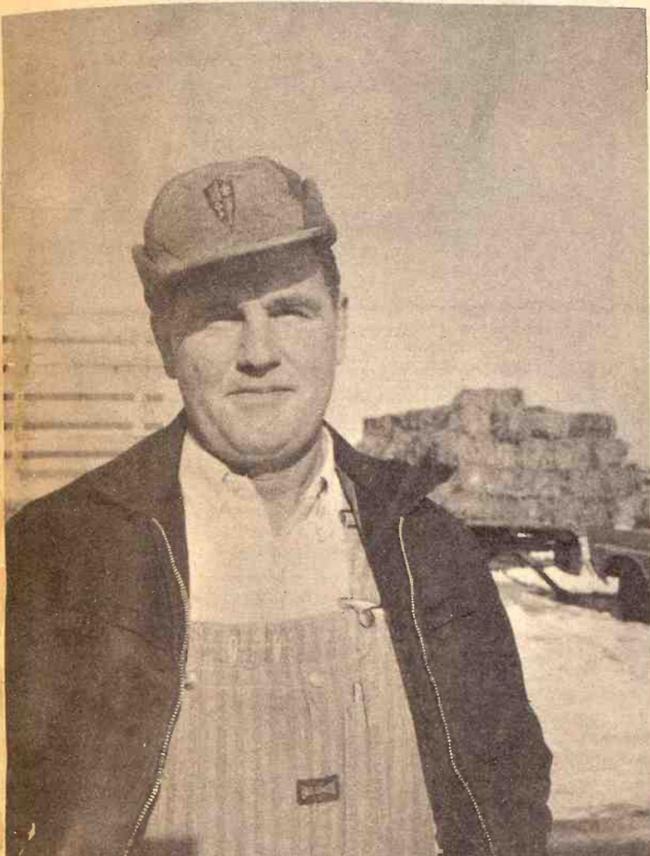


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Watching The Sale—

It was too cold to work, so Harold Mitchell of Republic used a day last week to observe an area livestock sale. He farms a half-section east of Republic.

A Slight Gain In Farm Index

Prices received by Kansas farmers at mid-December were slightly above the previous month and moderately above last year, according to the Kansas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

The all-farm products price index was 230 percent of the 1910-14 base period compared with 228 at mid-November and 220 a year ago.

Slight price increases were noted for most grain crops, hogs, beef cattle, calves and milk, while the price of eggs showed a substantial increase from the previous month. Wheat, barley, sheep and lambs were slightly below a month earlier while chickens were well below last month.

Crop Prices

The crop price index was 150 percent of the 1910-14 base period at mid-December, down 2 points from November and 9 points below last year.

Wheat, at \$1.24 per bushel, was 3 cents below November and 10 cents below December 1967.

Corn averaged \$1.06 per bushel compared with \$1.04 last month and last year. Oats, at 73 cents per bushel, was 1 cent above November but 2 cents below a year earlier. Barley averaged 92 cents per bushel compared with 93 cents last month and 98 cents last year.

Sorghum grain brought \$1.62 per cwt., up from \$1.59 a month earlier but slightly below the \$1.66 per cwt. last year. Soybeans averaged \$2.32 per bushel compared with \$2.29 last month.

Livestock Prices

The livestock and livestock products price index at mid-December was 321 percent of the 1910-14 base period compared with 315 in November and 289 a year ago. The meat animal price

index was 368 percent at mid-December compared with 365 last month and 336 last year.

Hogs, at \$17.50 per cwt., were 20 cents above November and \$1.40 above December 1967.

BY FARMERS	Dec. 15 1968	Nov. 15 1968	Dec. 15 1967
Wheat, bu.	\$ 1.24	1.27	1.34
Corn, bu.	1.06	1.04	1.04
Oats, bu.	.73	.72	.75
Barley, bu.	.92	.93	.98
Rye, bu.	.96	.94	.95
Sorghum Grain, cwt.	1.62	1.59	1.66
Soybeans, bu.	2.32	2.29	2.40
Alfalfa Hay, ton	23.50	22.50	22.50
Prairie Hay, ton	18.00	17.00	17.00
Alfalfa Seed, cwt.	33.00	33.00	34.00
Red Clover Seed, cwt.	31.00	28.00	27.00
Sweetclover Seed, cwt.	9.00	9.00	5.30
Hogs, cwt.	17.50	17.30	16.10
All Beef Cattle, cwt.	23.70	23.50	21.60
Cows, cwt.	15.90	16.30	15.00
Steers & Hfns, cwt.	25.70	25.20	23.10
Calves, cwt.	27.70	27.20	25.50
Sheep, cwt.	6.00	6.50	5.10
Lambs, cwt.	23.90	24.80	21.30
Wool, lb.	.35	.35	.34
Milk Cows, each	\$275.00	265.00	240.00
Milk (Wholesale), cwt.	5.60	5.50	5.25
Butterfat, lb.	62.0	62.0	62.0
Chickens, live, lb.	5.1	5.9	6.1
Eggs, dozen	31.8	27.0	20.2
Turkeys, live, lb.	21.0	21.0	18.0

PRICES PAID BY FARMERS FOR FEEDS	Dec. 15 1968	Nov. 15 1968	Dec. 15 1967
Cottonseed Meal (41%) cwt.	\$ 4.85	4.90	5.10
Soybean Meal (44%) cwt.	4.90	5.00	4.80
Bran, cwt.	3.10	2.85	3.15
16% Dairy Feed, ** ton.	74.00	70.00	71.00
Dairy Ration, *** cwt.	2.60	2.55	2.65
Laying Feed, ** ton.	82.00	79.00	83.00

FEEDING RATIOS	Dec. 15 1968	Nov. 15 1968	Dec. 15 1967
Hog-Corn	16.5	16.6	15.5
Butterfat-Feed	23.8	24.3	23.4
Milk-Feed	2.15	2.16	1.98
Egg-Feed	7.8	6.8	4.9

* Preliminary.
** Combined bulk and sacked.
*** Based on average prices for commercial feeds and value of grains in a composite ration.

INDEX NUMBERS - PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS (1910-14 = 100%)	Dec. 15 1968	Nov. 15 1968	Dec. 15 1967
All Farm Products	230	228	220
All Crops	150	152	159
Food Grains	146	149	157
Feed Grains	172	169	173
Hay	234	224	222
Livestock & Products	321	315	289
Meat Animals	368	365	336
Dairy Products	324	321	311
Poultry & Eggs	153	134	104
PARITY INDEX	380	359	344
PARITY RATIO**	73	73	74
ADJ. PARITY RATIO	78	79	79

* Prices Paid, interest, taxes and wage rates.
** Prices Received index as percent of parity index.
*** The adjusted parity ratio is based on estimated cash receipts from marketings and estimates of Government payments for the current calendar year provided by The Economic Research Service.

'Straight Talk On Farm Income'

A booklet titled "How're They Really Doin' Down on the Farm?" carries some facts and figures assembled from government sources by New Holland Division of Sperry Rand Corp. "in the interest of straight talk and the farmer's economic situation."

Among other items the booklet said food costs had risen less than most consumer items in the cost of living index since 1947-49.

From that period through 1966, food costs increased only 35 per cent. That's compared with an 85 per cent increase in medical care costs during the same period and a 52 per cent increase in rent costs.

An hour's factory work in 1966 would buy 2.4 pounds of round steak, while in 1945 it would purchase 2.5 pounds and in 1935 only 1.5 pounds.

The same work hour in 1966 would buy 2.8 pounds of bacon, while in 1945 only 2.5 pounds and in 1935 only 1.3 pounds;

"So why are the food bills up at the supermarket?" the booklet asks. The answer — "The cost of processing foods is one answer. Many of our popular modern foods are canned, frozen, concentrated, dehydrated, ready-mixed, ready to serve or in heat-

and-serve form. Costs of transporting and packaging foods is another. Non-food items that enter into the total on the check-out tape are still another answer

"In other words, the cost of marketing food has sent grocery bills up to a large extent. From 1947 to 1966, the total bill for marketing America's food went from \$22.6 billion to \$52.1 billion — better than 130 per cent increase in less than 20 years."

