—Also by the same at the same time and place one orrel horse 2 years old, white stripe in face, valued at \$25

STEER—Taken up by Edgar Stiles in Monroe tp Nov 15 one white steer with red spots 2 years old, a dim brand on hip, valued at \$12 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one red and white steer 2 years old, dim brand on hip, and val-ued at \$12

ued at \$12

MARE—Taken up by Daniel Cotter in Reeder tp Nov 14

18s1 one dark brown mare 3 years old, valued at \$40

HORSE—Taken up by A A Chandler in Putnam tp Nov

17 18s1 one bay horse 16 hands high, 12 years old

HEIFER—Taken up John McGlinchey in Reeder tp Nov

23 18s1 one white yearling heifer, red ears, an inalistinct
brand on left ear, valued at \$13

HORSE—Taken up by A H Lewis in Rich tp Nov 10 18s1
one bay horse 12 years old, 16 hands high, blind in left eye,
branded N on right shouder, valued at \$40

HEIFER—Take: up by Geo W Keller in Rich to Nov 8.

HEIFER—Take up by Geo W Keller in Rich to Nov 8 1881 one white yearling heifer, underbit in right ear, valued STEER—Taken up by B D Douthett in Washington tp No vember 5 1881 one spotted roan steer 3 years old, branded B on left hip, valued at \$25

STEER—Taken up by W J Bell in Walker tp Nov 15 1881 one light roan yearling steer, hole in right ear, and valued at \$14 STEER—Taken up by Felix McParland in Reeder tp November 26 1881 one yellow roan 2 year old steer, dim brand on left hip, right ear cropped and notch in left ear, and valued at \$25

Brown county--John E. Moon, clerk.

FILLEY—Taken up Oct 26 1881 by Gordon Fowler in Hi-awatha tp one filley 2 years old, bay, left hind foot white half way up to hock, black mane and tall, snip on nose and a little white on left front foot, valued at \$25

Crawford county-A. S. Johnson, clerk, STEER—Taken up Oct 25th 1881 by Robert Ewing in Lin-oln tp one two year old steer, white with red inside of ears, randed with letter D on left hip, valued at \$17

Coffey county-W. H. Throckmorton, clerk. HORSE—Taken up by Adam Dixon in Key West tp one ear old bay horse, small size, spot in forehead, and value HEIFER—Taken up by S L Webster in California tp on year old pale red heifer, valued at \$15

2 year on paie red neiter, valued at \$15
STEER—Taken up by G W Gra. am of Ottumwa tp one 2
year old steer with red neck and head, white spot in face &
white body, crop off left ear, valued at \$15
HEIFER—Taken up by Lewis Kellerman of Hampden tp
one 2 year old red heifer marked with a tag in left ear bearing the name of Brigh Bull. Newsey. Ohito went. , Newark, Ohio, valued at \$15

COLT—Taken up by J H Huggins in California pone; year old iron grey mare colt, light spot on right hip and white in forchead, valued at \$35 STEER—Taken up by M W Phinney of Star tp one 2 yea steer old white with red on side of neck, on body and rec ears, valued at \$20

COLT-Taken up by F T Jones in Key West tp one 1 yearld blood bay horse colt, valued at \$15

Douglas county--N. O. Stevens, clerk. STEER-Taken up on the 8th day of November 1881 by Benjamin Poweli in Willow Springs to one red and white year old steer, ends of both ears cut off and split, and valued at \$39

COW—Taken up on the 8th day of November 1881 by Tho Over in Willow Springs tp one white 8 year old cow, red neck, valued at \$17

COW—Taken up on the 9th day of November 1881 by Chas Vitt in Eudora tp one small white 2 year old cow, no marks or brands, valued at \$16 COW-Taken up on the 7th day Oct 1881 by H R Soxman in Marion tp one white cow 7 years old, red hair inside of ears, right horn broken, valued at \$20

Davis county-P. V. Trovinger, Clerk. STEER—Taken up on the 11th day November 1881 A Nibullus in Jackson to one light red steer with some specks on, and crop out of left ear, one year old, and ve at §15

STEER—Taken up the 5th day November 1881 by Phillip Yangdahl in Jackson tp one roan steer with some white specks on, right ear split, half crop in left ear, short rough horns banging down nose, valued at \$16

Greenwood county--J. W. Kenner, clerk STEER—Taken up November 10 1881 by Milton Lewis in Janesville to one yearling steer, mostly red, white on belly and small white spots on lanks and on back, bush of tai white, horns project square from head, brand on right hip not legible, no ear marks

STEER—Taken up November 25 1881 by A W W Ison of Line PO, Madison to one red 3 year old steer with som white on belly, brand on right hip not legible HEIFER—Taken up by H B Higbre in Otter Creel \* p No ember 21 1831 one light red yearling heifer, no marks o rands, valued at \$12

MARE—Taken up November 12 1881 by T J McConnaugh ey in Quincy to one brown 2 year old mare, no marks o brands visible, valued at \$30

Jefferson county—J. N. Insley, clerk.

MARE—Taken up the 14th day November 1881 by Mary F
Watson in Norton tp one dark bay mare 3 years old, 1hands high, white spot in forchead, white hind feet, valued
at \$35

at \$35
MULE—Taken up the 17th day November 1881 by B F
Peary in Union tp one dark brown mare mule, I year old,
no marks or brands, valued at \$25
STEER—Taken up the 17th day November 1881 by Joseph
Vandruff in Union tp one steer, two white spots in forehead,
some white between fore legs

Jackson county—J. G. Porterfield, clerk
HORSE—Taken up by Isaac Smith in Dauglas tp Sept 15
1831 one black horse, right hind foot and right fore foot
white, left fore foot witte, a scar on left thigh, 16 hands
high, six year old, valued at \$60

high, six year old, valued at \$90

STEER—Taken up by L D Nichols in Netawaka tp. Netawaka 19, Nov II 183 one white steer, two years old past scar on left hip, valued at \$13

STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one rei roan steer 2 years old past, no marks, valued at \$12

HRIFER—Also by the same at the same time and place one rei roan steer 2 years old branced S on right hip, valued at \$23

HORSE—Taken up on the 6th-day of August 1881 by H

Steine in Burlingame to one bay horse 14 hands high, 12

e roan helfer 1 year old past, no marks, valued at \$10 HEIFER—Also by the same at the same time and place one roan heifer 2 years old, neck is pale red, no marks, val-ued at \$12

ued at \$12 STEER—Taken up Nov 17 1881 by John Carpenter in Grant &p one white yearling steer with r.d specks on his sides, ears red, marked with a hole in each each, no brands perceivable, valued at \$16

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STEER—Taken up by J P Shackles in 'Grant tp Nov 19
1831 one pale red 2 year old heffer, white face, bush of tail
white, some white on belly, no marks or brands visible, val
ued \$12
COLT—Taken up by Jeremiah Bottom in Grant tp Nov 12
18 1 one dark bay or brown horse colt 1 year old past, no
marks or brands perceivable, valued at \$20

COLT-Taken up Nov 14 1881 by Joseph Scott in Cedar tp one bay pony horse colt 1 or 2 y ars old, valued at \$12 one bay pony norse cost 1 or 2 y ans on, values as y.