The booklet says farmers have not been getting the benefit of higher food prices. Average wholesale farm prices have been declining, with high food production and oversupplied wholesale markets.

"Here's what farmers have been averaging in receipts:

- For food — 2.8 cents for corn in a 30-cent box of corn-flakes.
- 59 cents for \$1 spent on choice beef.
- 3 to 4 cents for wheat in a 22 cent loaf of white bread.
- 23 cents for cotton in a man's \$4 business shirt
- 25 cents for each \$1 worth of pine grown in his woods.

"Here's what farmers had to live on in recent years, taking average figures for 1966 as an example.

- About \$5024 per farm net income from about \$13,100 gross
- About \$1.60 per hour for farm work performed — compared with a factory worker's 1966 average of \$2.71 per hour and a food market employee's average rate of \$2.39."

The booklet gave some other interesting things like the fact that farmers got only about 27 per cent of the USDA appropriations in 1966. Out of \$5.9 billion

spent by the government under the heading of "agriculture" that year, only \$1.6 billion directly benefited farmers by supporting farm income.

They noted that farm programs cost \$1.605 billion. Programs having foreign relations and defense aspects cost \$1.819 billion. Food distribution programs cost \$596 million.

REA and FHA repayable loans cost \$546 million. Long range natural resources improvement programs cost \$1.383 billion.

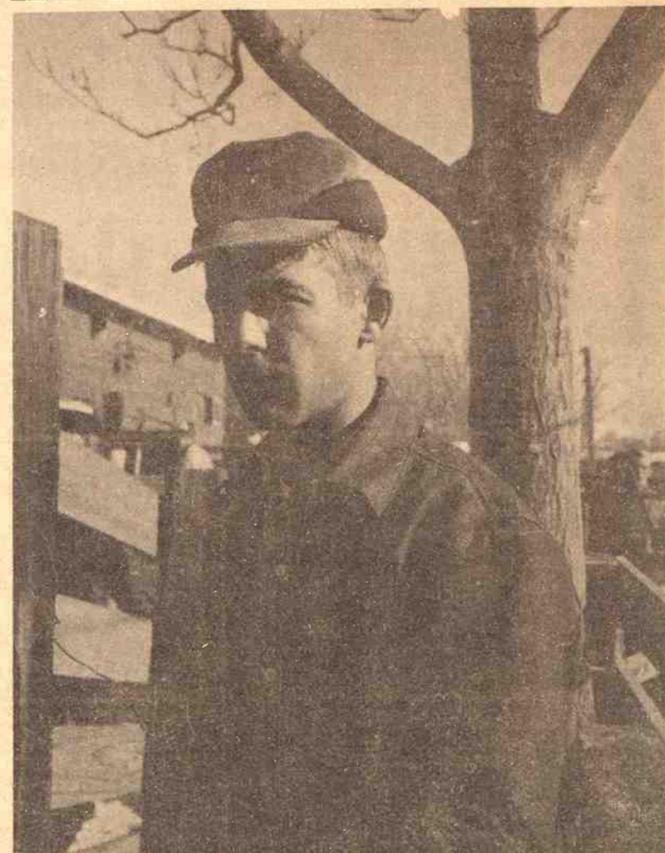
Agriculture still is the nation's biggest industry with assets of more than \$273 billion. That is equal to about two-thirds of the nation's total corporate assets.

Farmers spend \$33 billion for goods and services just to produce crops. They spend \$12 billion for food, clothes, medicine and furniture, appliances and other goods.

Farmers use about a third as much steel as the nation's automotive industry and they use 28-30 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity each year.

CENTRAL SOYA MAY ADD SECOND SHIFT

ABILENE — Central Soya, which bought the Naturich Feed plant here in August, plans to add a second shift within six months, according to John Moore of Salina, regional manager. Since Central Soya bought the plant, production has increased from a 50,000-ton annual basis to 60,000 to 75,000 tons per year, Moore said. Present employment is 28. When a new shift is added, the payroll number will jump to 32 or 33.



Marketing Sows—

Douglas Kieffer of Clifton took seven sows to sale last week, as cold weather halted most farm activities but livestock marketing. Doug farms 200 acres north of Clifton in Washington County.

Beef cattle brought \$23.70 per cwt., compared with \$23.50 per cwt. last month and \$21.60 per cwt. last year.

Steers and heifers, at \$25.70 per cwt., were 50 cents above last month and \$2.60 above last year. Calves averaged \$27.70 per cwt., up 50 cents from last month and \$2.20 above December last year.

The dairy price index was 324 percent in December compared with 321 percent in November and 311 percent in December last year.

The preliminary wholesale milk price, at \$5.60 per cwt., was 10 cents above November and 35 cents above last year.

Egg prices averaged 31.8 cents per dozen, 48 cents above November and well above the 20.2 cents per dozen in December a year ago. Turkeys brought 21 cents per pound, unchanged from November.

Prices Paid

Prices paid by Kansas farmers for protein supplements were mixed from a month earlier, while complete feeds were higher.

LINN GETS LOW-COST HOUSING

LINN — This Washington county town will have 12 low rent housing units built as part of a program of the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development. The cost will be \$165,000 to build eight 1-bedroom units and two 2-bedroom units.

NATIONAL AWARD TO FALUN STUDENT

LINDSBORG — Glenn Oleen of Falun recently was named one of two national winners of the "Future Cattleman" scholarships awarded by the American Junior Hereford Association. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Oleen.

Gene Watson Broker For Big Ranch Sale

Sale of the famous 2520 acre Honey Creek Hereford Ranch a few miles south of Grove, Okla., on shores of Grand Lake O' the Cherokees, to a Texas industrialist with a Hutchinson real estate man handling negotiations, has been confirmed.

Gene Watson was selling broker and George W. Murphy, president of Murphy Industries Inc., Houston, Tex., the buyer who

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got the spread but not the Herefords of Honey Creek from W. O. Dixon, head of Olin-Dixon, Inc., at Coffeyville, a Kansas industrialist.

Dixon's son, K. O. Dixon, has managed the ranch which had one of America's finest Hereford show herds. The cattle had been perennial winners at the Kansas State Fair. The herd was dispersed about two and a half years ago.

Last summer the ranch was listed for sale with Previews Inc., international real estate marketing service at New York.

Watson knew of the Texan's cattle operations on the island of Mookai, Hawaii, where Murphy ran a large herd of Charolais.

The Texan, chief executive officer of more than 30 corporations and subject of a Wall Street Journal feature article last May, was contacted by Watson Sept. 1.

On Sept. 13 Murphy and Watson toured the place and on Sept.

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18 agreement was reached with the Dixons.

Since then the purchaser, according to Watson, has held off any announcement of the purchase, while the Hutchinson man was endeavoring to get permission to release the story here.

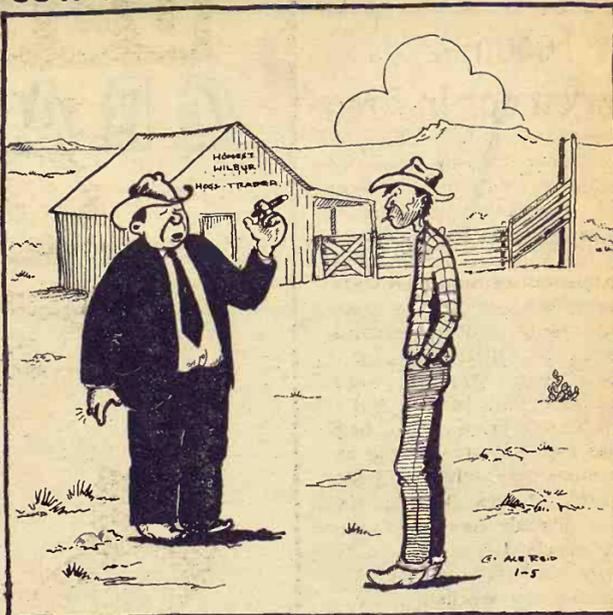
Previews, Inc., broke it through its New York public relations service this week.