COW—Taken up by Frank Durcell, Netawaka tp. Nov 18
1881 one red cow 2 years years old past, some white sp ts on
left bind quarter, some white on belly, left car eropped, red
helfer calf by her side, valued at \$27.

MARE—Taken up by Andrew Johnson in Soldier tp Nov 16 1881 one black three year old mare, with stripe in fore-head, branded on left shoulder with figure 3, and valued at

HEIFER—Taken up by H F Eggleston in Douglas tp No rember 7 1881 one white yearling heifer, valued at \$12 HEIFER—Also by the same at the same time and plac one white yearling heifer with red ears, valued at \$11 HEIFER—Also by the same at the same time and place one red & white yearling heifer with red neck and legs, val-ned at \$11

Lyon county-Wm. F. Ewing, clerk. LEY—Taken up by Z.H. Johnson in Waterloo tp one 2 year old filley, 12 or 13 hands high, small star in ad, no brands, valued at \$30

forehead, no brands, valued at \$30
FILLEY—Taken up by M B Smith in Agnes City tp on-black 3 year old filley, ends of mane yellowish, no brands valued at \$35 HORSE—Taken up by James Tatman in Elmendaro to one 2 or 3 year old brown horse, white spot in face, no brane valued at \$25

FILLEY—Taken up by E II Smith in Jackson tp one bay year old filley, star in forehead, both fore feet white, spo n right hind foot, valued at \$12 HEIFER-Taken up by Thos Johnson of Agnes City to me red and white spotted yearling helfer, no brands, val-

STEER-Taken up by A Holling in Agnes City to on thite roan yearling steer, no brands, valued at \$15 STEER—Taken up by C W Pritchard in Pike tp one roat year old steer, no brands, valued at \$25 COW—Taken up by Wm Jacobs in Jackson tp one 6 year old red and white spotted cow, no brands, valued at \$20

Leavenworth county-J. W. Niehaus, clerk, COW—Taken up by A G Chambers in High Prairie to No ember 14 1881 one red and white cow, right horn broke off lose to head, branded with P on left hip, supposed to be six ears old, valued at \$20 COW—Taken up by EO Jones in Tonganoxie tp November 19 1881 one cow 4 years old, roan to white, no brands, tip of ears, horns, and brush of tail gone, valued at \$15

Linn county—J. H. Martin, clerk,
STEER—Taken up by D.A. Warren on the 7th day of Nocember 183 one teer dycars old with brindle sides and
sead, line back, which is that on both danks, some
white in face, crop of ears and white in fact, representations, somewhat staggy, valued at \$18.

korns, somewhat staggy, valued at \$18

MARE—Taken up by Charles Creighton in Stanton tp November 16 1881 one mare 6 years old, bay color with black mane, tail and legs, some white hairs in face, no marks or brands, valued at \$20

SFEER—Taken up by Wm H Shattuck in Valley 'tp Nov 21 1881 one stee 2 years old, light brindle, Indian s ock, no marks or brands, valued at \$10

FILLEY—Taken up by P P Nungesser in Liberty tp Nov 15 1881 one filey 2 years old, bay, some white in face, hind feet white, branded J R on leit shoulder and M on right nip valued at \$25

SFEER—Taken up by Samuel Huff in Liberty tp November 16 1881 one 2 year old steer, red and white spotted, brand ed with the letter W on left hip, valued at \$23

HEIFER—Also by the same at the same time and place

HEIFER—Also by the same at the same time and plac-one 2 year old red and white spotted steer, valued at \$15

STEER—Taken up by M C Thompson in Liberty tp Nov 5 1881 one 1 year old steer red with some white, sides and lanks white, spot in forehead, valued at \$17 fianks white, spot in forchend, valued at \$47
STEER—Taken up by DRCampbell in Centerville tp Nov 25 1881 one 1 year old steer, mostly red with some white in forchead, a brand of some kind on left hip, valued at \$44
STEER—Taken up by S A Clampett in Liberty tp Nov 25 1881 one 1 year old steer with red head and neck, branded with letter Y on left hip, valued at \$48
HEIFER—Taken up by M W Bearers in Liberty tp Nov 25 1881 one pale red yearling helief, white spot on right with left of the part of

Morris county-A. Moser, Jr., clerk MARE—Taken up the 28th day of October 1881 by W W Whittaker in Elm Creek tp one roan mare supposed to be 2 years old last spring, about 14 hands high, light colored spot in face, valued at \$15

NORSE—Taken up by J. Holland in Valley township the 1st day of November 1881 one brown horse age unknown no marks or brands, valued st \$20 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one red and white steer 3 years old, valued at \$15 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one red and white steer 2 years old, valued at \$15

STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place on black and white steer 3 years old, valued at \$15 HORSE—Taken up the 1st day of November 1881 by E collins, in Valley township one dark brown borse 3 years id, left hind foot white, branded L S on left shoulder, val-ed at \$30

HORSE.—Also by the same at the same time and place one lark iron grey horse 3 rears old, left hind foot white, star on orchead, branded L S on left shoulder COLT—Also by the same at the same time and place one yearling horse colt, left hind foot white, star on forehead, white on nose

Nemaha county—Joshua Mitchell, clerk M. R.;—Taken up by Archey McCay in Capioma tp Octo-ser 25 1-31 one from grey mare 3 years old, no marks or brands visible, valued at \$30