The new owner meanwhile is in process of bringing his Hawaiian Charolais herd to Honey Creek and will handle some 600 breeding cows there.

The main ranch house of Honey Creek is valued at \$160,000 and the total spread sold for \$1,400,000. There are five other staff and guest houses. The main house was built in 1962 with rooms of paneled mahogany. It has a 36-foot-long living room.

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By Ace Reid



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HEW Warning On Doctor Fees

Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Wilbur Cohen refused to increase the \$4 monthly premium that 18.6 million older Americans pay for physician's services under the medicare program. Key fiscal experts in his department had urged such an increase.

Cohen coupled his surprise announcement with a warning to physicians to stop raising their fees.

Unless physicians exercise "unusual restraint," he said, "I can only believe that Congress will do something more, and it may be something they do not like."

Cohen apparently was implying that Congress might step in

and set the fees that physicians can charge under the medicare program.

Cohen said at a news conference that he acted to retain the present medicare premium in the face of warnings by his own Social Security experts that physicians' fees could increase about 5 per cent in 1969 and about 4.5 per cent in 1970.

He was advised by Robert J. Myers, chief actuary for the Social Security Administration, to raise the beneficiaries' premium to \$4.50, effective next July 1.

Under the program, which began in mid-1966, the premium paid by the elderly is matched by general fund revenues. The original monthly premium of \$6 was raised last April to \$8, of which the government pays \$4 and the recipient \$4.

More Tricks In Selling Beef

Cattlemen try sound waves, hormones and computers for bigger, juicier steaks.

Judges at the American Polled Hereford Show in Houston next month will use an IBM 360 to compute potential meat yields of each animal and a sonarscope to measure fat, muscle and meat content by sending sound waves through them. Both devices already are in use on several Texas ranches.

Oklahoma researchers are showing ranchers how to build up their herds faster by using hormone injections to induce multiple births.

Houston's Wortham Foundation prepares to breed cows that have seven vertebrae over their loins instead of the normal six. "This means longer bodies with more of the high-priced cuts," says a Wortham spokesman.

Cattlemen seek an export market for the bigger, healthier cows. High death rates foiled attempts to transport herds by rail and sea, but 519 Herefords jetted to Chile on two flights in December and 10 more flights are planned this month.

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Set Feedmill Workshops In Area

Workshops for feed mill managers and workers are scheduled for a dozen locations in Kansas during February and March. They are sponsored and conducted by the Kansas State University Extension formula feed staff.

The evening workshops are for all persons involved in manufacturing and distribution of formula feeds. "Employee training is important and we feel this K-State workshop can help Kansas feed industry people become more productive, efficient, and safe," James Balding, Extension formula feeds manufacturing specialist, said.

Other Extension personnel conducting the workshop are Dr. Robert Schoeff, formula feeds marketing specialist, and Dr. Robert Wilcox, quality control specialist. The educational meetings will focus on current situations and problems facing the state's formula feed industry.

Workshop topics include methods and practices employees can use in "everyday" operations of a mill to improve the quality of their firm's feed. Public relations will be another subject to help employees realize the importance of working with the public and understand the techniques to improve the relationships.

An important part of the sessions will be instruction on safety methods that help in prevention of fires and dust explosions.

Location and date of the workshops are
 Garden City, February 4
 Pratt, February 6
 Hays, February 11
 Colby, February 13
 Concordia, February 18
 Brookville, February 20
 Hutchinson, February 25
 Wichita, February 27
 Seneca, March 4
 Atchison, March 6
 Emporia, March 11
 Pittsburg, March 13

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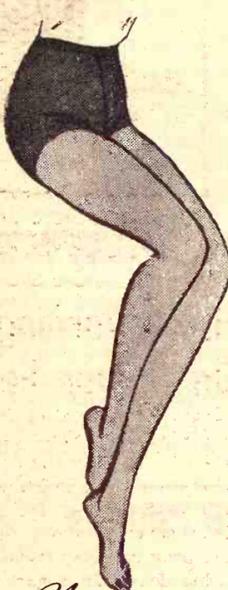
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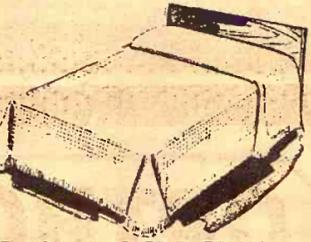
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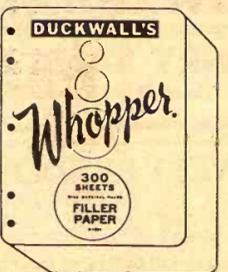
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— by G&G Area Cooks

Mrs. V. C. Shanefelt Of Abilene To Receive Prize

As in past years, we have regrouped some of the Annual Bonus Contest recipes in order that the G&G cooks may have them for their files. We are conducting this in the same manner as our weekly "Our Daily Bread" contests and are awarding a prize. — ed.

Mrs. V. C. Shanefelt, R 3, Abilene, will receive a prize for her recipe. She writes, "this is a recipe that has been in our family for years and we all like it very much. This is easy and a timesaver."

SCALLOPED CHICKEN

1 quart cooked chicken
 Make gravy using:
 1 quart broth
 5 tablespoons flour
 4 tablespoons chicken fat
 Make dressing with the following:
 1½ quarts bread cubes
 ¼ cup melted butter
 ½ teaspoon powdered sage
 ½ teaspoon poultry seasoning
 ¼ teaspoon salt
 ½ cup broth
 2 teaspoons chopped onion
 Place chicken in greased baking dish. Cover with dressing. Pour gravy over all. Bake in a 325-degree oven until brown, about 1¼ to 1½ hours.

The next recipe is from Mrs. Theresa Letourneau, Aurora:

ONE DISH MEAL

1 pound ground beef
 ½ small onion, chopped
 ¼ cup chopped celery or celery leaves
 ½ teaspoon sage
 salt and pepper to taste
 4 slices bread
 1 cup water
 3 cups mashed potatoes
 Fry ground beef loosely in skillet; drain off excess lard, add onion, cook until brown. Add celery, salt, pepper and sage. Add 4 slices of bread that has been soaking in 1 cup water. Add to ground beef, stir (may need a little more water, if so add potato water). Now pour mashed potatoes to which you have already added milk and butter.

Stir all together in skillet; simmer ten minutes in covered skillet. Serve hot.

Mrs. W. C. Ryan, R 1, Lincoln, submitted the following:

TURKEY PIE

1½ cups cooked turkey, chopped
 1 cup leftover gravy
 3 cups leftover stuffing
 ¼ cup leftover vegetables
 Spread stuffing on bottom and around sides of deep 8-inch pie plate. Moisten turkey and vegetable mixture with gravy and put on top of dressing. Bake in 350-degree oven for 30 minutes or until lightly browned. Serve with more gravy. Serves four to six.

Mrs. Robert Moody, R3, Manhattan; "I am entering this unusual roll recipe, which my family likes."

CHOCOLATE CINNAMON ROLLS

¾ cup warm water (115°)
 1 package active dry yeast
 ¼ cup shortening
 1 teaspoon salt
 ¼ cup sugar
 1 egg
 ½ cup cocoa
 2¼ cups sifted flour
 1 tablespoon soft butter
 1½ teaspoons cinnamon
 3 tablespoons nuts
 3 tablespoons sugar
 In mixer bowl dissolve yeast in water, add shortening, salt, sugar, egg, cocoa, 1 cup flour. Beat 2 minutes at medium speed or 300 strokes. Stir in remaining flour, blend well. Cover with cloth. Let rise in warm place (85°) until double in bulk. Stir

down and turn soft dough out on floured board. Roll into rectangle 12x9", spread with butter, sprinkle with cinnamon, sugar and nuts. Roll up beginning at wide side, cut 12 pieces. Place in greased 9 inch pan, let rise about 40 minutes. Bake 25 minutes in 375 degree oven. Remove from pan, frost with ¾ cup confectioners sugar moistened with milk to spread. Serve warm.

Mrs. Irven M. Ediger, Burrton, sent the next recipe:

PEANUT CRISP BARS

Combine in saucepan:
 1 cup sugar
 ½ cup margarine
 1 cup light corn syrup
 Bring to boil. Blend in:
 1 cup peanut butter
 Combine in large bowl
 6 cups crisp ready-to-eat cereal
 1 to 2 cups chopped nuts (unsalted)

Add the hot mixture; blend well. Press into buttered pan. If desired, frost with one or two packages of melted semi-sweet chocolate pieces. Cut into bars. Makes a 13x9 inch pan or two 8-inch squared pans.

Mrs. Wayne Applegate, R 1, LeRoy: "This cake is quick and easy to make and I don't have to take time to frost it. It is one of my boys' favorites."

CHOCOLATE UPSIDE-DOWN CAKE

1 cup sifted flour
 ¾ cup sugar
 1½ tablespoons cocoa
 2 teaspoons baking powder
 ½ teaspoon salt
 2 tablespoons melted butter
 ¾ cup milk

1 teaspoon vanilla
 ¾ cup chopped nuts
 ½ cup chocolate syrup
 1 cup hot water
 Sift together first five ingredients. Add butter, milk, vanilla, nuts. Stir until well mixed. Pour into greased 8x8x2-inch baking pan. Mix chocolate syrup and hot water. Pour over batter in pan. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) 35 minutes. Makes nine servings.



By Beverly Macy

During the holidays I noticed that many of my friends had received pretty flowering plants from their husbands. The men no doubt saw the plants while shopping and bought them because the flowers reminded them of their wives. Now I like plants of all kinds, up to and including a few weeds, but I'm beginning to worry some, because as near as I can recall, the last living plant my husband brought me was a cactus, and not one of the blooming varieties, either.

You'd think I'd wise up some time — Every year following the holidays I begin having trouble with my vacuum sweeper and get all upset and each time it's the same cause: The hose is completely plugged with needles from the Christmas tree.

Our youngster's cat has me wondering if she is really a cat at all. She's built on the beefy side, in fact, she resembles a Hereford. And what about a cat's inborn fear of fire and water? We have to hold her back from the fireplace when there's a fire going or she'd walk right in and she tries to stick her nose on lighted matches. As for water, she's taken a running dive into the bathroom stool twice and jumped into a filled mop bucket. Her latest swim I can comprehend, however, because she took that in the aquarium.

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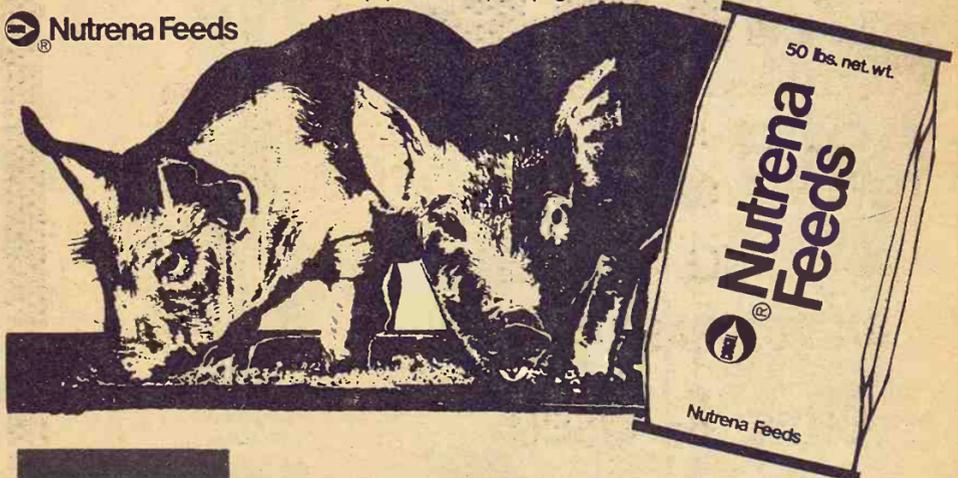
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Hints For Foot Health

The American Podiatry Association, representing the nation's 8000 foot doctors, suggests the following hints for foot health:

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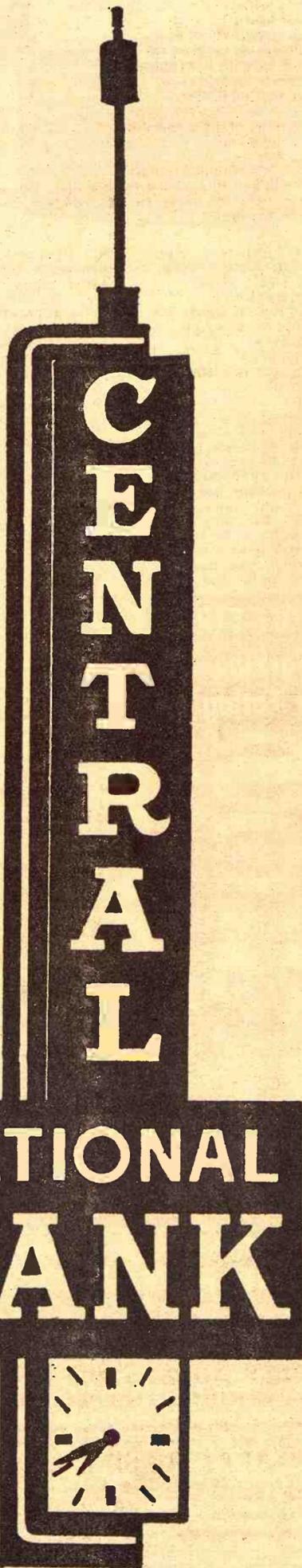
Special attention should be given to the toes and the backs of the heels.

Overexposure to sunlight or extra walking may cause your feet to swell. Relieve swelling and improve circulation in the feet and legs by taking a ten-minute rest with your feet elevated higher than your hips.

When traveling long distances by car, take a short walk occasionally to reduce swelling caused by poor circulation or inactivity.

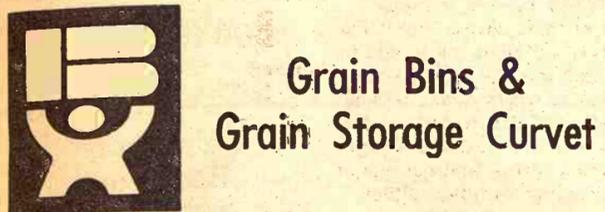
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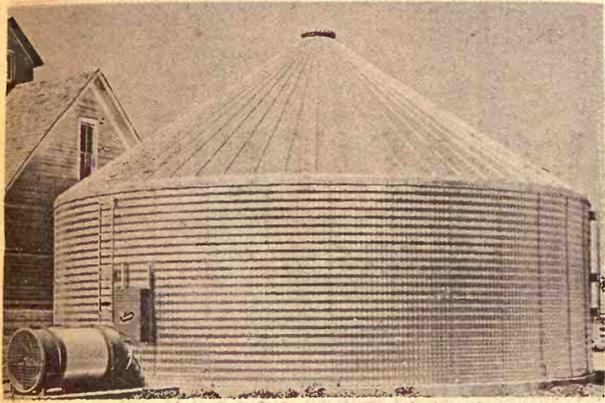


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GINGER PEAR POCKETS

- 1 (1-pound, 13-ounce) can Bartlett pear halves
- ¼ cup butter
- 1 (1½-ounce) package gingerbread mix
- 1 egg

Drain pear halves, reserving syrup for hot punch. Cut each pear half in two. Cut butter into dry gingerbread mix. Stir in egg. Chill several hours. Roll dough on floured board to ¼-inch thickness. Using pear can as cutter, cut into rounds. Place a pear wedge on each round. Lap dough over pear and seal with fork. Prick tops. Bake at 350 degrees for 12-15 minutes. Cool. Store in open container. Makes 12-15 pockets.