'aluca at \$30 STEER—Taken up by Hiram Gerlt 4n Weimore tp Nov 881 one red and white steer two years old no marks o orands visible, valued at \$20

HEIFER-Also by the same at the same time and place me red helfer 3 years old, some white in face and on belry, narked with a group off of left car and swallow fork in right ar, valued at \$20

ear, valued at \$20 STAG—Taken up by John M Ford in Valley tp Nov 1 Iss one roan stag two years old, under bit in each ear, no other marks or brands visible, valued at \$48 HEIFER—Taken up by Theodore Adriance in Valley to Nov 1 1881 one roan heifer I vear old past, no mark or brand valued at \$12

STALL'ON—Taken up by John Ward in Valley tp Nov 3 1881 one bay pony stallion supposed to be four years old past valued at \$40 STEER—Taken up by F M Camblin in Gilman tp Nov 1881 one white steer 2 years old with brand on left hip supposed to be M

COW—Also by the same at the same time and place one red and white spotted cow with brand on right hip. The two above str-ys valued together at \$45 COW—Taken up by E W Minshall in Gilman tp November 9 1881 one red and write spotted cow supposed to be 8 years old, no marks or brands, with a red calf by her side, valued at \$25

STEER—Taken up by S T Mason in Capioma tp Novem ber 14 1881 one red 2 year old steer with roan back, slit in both ears, valued at \$15 STEER—Taken up by J W Tillson in Capioma tp Nov— 1881 one small yearling steer red in color, end off of left horn either broken or sawed, white under the belly, and valued at \$12

at \$12
STEER—Taken up by W P Buzan in Wetmore tp November 7 one roan steer with line back, no marks or brands, 2 years old, valued at \$30
STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one roan steer, line back, no marks or brands, two years old, valued at \$30

COW—Taken up by Joseph McDougal in Neuchatel tp November 1 1881 one spotted cow seven years old, red neck, white spot in face, branded with letter L on right hip, valued at \$18

ned at \$18

HEIFER—Taken up by Andrew Scouton in Gilman tp No wember lo 1881 one brindle and white spotted heifer 3 years old, under side of left ear gone, valued at \$18

COW—Taken up by Millard Sinn in Gilman tp November 5 1881 one white cow about 10 years old, left horn broken off, red cars, no other marks or brands, valued at \$18

HEIFER—Taken up by O M Logue in Wetmore tp Nov 1-881 one red 2 year old heifer, no marks or brands, valued a MARE—Taken upby BNGillasple Illinois ty Novi5 1881 i MARE—Taken upby BNGillasple Illinois ty Novi5 1881 i prown mare 3 years old, part white, red nose, saddle marks on back, heavy mane and tail, valued at \$40 COLT—Taken up by Thos O'Laughlin in Illinois ty Nov 2 1881 one sortel mare colt with white spot in face, supposed o be 2 years old, valued at \$20

STEER—Taken up by H Mathews in Richmond to Nov 18 1881 one white steer 2 years old, red ears, silt in left ear, some roan on neck back to shoulders, an unknown brand on left shoulder, valued at \$25 Osage county-Ed. Spaulding, clerk

MARE—Taken up Oct 25 1881 by Cephas Wenger in B Ingame tp one black mare five years old, branded O right shoulder, white hair mixed with black, small lump astern joint, left hind leg, valued at \$40 HORSE—Taken up by Elliott Cartwell in Fairfax tp Nov 1881 one black 4 year old horse, Texas brand, saddle marks thite hind foot, valued at \$30

white hind foot, valued at \$30
PONY-Also by the same at the same time and place one
dark brown horse pony I year old, both hind feet white,
stripe in face, valued at \$15
STEER-Taken up November 1 1881 by J V Edmonson in
fact at your light red steer on year old, white in forelead, white under belly, valued at \$11
HEIFER-Also by the same at the same time and place
one dark red he fer I year old, white spot near right eye,
small horns, valued at \$14
STEER-Taken ny New horse, where the same time and place
small horns, valued at \$14
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one dark red he fer I year old, white spot near right eye,

STEER—Taken up November 22d 1881, by J M Thompson o Agency to one 2 year old white steer, branded Y on right dp, valued at \$23

years old, rope marks on neck, collar marks on left side and white mark on left side, valued at \$55 PONY—Taken up Oct 20th 1881 by J C Lawson in Agency p one roan mare pony five years old, branded 7 on side of lead, valued at \$20

COLT—Also by the same at the same time and place on any mare colt 2 years old, valued at \$50

COLT—Taken up November 1st 1881 by A F Richards in falley Brook tp one iron grey yearling mare colt, valued at

25

HORSE—Taken up Oct 20 1881 by John Lovell in Junction to one bay horse 12 years old. blind in left eye, white eft hind foot, collar and saddie marks, valued at \$50

HORSE—Also by the same at the same time and place one ight bay horse 15 years old, sway back, 3 white feet, star in ace, collar and saddie marks, valued at \$10

Riley county-F. A. Schermerhorn, clerk, STEER—Taken up by N J Peterson in Fancy Creek to Ne ember 9 1881 one yearling steer, red with white spot in for ead and white under the belly, no marks or brands

Smith county-E. Stevens, clerk. STEER—Taken up by J M Wood in Oak to Nov 7 1881 ne white steer two years old, inside of ears dark color, no tarks or brands, valued at \$25

Shawnee county--J. Lee Knight, clerk Snawnee county--J. Lee Anight, ciers.