To store in freezer, shape and freeze before baking. Bake, un-

thawed, at 350 degrees for 18-20 minutes.

With Ginger Pear Pockets serve Hot Lemonade Punch

made with leftover pear syrup: Combine 1 cup pear syrup, 2 cups water, ½ cup sugar, ½ cup lemon juice and 1 tablespoon butter in saucepan. Bring to boil. Serve in mugs, garnished with lemon slice. Makes five servings.

Basic Requirements For A Good Home Office

Do you realize how much office work most families do at home taking care of the family budget — keeping track of expenses, writing checks and letters, plus those interminable lists — menus, laundry, shopping, guest and gift lists?

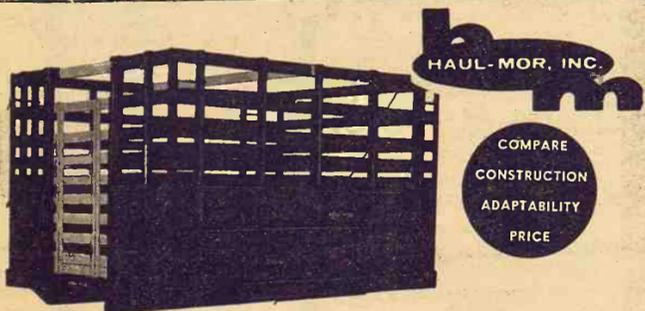
If you pay your bills at home and keep your family financial accounts there, you're an "office worker" and need a place to work. To make those business-type chores go smoothly you need a business-type office. Here are the basics of a good home office: A desk or work surface large enough to spread out your papers; a typewriter — it's much more efficient to type.

You also need a file cabinet.

The two-drawer letter size is usually adequate for home use. Other necessities include a wastepaper basket, a stapler, stationery, pencils, pens, paper clips and stamps.

One small but important item is a convenient pencil sharpener. Pencils with dull or broken points are time-wasting nuisances. You might even want to consider a genuinely modern approach, an electric model. They are fast, efficient and not as expensive as you might think.

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At mid-December feed supplies from wheat pasture in the western two-thirds of the State were sharply above a year ago and the best in 3 years, according to the Kansas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. Generally, wheat pasture feed supplies were good except in the extreme western areas where lack of moisture limited the top growth and rooting of wheat. By the middle of December,



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some 45 per cent of the seeded wheat had sufficient growth for pasturing compared with 37 per cent last month and 19 percent last year. Some 26 percent of the seeded wheat was currently being pastured compared with 11 percent last month and 9 percent last year.

The acreage required to carry a 400-pound calf averaged 7 acres, the same as mid-November.

The supply of forage available from wheat pasture was most plentiful in the south central and north central sections, with good forage from some irrigated acres. Some cattle have been taken off wheat pasture in the southwest.

Wheat in northwest Kansas benefited from the moisture in the snow cover. Relatively cool temperatures have slowed wheat growth in most areas.

Great Plains Area

In mid-December about 54 percent of the fall seeded wheat in the three state region was reported to have sufficient forage to support grazing.

This compares with 46 percent a month earlier, and 35 percent a year earlier. Approximately 34 percent of the seeded acreage was being utilized for pasture compared with 22 percent at mid-November and 26 percent a year earlier. Forage supplies were fair to good in most of the wheat pasture area.

The only areas with poor forage supplies were in extreme western Kansas, the western Oklahoma Panhandle and the southern Rolling Plains of Texas. Cold temperatures slowed wheat growth in some areas of Kansas and some cattle were removed from wheat pasture in the southwest due to a lack of forage.

Fur Trappers Still Exist

People may think fur trapping is a thing of the past, but not so, according to Robert Henderson, Extension wildlife specialist at Kansas State University.

There are trappers in Kansas; the state issues about 2000 licenses each year to people who trap fur-bearing mammals.

The image of the "once upon a time" trapper might be colorful buckskins, coonskin cap, and beard, with a tomahawk and long rifle. Now, the trapper wears rubber boots and insulated underwear, carries a pocket-knife and maybe a small-bore rifle.

Most fur trapping is open through December and January in Kansas.

This winter the long-haired furs are more in demand than short-haired ones, the specialist points out. Those bringing the highest prices are racoon, coyote, bobcat, and beaver. Wild mink and muskrat are still in demand, but not so much in recent years.

"As unusual as it may seem in this age of jetliners and frozen TV dinners, there are still men who trap animals and sell their pelts," Henderson says.

Start Filling Perry Reservoir

M. O. Smith, technical liaison chief for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in the Kansas City district office, said the corps will begin filling Perry Reservoir Jan. 15.

Smith said a gate-closing ceremony is scheduled at the reservoir for 10 a.m. Jan. 15.

"We don't expect the multi-

purpose pool to be reached under normal conditions until the spring of 1970," Smith said.

"However, it could be reached in one year. We know that, but we don't expect this, based on studies going back many years."

Smith said work will continue on the reservoir for another year or so. He said the work still to be done includes installation of access roads and development of nine separate recreational areas.

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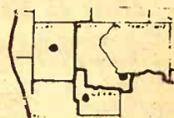
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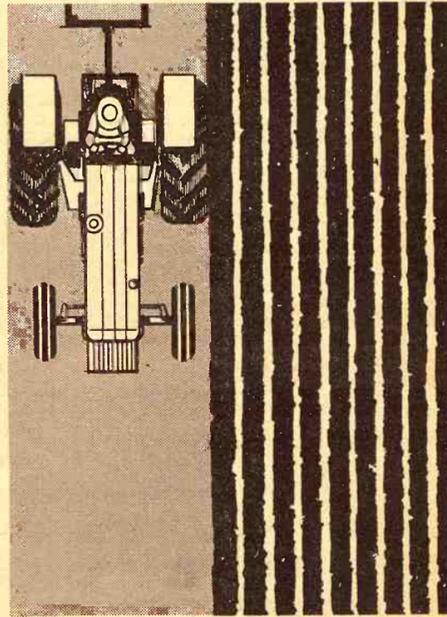
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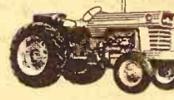
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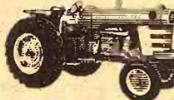
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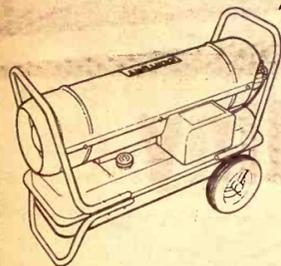
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Ease Rules At Reformatory

HUTCHINSON — Kansas State Industrial Reformatory inmates here may be looking forward to a happier new year with newly appointed Superintendent Joseph B. Noble liberalizing several institution rules.

Effective Jan. 1, inmates will

be allowed four hours visiting time each month. Under past policy, visits were restricted to a two-hour period every 28 days.

Noble said inmates may use the full four hours for a single visitation or may have four one-hour visits monthly.

The only restriction, Noble said, is limiting weekend visits to one hour because of the large number of Saturday and Sunday

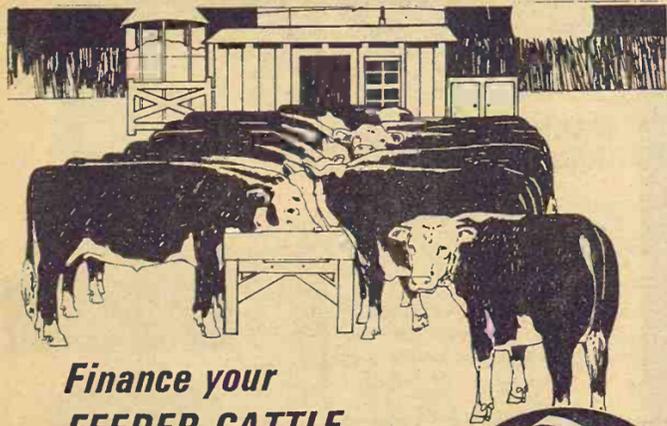
visitors.

Noble said the change was a decision made by the reformatory staff and was not exclusively his idea.

The new administration also is permitting KSIR inmates an additional 30 to 45 minutes sleep each morning if they choose not to eat breakfast.

Inmates formerly were required to dress and report for breakfast whether they ate or not.

Noble has laid down strict orders, however, that any inmate not reporting to his morning work detail on time will be placed on "court-line," a form of institution discipline.



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Pork Promoters Looking For Best Outdoor Cook

Kansas hogmen want to find the state's best outdoor pork cook. They'll hold a contest Friday, February 14, in Wichita and send the winner to a national contest in March, according to Wendell Moyer, Extension animal science specialist at Kansas State University.

This first such contest for Kansas is open to any male over 12 years of age, and entries

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KSIA members handling the contest are Wallace Wolf, South Haven, and John Balthrop and Larry Steckline, both of Wichita. Contest entries and information should be sent to Steckline at the Wichita Livestock Market Foundation, Livestock Exchange Building, Wichita, Kansas 67200.

The national contest will be during the annual meeting of the National Pork Producers Council in Omaha, Nebraska, March 4 and 5.

Plan New Lyon County Feedlot

EMPORIA — Ed Barrett and Ronnie Hughes, two Lyon Coun-

ty cattlemen, have announced plans for a \$400,000 commercial feed lot six and one half miles northeast of Emporia. It will incorporate a steam flake mill to process milo and corn, and when it opens in July the owners expect to begin feeding 8000 head of cattle.

EAT 18 FOOT OVER TRAFFICWAY

A restaurant will be built 18 feet over US69 south of Kansas City in Johnson county, following purchase of air rights over the 4-lane highway from the Kansas Highway Commission by Mr. and Mrs. Louise Moses. The price paid to the Highway Commission was \$19,220. The Moses have purchased ground for parking near the proposed overhead restaurant.

NEWSPAPER MAILING COSTS GO UP

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Governor Doesn't Share In General Increase In State Salaries

Most elected state officials should be smiling broadly Jan. 12 when they are sworn in at Wichita inaugural ceremonies — and for more than the obvious reason.

Except for Gov. Robert B. Docking, all state officers will be getting hefty salary increases effective that day.

Among the better increases will be those for the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Kansas Supreme Court. Effective Jan. 13, any one of them will be making more than the Governor's \$20,000.

These wage increases were approved by the 1967 Legislature. State law forbids an administration to vote itself a salary increase. Therefore, they do not become effective for two years.

When these increases were before the 1967 session, Docking recommended against an increase in the governor's salary at that time. State personnel records show the Chief Executive's salary has been \$20,000 since January 1963, when John Anderson Jr. was governor.

The salary of Chief Justice Robert T. Price will be increased to \$22,500 a year from the present \$19,000. The associate justices will be increased from \$18,000 to \$21,500.

These are among the highest state salaries in Kansas, but not the highest. Some of the university and college heads make more money. And what about the football coaches?

The new Attorney General, Kent Frizzell, also will be getting one of the better salary boosts. That post's salary will go from \$14,000 to \$17,500.

A \$1150 increase will go into effect for the State Auditor, Treasurer, Printer, and Secretary of State.

Those salaries will be hiked from \$11,500 to \$12,650.

The post of Lieutenant Governor, to be filled by James H. DeCoursey Jr., will get a \$2000 increase. It will go from \$6000 to \$8000.

And although most of them probably won't be sworn in at Wichita, the State's District Court judges will also be getting more money. The judge's salary will go from \$14,000 up to \$17,500.

LIST KANSAS TAXES TO FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Kansas paid \$861 million in individual income taxes and \$145 million in corporation taxes to the federal government for the past fiscal year, according to Internal Revenue Service. IRS collected \$29 million in estate taxes in Kansas and \$3 million in gift tax. Liquor taxes amounted to \$1 million and other excise taxes to \$26 million.

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Below is a partial listing of our sale:

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4 whifce str	644 @ 27.30
1 whifce str	605 @ 27.10
1 whifce str	635 @ 27.10
1 red steer	690 @ 27.00
48 blk steers	772 @ 26.95
8 whifce str	924 @ 26.90
3 whifce str	730 @ 26.90
1 whifce str	655 @ 26.90
1 blk wf str	755 @ 26.70
1 whifce str	660 @ 26.70
2 whifce str	925 @ 26.50
1 shthrn steer	960 @ 26.30
29 whifce str	1023 @ 26.25
15 blk str	937 @ 26.25
38 whifce str	1034 @ 26.25
10 char wf str	857 @ 26.00
1 char wf hrn str	1005 @ 25.90
2 blk wf str	710 @ 25.60
23 mixed str	1030 @ 25.55
1 whifce hfr	590 @ 25.50
5 whifce hfr	742 @ 25.25
2 whifce hfr	657 @ 25.20
5 whifce hfr	680 @ 25.20
1 blk wf steer	995 @ 25.10
2 whifce hfr	648 @ 25.10
4 black hfr	805 @ 25.05
1 char heifer	675 @ 24.70
2 black hfr	635 @ 24.70
74 mixed hfr	860 @ 24.60
2 black hfr	905 @ 24.00
3 char hfr	1020 @ 23.70
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1 char steer	765 @ 23.30

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12 whifce str	504 @ 30.50
4 whifce hrn str	410 @ 30.25
3 whifce str	452 @ 30.00
1 black steer	390 @ 29.75
4 whifc hrn str	535 @ 29.50
1 whifce str	325 @ 29.25
2 blk wf str	515 @ 29.25
1 wf hrn str	425 @ 29.20
4 wf hrn str	496 @ 28.90
1 blk wf str	480 @ 28.20
1 whifce str	540 @ 28.00
3 whifce str	550 @ 27.70
1 whifce str	435 @ 27.40
1 whifce str	530 @ 26.75

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2 whifce hfr	320 @ 27.10
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14 whifce hfr	535 @ 25.90
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7 wf hrn hfr	484 @ 25.50
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1 holstein cow 1160	@ 16.90
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1 holstein cow 1160	@ 15.10
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Farmers Own Entire Credit System

Farmers are now the complete owners of the Farm Credit system, a 12-billion-dollar credit resource, according to an announcement by the Farm Credit administration.

The agency reported that the change, which ended a key phase of a partnership between farmers and the government, occurred with payments to the U.S. Treasury by the system to

retire 148 million dollars of government-owned capital.

The payments represented the retirement of \$126 million of government-owned capital remaining in the 12 federal inter-

mediate credit banks and 22 million of capital in five of 13 banks for cooperatives.

This includes the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Wichita with the retirement of the remaining \$10,400,000 in government capital. The bank's district includes Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico with 41 production credit associations.

The other organizations in the co-operative system — the 12 federal land banks and 664 local land bank associations — have long been completely farmer-owned. The land banks paid off the last of their government-owned capital in 1947. The land bank associations have been completely owned by farmers since they were organized in 1916.

When the 12 intermediate credit banks, which provide loan funds to Production Credit Associations and other organizations supplying operating credit to farmers were established in 1923, Congress made no provision for retirement of the government-owned capital. The farmer-owned PCA's began acquiring capital stock on these banks in 1957. A year earlier, the 13 banks for cooperatives now owned by the farmer's marketing, purchasing and business service cooperatives they serve, embarked on a plan of replacing the government-owned capital.