MARE-Taken up Nov 10 ISSI by H H Wallace in Mission
to one iron grey mare about 1 year old, has a small white
spot in forehead, no other marks or brands valued at \$20

STEER—Taken up November 26 1881 by SJ Yager in Auburn to one white 2 year old steer, no marks or brands, valudd. 1 \$20

Woodson county-H. S. Trueblood, clerk. . MARE—Taken up by Ernest Stockebrand in Center tp No vember 19 1881 one bay mare colt 1 year old, hind feet white valued at \$15

Wabaunsee county.—T. N. Watts, clerk.
STEER—Taken up by Tim Sullivan in Kaw tp November
Issl one yearling steer, red and white, valued at \$15
HEIFER—Taken up by Wm Hupper in Kaw tp November
one helfer 2 years old, spetted red and white, right ear
STEER—Also by the spect that

MARE—Taken up by Henry Luibbe in Kaw tp November 2 one 1 year old dark brown pony mare, white star in fore-head; a little white on left heel, scar under left eye, valued at \$25

FILLEY—Also by the same at the same time and plac the bay yearling filley, white stripe in forehead, hind leg hite, valued at \$15

FILLEY—Taken cp by C W Page in Wilmington to Nov 19 one bay filley 2 years old, white star in forehead, left hind foot white, valued at \$40

MARE—Taken up by WJ Hurshaw Oct 30th in Welming ton tp one dark brown mare 7 years old, collar and saddle make, a few white hairs in forchead and on left hind foot, valued at 550 vanied at 550

MARE—Taken up by SG Cantrill in Wilmington tpNov 2, one sorrel mare 5 years old last spring, flax mane, large of the forehead running half way down the nose, botton for the first way up to the hock, left fore foot white allow passes in loint, small lump on left hock, cap off right hip, valued at \$40.

MARE—Taken up by A F Hartwell November 1 1881 in Mission Creek tp one roan mare 3 years old, white spot in forchead, both hind feet white, branded J L on left shoul-der, valued at \$30

der, valued at \$30

COLT—Also by the same at the same time and place one horse colt one year old, dark spot on forchead, white on nose and under lip, left fore foot white, valued at \$15

HEIFER—Taken by Asa Carter in Wilmington to Nov 4 white sone small yearling heifer spotted red and white, large white spot in forchead, white on the of tail and belly, blotch ed brand on both hips, valued at \$11

COLT—Taken up by J H Gerhart in Wabaunsee tp Nov 13 one light sorrel horse colt I year old, valued at \$15

FONY—Taken up by A Ketterman in Alma tp Nov 16 one light bay pony 2 years old, valued at \$11

COW—Taken up by Holmdon & Janes in Maple Hill tp November 5 one roan cow about 4 years old, branded on left hip 13

HE.FER—Taken up by C. P. Best 19 on left hip 13

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hip 13

HE.FER—Taken up by C D Bear in Alma tp Nov 10 one yearling helfer, body white a few red spots on head, neck and legs below the knees light red, valued at \$13

COW AND CALF—Taken up by Charles North in Wilmington tp Nov 3 one cow with calf from 4 to 6 weeks old, cow dark red, white spots in face, letters FM cut on left horn, valued at \$20

Strays for the week ending November 30.

Brown county—John E. Moon, clerk.
PONY—Taken up by Stephen John in Padonia tp Novissi one one year old horse pony, few white hairs in forehead, black mane and tail, branded on left shoulder shape
of a heart, valued at \$14
STEER—Taken up Nov 1 1881 by A Carothers in Walnut
tp one two year old roan steer, red head and neck, white
forehead and an indistinct brand on right hip, and valued
at \$20

Bourbon county-L. B. Welch, clerk. SOUTOON COUNTY—L. B. Welch, clerk.
STEER—Taken up by Eugene Daniels of Marion tp on he 12th day of Nov 1881 one yearling steer, medium size olor red, white spot on forehead and two white spots or ach side, valued at \$42

COLT—Taken up by S A Grubb in Osage to the 21st day of Sovember 1881 one yearling mare colt, light chestnut sorrel to marks or brands visible November 1881 one yearling mare colt, light ehestnut sorrel, no marks or branda visible

STEER.—Taken up by Fred Leaton in Marion to the 19th day of November 1881 one two year old steer, small size, line back, pale red sides, swallow fork in right ear, left ear off close to head, a cross branded on right hip, valued at \$15

COW—Taken up by Fred Bayless in Marion to to 22d day of November 1881 one cow, medium size, roan with red neck square crop off right ear, 6 years old.

COW—Taken up by Isanc Bolinger in Marmaton to one large cow about 9 years old, white with red rone ears and neck, has a few small dark red spots on the body, marked with swallow fork in the right ear, swallow fork and cup in the left ear, valued at \$20

STEER.—Taken up by Solomon Donald in Marion to the 22d day of November 1881 one steer three years old, red with line back, crop off both ears, branded R on left hip

Danchas county—N O. Stevans, east.

Douglas county-N. O. Stevens, clerk. STEER-Tiken up the 10th day of November 1881 by W I Humphey in Clinton to one small red brindle steer three cars old, a triangle brand on right hip, a scallop under one ar, the other ragged as it torn by dogs

ear, the other ragged as 11 forn by dogs MARE—Taken up the 7th day of November 1881 by Alvey Wilson in Kanwaka tp one rod roan mare 4 years old; no marks or brands, vatued at \$45

Jefferson county—J. N. Insley, clerk.

COLT—Taken up on the 1st day of November 1831 by Frank Ratz in Delaware township one roan mare colt, coming two years old, white face, both hard feet white, right fore leg white to the knee, valued at \$25

HEIFER—Taken up the 1st day of November 1831 by W K Stone in Norton tp one red heifer 2 years old, white spot on breast and in forehead, crop on right ear and slit in the same

Ness county—J. H. Elting, clerk.

COW—Taken up the 14th day of October 1881 by Phillip
Solvarane 10 lin to an ecow about 4 years old, branded R
on left hip and 1 on left side, crop of the left era and noteh
from under sid of left ear, and notch off upper side of right
ar, valued at \$25

Shawnee county-J. Lee Knight, clerk HORSE—Taken up November 2d 1881 by A L Wood of over tp one black horse 15 hands high, 4 years old, small ar in forchead, valued at \$50 

orands, witner at \$30.

HORSE—Taken up November 10 1881 by A M Garrison in Auburn tp one horse successed to a out ten years old, black, laar in forchead, left fore foot white, collar and suddle marks oranded with a large H on right thip, valued at \$415 counded with a large H on right thip, valued at \$455 counded with cownship one sorrel stud colt 2 years old, brand d on left shoulder with a heart, both hind feet white, valued at \$20

ned at \$20

COW—Taken up November 17 1881 by Chas R Kinsey in Silver Lake to one white cow\_right ear cropped\_under bit in Bifter Lake to one white cow\_right ear cropped\_under bit in Heff ear, 18 years old, valued at \$10

HEFFER—Taken up November 12 1881 by J W Rose in Auburn to one red yearling heifer, white on belly, no marks or brands, valued at \$12

FILLEY—Taken up November 15 1881 by T R Melton in Auburn to one sorrel yearling filley, left hind foot whire, white in forchead, no mark or brands, valued at \$15

COW—Taken up November 4 1881 by Alfred Sage in Dovertp, one white cow 4 years old, underbit in right ear, valued at \$20

Wabaunsee county---T. N. Watts, clerk. HEIFER-Taken up November 7 1881 by Nick Aner in armer tp one roan yearling helfer, valued at \$12 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place ne speckled yearling strer, slit in left ear yalued at \$12 ne speckled yearling steer, slit in left ear yalued at \$12 MARE—Taken up by Gilbert Anderson November 5 in ashington to one dark bay mare colt two years old, no arks, valued at \$40 COLT—Also by the same at the same time and place on ight sorrel mare colt one year old, white stripe in forehead alued at \$25

### Strays for the week ending November 23. Brown county-John E. Moon, clerk. STEER—Taken up November 1 1881 by G W Emerson over the Steer one year old, valued at \$12

Chautauqua county-C. M. Knapp, clerk, hoad, supposed to be 3 years old past, valued as \$18 PONY—Taken up on the 21st day of October by M S Mav-field in Little Cana township one bay mare pony about it hands high, supposed to be four years old, branded Cor right shoulder and hip, valued at \$18 Cowley county-J. S. Hunt, clerk.

MARE—Taken up on the 20 day of October 1881 by S Alli-ion in Silverda: e township one roan mare 10 year old COLT—Also by the same at the same time and place one lorse colt 2 years ole, branded S on right shoulder The two above strays valued together at \$60 Douglas county-N. O. Stevens, clerk. MULE—Taken up on the 12th day November 1881 one black horse mule, 10 hands high, 18 years old, collar and saidle marks, branded on left shoulder with letter R, val-ued at \$15

Doniphan county.—D. W. Morse, clerk. COW—Taken up by John McDowell in Iowa township

or about the 15th ay of September one red and white cow 5 years old. D braved on left hip also her calf, the two valued at \$20 COW-Also by the same at the same time and place one cow 7 years old, half crop off both ears, shell off left horn, white face, red and white body, valued at \$20 compared to the compared to the same of the compared to the co STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one earling steer, swallow fork on left ear, white belly, valued

at §14 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place on yearlingsteer, nati erop off left ear swellow fork; and under 9 bit in right ear, red and some white on belly and tall, val-ued at §13

Elk county.-Geo. Thompson, clerk, HEIFER—Taken upon the 3d day of November 1881 by John Olson in Painterhood one roan heifer, valued at \$15

Franklin county.-A. H. Sellers, clerk. Frankin county.—A. H. Seiiers, cierk.

HORSE—Taken up by Henry II Cowan in Pottawatomie
township October 17th issi one bay horse 12 years old with
harness marks, valued at 540 natiness marks, valued at \$40 HORSE—Also by the same at the same time and place one bay horse to years old, some collar marks, valued at \$40 STEER—Taken up by O J Bodley in Hayes township Newmber ist lest, our red and white steer 2 years old, no far marks or brands can be noticed except the bush of his tall gone, valued at \$52

Greenwood county-J. W. Kenner, clerk. MARE—Taken up by H M Shepard of Sping Creek town-ship September 2 18s1 one sorrel pony mare 7 or 8 years, 14 nauds high, white spot in forehead, no marks or brands ex-ept saddle and harness marks, valued at \$20

Hodgman county-E. M. Prindle, clerk. MARE—Taken up on the 2th day of November 1881 by Geo W Blackburn in North Roscoc township one brown po-ny mare, 4 white feet, white face or snip on nose, and val-ued at \$15

Shawnee county—J. Lee Knight, clerk,
FILLEY—Taken up by M.J.Mix of Tecumech township
November 2 1881 one dark brown filley about two years eld,
about 12 hands high, valued at §15
STEER—Taken up by L.A. Mulholland of Mission township November 4 1881 one roan steer one year old, notch in
right ear, valued at §15
STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one
dark red steer one year old, with some white, hole and silt
in right ear, valued at §15
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ear, vamed at 415
STEER—Taken up by E S McClintock of Mission township November 2 1881 one red roan two year old steer, slit in left ear, valued at \$22
STEER—Taken up by E Higgins of Mission township November 4 1881 on red and white two year old steer, clip on left ear, valued at \$23 STEER-Also by the same at the same time and place one ed and white two year old steer, clip on left ear, and valued

1 523 STEER—Also by the same at the same time and place one oan two year old steer, clip on left ear, valued at \$23 Wabaunsee county-T. N. Watts, clerk. Wabaunsee councy—I. N. Watts, clerk.
HEIFER—Taken up by Ed Knapp in Farmer township
November 2 Isst one roan helfer 3 years old, branded 13 or
eft hip, valued at \$15

COW-Also by the same at the same time and place one spotted cow 4 years old, branded 13 on lett hip, and valued at \$17 COW-Also by the same at the same time and place one speckled cow 5 years on, branded 13 on left hip, and valued at \$20

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## Condensed News of the Week.

Small pox epidemic at Lincoln, Illinois.

Railread freight war in the east continues.

Man killed in a saloon row at Nilwood, 111s. President Arthur testified in the Guiteau case

East river bridge at New York nearly completed.

Case of death from leprosy in a New York hospital. Mexican found murdered near San Antonia, Tex

Three stock men of Tennessee murdered in Alaba

Three girls burned in a house near Des Moines

Topeka & Pawnee Railroad (Pawnee in Nebraska

John Wooden, of Hayesville, Kansas, bitten by mad mule.

Internal revenue collected during the fiscal year, \$135,229,912,30,

The old home of President Madison sold for \$19. 000, at auction

Butter cheese and egg association organized at Ce dar Rapids, Iowa.

Thomas Hughes has retired from the management of the Rugby colony

Body of a woman found buried uader brick and dirt near Purding, Pa. Three of the great mills at Minneapolis, Minn.

burned Loss \$500,000. A Hyde Park man in Boston has become insare

and thinks he is Guiteau.

United States engineers compelled to stop work at Quincy on account of the ice.

Sheriff and deputy murdered near St. Louis, in returning from service of writs.

A Canadian embezzler of \$75,000, now in New York, is an old Sunday School teacher.

A one hundred dollar dining car conductor absconded with his stolen hundred.