The peak investment of government in the capital of the Farm Credit system was 638 million dollars in 1939. The present net worth of completely farmer-owned systems is more than 2 billion dollars.

"The cooperative Farm Credit system is one of the most important assets American farmers have today," R. B. Tootell, governor of the FCA, pointed out. "It assures farmers and their cooperatives adequate amounts of credit on terms suited to their needs because the system channels investment funds from the nation's financial markets out to the capital hungry rural areas where it is needed in ever-increasing amounts. Last year alone, those investors bought 10 billion of securities issued by the Farm Credit system — that financed more than one-fifth of all the credit used by farmers. The amount will probably double by 1980."

5-Year Farm Figures Dropped

Indicative of rapid changes taking place in today's agriculture, the Kansas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service announced in its final reports in December it was discontinuing calculation and publication of five-year averages that it has show in its regular report.

The report will contain data for the current and two preceding years. "It is believed that changes in agriculture have decreased the value of the five-year averages for making comparisons," J. E. Pallesen, state statistician, said in making the announcement.

Would Make Market Value Basis For Tax

A new standard for appraising Kansas property for taxation has been approved by a state legislative committee.

The committee, led by Sen. Frank Hodge (R-Hutchinson) would place valuation on the basis of "market value" instead of "justifiable value."

The committee agreed on a definition of market value:

"The amount of money that a well-informed buyer is justified in paying and a well-informed seller is justified in accepting, assuming that the parties here to are acting without undue compulsion and that the property has been offered at the market place for a reasonable length of time."

The "justifiable value" basis now in use under state law is based on 11 factors, including cost, depreciation, productivity, earning capacity, rental values, sale value and comparison with values of other properties.

Hodge said the justifiable value basis is confusing because the assessor can't apply the 11 factors to all types of property.

"You can't compare industrial property with a home," Hodge said.

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"He has to have some flexibility," Hodge said. He referred to the laws governing the appraising procedure.

Under the Hodge committee proposal, property would still be assessed at 30 per cent after it is appraised at market value.

The present law calls for 30 percent assessment after it is appraised at market value.

The recommendations of the committee of House and Senate members will be considered by the 1969 Kansas Legislature.

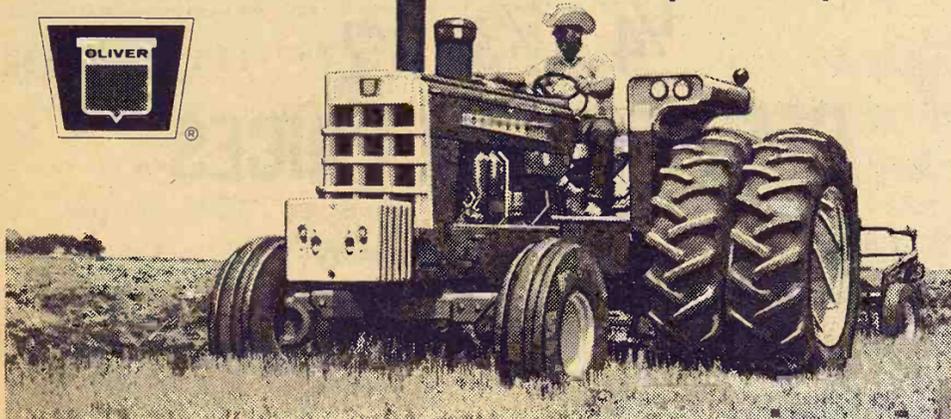
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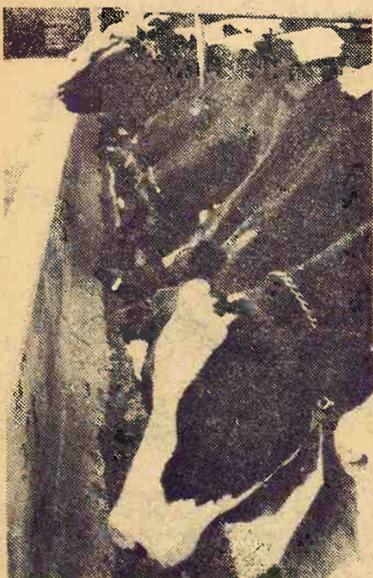
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An Icy Big Muddy

The Missouri river at Kansas City was still flowing last week, despite big ice chunks which had formed in subzero weather.

VIC PYKIET BUYS CO-OP PROPANE PLANT
COUNCIL GROVE — Vic Pykiet, manager of the Council Grove Elevator Co., has purchased the facilities of the Farmer-Stockman Co-op here. He will continue a propane delivery business with the purchased equipment.

Propose 5% Limit On Property Tax Increases

A proposal to limit property tax increases to five per cent until 1972 has been made by a joint legislative committee on tax study.

Sen. Frank S. Hodge, R-Hutchinson, committee chairman, said the recommendation will go to the 1969 Kansas Legislature for consideration.

The veteran legislator, chairman of the influential Senate Assessment and Taxation Committee, said under the proposal property taxes would be frozen at the 1969 level for all units of government.

The taxing units would be authorized to make slight increases through 1962, but only equal to five per cent of the 1969 tax.

Hodge said the county commissioners in each county would be authorized to call a special election to increase taxing authority. Such an election also could be called if petitions signed by 10 per cent of the electorate were submitted.

There would be three alternatives for boosting tax revenue if the election were successful.

- Mill levies could be increased to provide the additional funds necessary.
- Counties could adopt an add-on income tax.
- Counties could adopt an add-on sales tax.

Gov. Robert Docking earlier had called for a freeze on property taxes.

In a speech in Topeka on Oct. 14, Docking said property taxes should be frozen "until the legislature enacts meaningful reform of our tax laws."

G&G Area Diplomat



U. Alexis Johnson, nominated by president-elect Nixon to be the number 3 officer in the State department, is a onetime Kansas harvest hand who has been in the diplomatic service for 34 years. Johnson, 60, was born in Falun, Saline County, and went to school there through one year of high school before his family moved to California in 1922. His father ran a bank in Falun.

Later, Johnson returned to the area with wheat harvesting crews which cut grain on the farm of his uncle, Adolph Johnson, near Salina. Joining the State department in 1934, Johnson was a vice-consul in Manchuria when the Japanese struck Pearl Harbor and he was held in a prison camp until 1942.

Now ambassador to Japan, Johnson has been ambassador to Czechoslovakia and Thailand, a coordinator in the Korean truce negotiations, deputy unsecretary of state for political affairs during the Cuban missile crisis, and deputy ambassador to South Vietnam.