Earnings for the Pennsylvania Central railway company for October was \$3,672,972,

The New Orleans Times and Democrat are consolit dated under the name Times-Democrat.

John Carr, contractor and builder at Berlin, nea Sandusky, Ohio, fell dead with apoplexy.

A man named Moyer arrested in Pennsylvania for the murder of a peddler fifteen years ago.

Board officers in New Jersey imprisoned and fined for concealing the insclvency of the bank.

Will Shoonover, a farmer near Elgln, Illinois, had his skull fractured by the kick of a horse.

The cheese, butter and egg convention at Cedar Rapids, discussed the oleomargarine business.

Jewish citizens of Chicago organized for the relie

Nineteenth annual session of the National Metho

dist Sunday School Union in session at Indianapolis Married woman at Bay City, Mich , ran away after an alleged Indian doctor and lived with him as his

Secretary of War recommends increasing the army to twenty-five thousand men, indorsing Gen. Sher-

Guiteau testified in his own case, relating his life' experience with clearness. His memory is good and

The Newark bank broken by the thief Baidwin. cashier, will yet be able to pay eighty five cents on

A. D. Miller, manager of the Canton Spring Company, Ohio, having slightly overdrawn his salary decamped.

IIA preacher at Hartford, finding a burglar in his se, grappled him and held him until the police came and arrested him.

In the Indiana Female Reformatory there are forty five prisoners in the penal department and one hundred in the reformatory. An old man, at Elk City, Kansas, had both of his

legs, one arm and several ribs broken by the falling of his barn. Was living at last report. An attempt to wreck a train near Bloomington, Ills, frustrated by the engineer's seeing the flickering

light of the villians some miles ahead. An elderly lady at Fort Wayne, Indiana, committed suicide by throwing herself into the canal because of cruelty from her dissolute husband.

The Baltimore, Cincinnati and Western railroad company is organized to build a line from Baltimore

to Cincinnati parallel with the Baltimore & Ohio, A Miss Sellers, of Alabama, was struck with a heavy stick on the head by a man named Holcomb, frac

turing her skull, when he took strychnine and died At Pulaski, Illinois, two girls at a social party took a horse out of a stable for a little fun and ride. posing them to be horse thieves, they were shot at

and one of them badly injured, A Leavenworth, Kansas, boy's skull was broken by the kick of a colt. The broken pieces of bone were-removed and a part of the brain. The boy is getting well, and has perfect use of all his faculties.

# Political Notes.

The president keeps his own counsel.

The President's message is a conservative docu

It is still insisted that Freuch must leave the treas ury department.

Naval advistry board recommends the building of thirty unarmed ships.

Commissioner McFarland gave a reception to Kan-

sas men at Washington.

Senator Beek of Kentucky has no opposition in his

candidacy for re-election.

At the tariff convention in New York, Mr. Grinnell,

of Iowa, advocated free coinage of silver. Senator Beck nominated for re-election by the dem

ocratic caucus of the Kentucky legislature. Mr. Kiefer, of Ohio, was unanimously nominated

by the republican caucus for speaker of the House of A resolution offered to amend the rule of the house

of representative so as to have a committee on Missis sippl river improvement.

At a readjuster conference in Virginia it was determined that the Biddleberger bill should be passed-It provides for a re adjustment of the state debt.

## Foreign News Digested.

Ex-Empress Eugenie will settle down quietly at

Chief Cetewayo intends visiting England in the

The "no rent strike" is general in Limerick county

Another secret printing office discovered in St. Pe

A medical studenta t St. Petersbug arrested for wri ting a threatening letter to a government officer.

Evidence taken in the ulhilist trials shows that the anization is more powerful than has been gener ally believed.

Sara Bernhardt is insulted by the people in Odes because of her Jewish orign, and she is protected on the streets by a body of ten armed cossacks,

At Tunis, the French soldiers seized the Arab guard

of the British consul, and cut off his head, because, they say, he had fired his gun toward the French camp. Trouble is feared. A convention representing nearly half a million

Scotch farmers resolved that the laws of entail and primogeniture ought to be repealed and a law passed permitting the purchase of land at an equitable There is a purple half to the grape, a mellow half o the peach, a sunny half to the globe and a better

half to the man that is fortunate enough to have a Labaraque's solution of chlorinated soda is excellent as a wash for the mouth, throat, eyes, and head

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# THEMARKETS.

## WOOL.

# Chicago.

The Drover's Journal reports; Current quotations from store range as follows for bright wools from Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, and eastern Iowa-dark western lots generally ranging at 2 to 5c per lb

	Per 1b.
Coarse or dingy tub	33 to 36
Good medium tub	37 to 42
Fine unwashed bucks fleeces	14 to 18
Fine unwashed heavy fleeces	22 to 24
Fine light fleeces	25 to 27
Coarse unwashed fleeces	18 to 22
Low medium	25 to 27
Fine medium	28 to 31
Fine washed fleeces	37 to 40
Coarse washed fleeces	34 to 37
Low medium fleeces	37 to 40
Fine medium fleeces	40 to 42
Colorado and Territory wools range as follows:	16 to 99
Lowest grades	
New Mexican unimproved grades	
New Mexican best grades	
Kansas City.	
The Price Current reports:	
Market steady. We quote Missouri unwashed-	
Medium20	to 23e
Fine16	to 20c
Coarse	to 18c
Combing20	to 25c
Colorado and Mexican	to 20e
Fine12	to 14e
Medium17	to 22e

.....19 to 25c St. Louis. Tub washed, choice at 39c; fair at 35 to 37c; dingy and lov 31 to 33c. Unwashed medium, 25c; choice, 25/5c; low and coarse, 18 to 29c; light fine, 22 to 23c; heavy do, 15 to 18c,

# Money, Produce and Live Stock.

**New York Money Market.** 

[By Telegraph.] NEW YORK, December 6.

NEW YORK, December 6.

MONEY—Money closed at 3 per cent, but the ruling rate o-day was 6 per cent. Exchange closed at \$4 80@4 84.

PRIME MERCANTILE PAPER—6 to 7 per cent.

STERLING EXCHANGE—Steady; sixty days, \$4 80.4 right, \$4 845. GOVERNMENT BONDS.

1023 New 4's registered....

SECURITIES. Pacific 6's, 95 Central Pacific 1sts...... ...115% St. Joe ....

BAR SILVER-\$1 12%.

GOVERNMENTS-Strong and higher, except for extend-RAILROAD BONDS-Irregular

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STATE SECURITIES—Dull but firm STOCKS—The stock market was irregular at the opening ut on the main, firm and 3% to 1 per cent higher; in early dealings a pressure to sell was developed which resulted in a decline of  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. At the first board the temper of speculation underwent a change, and an advance of  $\frac{1}{2}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$  to rearries are related. After midday the market again became weak, and continued heavy during the rest of the day, closing at a decline of 14 to 114 per cent. from the best figures of the day.

## Chicago Money Market.

[By Telegraph.]

Cuicago December 6 To-day there was an active demand for money and wa quotes rates steady and firm at 6 to 8 per cent. Eastern ex hange betwe city banks was quoted at par. The clear ings of the associated banks were \$8,000,000; on 'Change th arkets were irregular.

The movement of currency to the interior was large.

### GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

#### Chicago.

[By Telegraph,]

CHICAGO, December 6. The receipts of grain were 23,000 bushels by rail, embrac ng 48 of wheat, 274 of corn, 71 of oats, 8 of rye and 39 of bar-

pring \$4 50 to 6 75; Minnesota, \$5 25 to 7 50; patent, \$7 50 to 25; winter wheat flour, \$6 50 to 8 00; rye flour, \$5 80 to 6 10; uckwheat flour, \$8 70 to 9 00

WHEAT—Active, unsettled and weaker; the market open-ed about \$40 lower, and ruled tolerably steady for awhile; No. 2 spring, \$1 21% to 1 21% cash; \$1 24% November; \$1 24% 10 1 24% December; \$1 25% to 1 29% January; No 3 \$1 11% CORN-Fair demand on speculative account; and the ship ment inquiry moderate. During the early part of the ses-sion the market was steady and prices advanced ½ to ½c, but later in the day the feeling was weak and prices receded again ¾ to ¾c, and ruled tame, and closed about ¾c lower: No 2, 5916c November; 6016c December; 6116c January; re

OATS-Lower; No 2, 4314 to 4414c November and De

er; 4ic January; 46)4c May RYE—Steady; No 2, nominally 99c BARLEY—Nominal; No 2, 93)4c to \$1 04

PORK-Declined 25 to 30c, and closed for mess, \$16 25 to 16 37½ cash; old, \$16 75 to 16 37½ cash; new, \$16 25 December \$17 17½ to 17 32 January; \$17 37 to 17 50 February; \$17 55 to

LARD-Active and lower: closed at \$11 00 to 11 0716 Noember and December; \$11 27% to 11 30 January; \$11 49% vember and December; \$11 37; 4 to 11 30 January; \$11 49; 4 to 11 60 February; \$11 65 March BULK MEATS—Active; short ribs closed at \$8 70 cash; \$8 77½ to 8 80 January; \$8 90 to 9 0 7 February; \$9 10 March

WHISKY-Quiet at \$1 14 EGGS-Steady; held for sales only to the local trade a

to 25c for fresh BUTTER—Common and medium grades were plenty and n small request at former prices; we quote: choice to fancy reamery, 36 to 39c; ordinary to good do, 28 to 35c; good to fancy dairy 26 to 32c; common to fair do, 16 to 22; ladle

	Receipts.	Shipments
Flour	8,000	8,500
Wheat	41,000	17,000
Corn	120,60)	143,500
Oats	42,000	30,000
Rye	4 000	1,000
Barley	15,000	21,00

# New York.

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, December 6. FLOUR—Steady superfine, \$4 40 to 5 30; common to good extra, \$5 00 to 5 80; good to choice, \$5 90 to 9 00; St. Louis,

WHEAT-Opened 1/4 to 1/4c higher, afterwards lost the adrance, and declined 1/4 to 1c, closing weak; No 3 spring, \$1 37 No. 2 Milwaukee, \$1 37½; No. 3 red, \$1 28; No 2 red, \$1 39½ to 1 40½ for new; \$1 40½ to 1 41 for old; steamer do. \$1 36 to

CORN-Opened 14 to 16c higher, afterwards lost the adaffee and declined a trifle, closing weak: No. 3, 65% to 65% No. 2, 68 to 68%c; No. 2 white, 72%c OATS—Market % to 1c higher; closing weak; mixed west

rn, 49% to 52%c COFFEE—Nominally unchanged; Rio cargos, 8% to 8%c SUGAR—Quiet and firm; fair to good refining, 7% to 7% of MOLASSES—Quiet; New Orleans, 60 to 70c; old, 35 to 60c RICE—Quiet and steady EGGS—Western fresh, very firm at 28 to 30c per dozen PORK—Market firm; new mess, \$17 00

BEEF-Quiet and steady CUT MEATS-Quiet and firm; long clear middles, \$9 25

0 75; short clear, \$0 62½ LARD—Market steady; prime steam, \$11 42 to 11 47 BUTTER—Market strong for choice at 12 to 40 cents pe CHEESE—Market quiet and steady at 8 to 11%c per pound Receipts. Exports. .. 18,000 10,000 Wheat ... 93,800 107.000 Corn .... Oats... 74,00

17,850 St. Louis.

[By Telegraph.] ST. LOUIS, December 6. FLOUR—About 5c lower and dull; choice to fancy, \$6 10 to

WHEAT-Opened higher, declined, closed firmer; No 2 red, \$1 52 to 1 34¼ cash; \$1 33 to 1 33½ December; \$1 33¾ January; \$1 42 February; No. 3 do, \$1 25; No 4 do \$1 15½ CORN—Higher; 62¼ to 63¾c cash; 63¾ to 63¾c December; 53% to 64c January; 64% to 64%c February; 66% to 67%c

OATS-Market higher; 4714c cash; 4614c December; 47 to 46%c January; 49c May RYE—Firmer; 98c bid

BARLEY-Steady; prime to fancy, 85c to 1 15 LEAD-Quiet; \$4 80 BUTTER—Better; dairy, 28 to 35c; creamery, 34 to 39c EGGS—HiSher; 30c for fresh WHISKY—Higher; \$1 16

PORK-Quiet; jobbing, \$17 00 cash; \$17 05 January DRY SALT MEATS-Market firm, slow; \$6 20 to 6 30; 8 65 8 75: \$8 70 to 8 80, \$8 95 to 9 05 

Receipts. Shipments Wheat ..... Corn..

#### Kansas Gity. [By Telegraph.]

KANSAS CITY, December 6.

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The Commercial Indicator reports: WHEAT—Receipts, 11,887 busi, els; withdrawn, 16,578 bush els; in store, 496,589 bushels; market firmer and higher; No 4 cash, 85½c bid, 85½c asked; November, 88½ to 85½c; December, 91½c bid, 85c a ked; January, 88c bid, 98c asked; No 3 cash, \$123 bid, \$123½ asked; December, \$103½ bid, \$104 asked; January, \$105 to 105½; No. 2 cash, \$125½ bid,

1 24 asked; December, \$1 32%; January, \$1 25 CORN—Receipts, 7 254 bushels; withdrawn, 7,668 bushels; in store, 85,136 bushols, market grm; No. 2 mixed, cash 61e bid, 61½c asked; November 61½c; December, 63½c bid, 64e asked; year, 60e bid, 61e asked; January 61e; May 64½c bid, 65½c asked; No 2 white mixed; cash, 62½c bid, 63 asked OATS-No 2 cash, 431/2c bid; December, 45c bid, 431/2c

RYE-No 2, cash, 824c bid, 90c asked; December, 88c bid Me sked

HAY-Firmer; supply light; choice, \$12.50 to 13.00; red,

BUTTER-Receipts large and m arket weaker; choice 28 30c; medium, 23 to 25c; low 18 to 29c EGGS—Market firm at 30c per dozen TALLOW—Market steady at 3c for No. 1; No. 2, 5c

reen salted, 634 to 85c; green, 5 to 65c; calf, 10 to 12c; deer, 5 to 46c; 18 to 22c; sheep, 25c FLOUR—Weak, quiet and slow. fine, \$1 75 family, \$2 90 choice, \$3 10; fancy, \$3 85 POTATOES-\$1 10 to 1 20; red sweet, 75c; yellow, 90c GAME—Quail, \$1 25 to 1 50 APPLES—\$4 59 to 5 00 CHEESE—11 to 15c BACON—\$1 19 DRIRD—EEF—13c

HIDES AND OELTS-Dry flint, No. 1, 14c; No. 1, 10c

# Liverpool.

[By Cable.] LIVERPOOL, ENG., December 6.

BREADSTUFFS-Quiet and steady FLOUR-10s 6d to 13s. WHEAT-Winter, 10s 6d to 11s 1d; spring, 9s 10d to 10s 6d CORN-New, 5s 111d; old, 5s 61d.

PORK-75s BEEF-92s. BACON-Long clear middles, 48s 6d; short clear, 49s 6d LARD-59s

### LIVE STOCK.

### Chicago.

[By Telegraph.] CHICAGO, December 6.

The Drover's Journal to-day, reports as follows: HOGS-Receipts, 25,000; shipments, 2,500; market steady; good sharp demand for choice, values firmer; common to good mixed packers, \$5.60 to 6.00; heavy packing and shipping \$6 15 to 6 40; light \$5 75 to 6 00; culls and grassers \$4 00 to

CATTLE-Receipts 3 000; shipments 3 500; market steady and fairly active; exports \$6.00 to 6.20; good to choice ship-ping, \$5.30 to 5.60; common to fair, \$4.00 to 4.70; mixed butch ers' plenty, and all kinds weak; poor to fair, \$2.00 to 2.50; medium to good \$2.75 to 3.50; choice, \$3.75 to 4.00; stock ers and feeders, plenty and slow; poor to choice, \$2.40 to 3.75; Texans, \$3.00 to 4.00; half breeds and native rangers \$4.00

SHEEP-Receipts, 1,600; shipments, 1,300; common to medium, \$3.60 to 3.75; good to choice, \$4.00 to 4.50; selected wethers, \$4.50 to 5.00

# St. Louis.

[By Telegraph.]

The Western Live Stock Journal reports:

HOGS—Receipts, 579; shipments, 3,6000; market fairly active; Yorkers, \$8 25 to 6 55; mixed packing, \$5 90 to 6 15; butchers' to fancy \$6 10 to 6 40

CATTLE—Receipts 300; shipments, 300; market in fair demand for each butchers', and native stores that which the store is the packing and parties of the packing and packing a

mand for good butcchers' and native steers, but nothing here except a small lot of common stuff, and nothing was none; good catile wanted at firm prices; good export steers would bring \$6 55 to 675; good to choice, \$5 50 to 625; native butchers steers. \$3 50 to 425; light, \$3 50 to 425; good cows and heifers \$8 00 3 75! good to choice grass Texans, \$3 50 to 4 55; common \$2 50 to 3 25; stockers and feeders; \$2 50 to 4 00 SHEEP—Receipts, 1,400: shipments, 300; supply light and quality poor, fetr to fancy sheep wanted at \$3 50 to 4 75

## Kansas City,

[By Telegraph.] KANSAS CITY, December 6.

The Commercial Indicator reports: CATTLE—Receipts, 543; shipments, 815; market actice and firm for good cattle of all classes; native shipping steers \$4 50 to 6 35; native butchers' steers, \$3 50 to 4 50; stockers

and feeders, \$3 00 to 4 00; cows, \$2 50 to 3 50 HOGS—Receipts, 3,866; shipments, 179; market firm and fairly active; sales ranged at \$5.29 to 5 60; bulk at \$5.40 to 5 75 SHEEP—Receipts, 1,022; shipments, 1 034; market quiet; natives muttons averaging 127 ba'sold at \$3

## East Liberty.

[By Telegraph.] EAST LIBERTY, December 6,

CATTLE-Fair and unchanged Receips 1,499; shipm HOGS-Firm; receipts, 2,000; shipments 1,400: Philadel-

phias, \$6 40 to 6 60; Yorkers, \$5 95 5 80 SHEEP-Fair pnd unchanged; receipts, 1,000; shipments, East Buffalo.

[By Telegraph.]

# EAST BUFFALO, December 6, HOGS—Higher; receipts, 33; shipment, 21; Yorkers \$5.80 to 6.50; good medium weights, \$6.10 to 6.25; good to choice heavy, \$6 40 to 6 62 TOPEKA MARKETS.

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