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Condensed Statement

At Close of Business December 31, 1968

RESOURCES

Loans	\$1,130,851.51
Bank Premises	\$ 10,500.00
Municipal Bonds	\$ 420,713.52
United States Obligations	\$976,984.16
Federal Agency Securities	\$494,975.00
Cash & Sight Exchange	\$434,451.57
TOTAL	\$3,468,475.76

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus	\$100,000.00
Undivided Profits	\$ 82,218.11
Reserves	\$ 11,266.71
Total Capital Accounts	\$ 268,484.82
Deposits	\$3,199,990.94
TOTAL	\$3,468,475.76

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Municipal, County and State Bonds	3,793,082.36
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	45,000.00
Bank Premises Owned	595,825.29
Furniture and Fixtures	133,439.53
Other Real Estate Owned	92,000.00
Other Assets	9,244.67
Cash and Due from Banks	4,081,116.20

Total Resources 30,159,237.16

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	500,000.00
Capitol Notes	500,000.00
Surplus	1,000,000.00
Undivided Profits	861,316.37
Reserve for Contingencies	237,836.73
Deposits	27,060,084.06

Total Liabilities 30,159,237.16

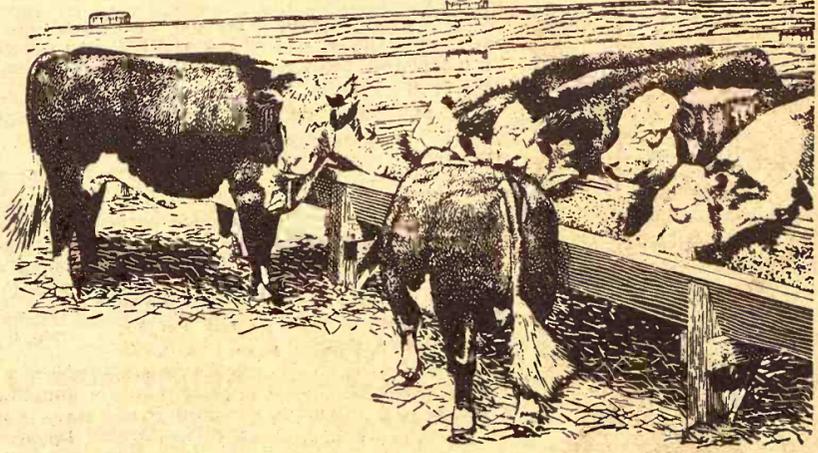
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COMBINES

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The wettest weather station in the U.S. had record rainfall in 1968. Rainfall at Quinalt, Washington, in 1968 was 175.48 inches. Rainfall in the G&G area varies from less than 15 inches in a dry year in the western-most counties to 40 or more in the northeast and southeast corners. Quinalt is on western foothills of the Olympic Mountains.

Raise Meat Import Base

Agriculture Secretary Orville L. Freeman estimated 1969 meat imports at 1,031,000,000 pounds, compared with 990 million pounds estimated on Oct. 1 for 1968.

Federal law requires the secretary to issue quarterly estimates of quota meat imports expected for the current year in relation to an adjusted base quota.

Freeman announced this year's basic import quota at 988 million pounds, compared with

910.3 million for 1968.

The law provides that the annual basic quota may be exceeded by 10 per cent in the quarterly estimates before actual quotas are imposed on individual countries.

Thus the point at which quotas would be imposed this year is 1,086,800,000 pounds, about 41 million pounds more than the 1968 trigger level.

Freeman said his first estimate for 1969 — roughly 10 million pounds below the new trigger level — would have been more if major foreign suppliers had not imposed self-restraints on meat they planned to ship to the United States this year.

Meat subject to quota regulations consists mostly of fresh or frozen beef and veal, but goat and mutton also is included. Australia and New Zealand are the major suppliers of quota-type meat.

A U.S. DECLINE IN CIGARET CONSUMPTION

The U.S. recorded its first decline in four years in the number of cigarettes smoked. USDA officials said consumption in 1968 was 526 billion cigarettes, about one billion less than the year before. Presumably increased publicity on smoking and health related to the decline.

CLAY YOUNG FARMERS NAME DON SUTTER

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YOUNG AREA EDITOR IN DENVER HOSPITAL

WASHINGTON — The editor of the Washington County News, Tom Buchanan, is in a Denver hospital, after undergoing heart surgery last week. Buchanan is in his late 30s.

U.S. Farm Taxes Averaged \$1.89 An Acre In '68

Farm real estate taxes are increasing in relation to net farm income, according to the Agriculture department.

In 1967, farm real estate taxes averaged 10.8 per cent of net farm income, compared with 9.3 per cent in 1966, and 9.1 per cent in 1965.

The report, compiled from a survey earlier this year, and just released, said total taxes levied on farm real estate in 1967 were 1.9 billion dollars, an increase of 8.4 per cent from a year earlier. It was the 25th consecutive annual tax boost, the report said.

Real estate taxes — mostly levied by local governments — averaged \$1.89 an acre nationally last year, compared with \$1.74 in 1966.

Taxes per acre of farm real estate were reported higher last year in all states but Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa and Hawaii, which showed slight decreases, the report said.

Averages taxes per acre were \$15.70 in New Jersey, for the

highest, and the lowest — \$0.17 — in New Mexico. The average was more than \$5 an acre in six states, between \$2 and \$5 in 16, between \$1 and \$2 in 10, and less than \$1 an acre in 18 states, the report said.

Farm Programs Already Settled

When the new secretary of agriculture, Clifford M. Hardin, takes over two weeks hence, he won't find immediate decisions staring him in the face.

The three major federal farm programs which provide supports and payments to farmers in return for acreage controls are provided for in the immediate future. The 1969 wheat program, for instance, was announced June 14. An early wheat decision was required since most of the crop is planted in the fall for harvest the following year.

Hardin will have to decide whether soybean supports will be continued this year at \$2.50 a bushel or reduced as the trade has asked. Soybean surpluses are growing and this may be the first tough problem the new secretary has to deal with.

guessing that the Nixon administration won't be making drastic changes in the farm program this year.

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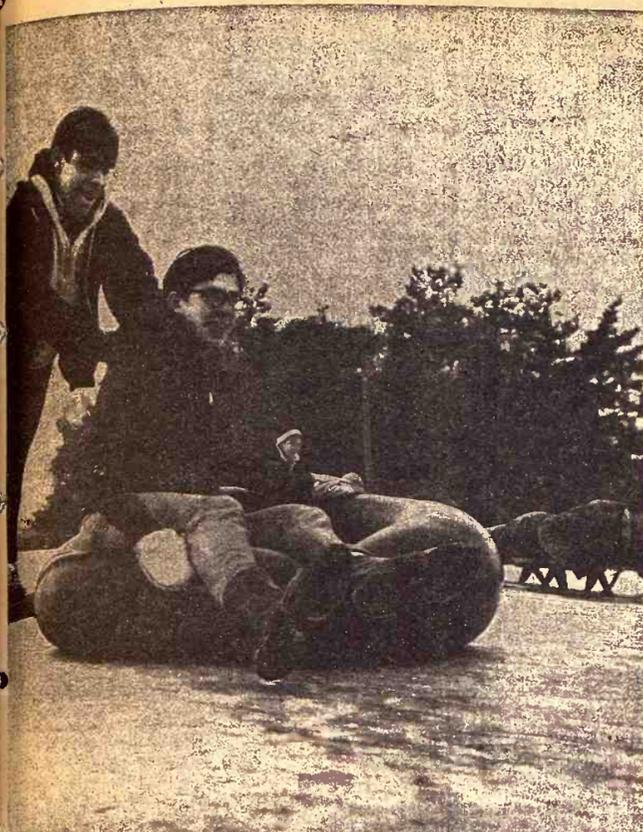
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As good as a sled is an innertube used by Dick Warkentin and Mike Stiles in an icy park area in Beatrice, Nebr. A slope at the Chautauqua Park there is steep enough to give the tube sufficient speed to slide on a block of level land.

Area Blood Banks Are Short

The nationwide blood shortage which has caused a cutback in non-essential surgery in some areas has hit the G&G area.

According to Nathalie Gawthrop, executive secretary of the North Central Kansas chapter of the American Red Cross, the hospitals' supply of blood is "not fully stocked. Doctors have cut down on surgery as much as possible."

Mrs. Gawthrop indicated that the chapter's blood supply, which serves Saline, Ottawa, and Lincoln counties, was at its lowest three weeks ago. She said that even now there is "not any surplus."

"There is definitely a shortage," she said. "At the last mobile Dec. 3, 4 & 5, we didn't make our quota of 66 pints. This was due to so many rejections because of flu."

No Executions In U.S. In 1968

No prisoners were executed in the United States in 1968 — possibly the first year in the nation's history the death sentence was not administered.

In reporting this yesterday, the Bureau of Prisons noted, however, that at the start of 1968, 435 persons were under death sentences in this country.

The bureau's records, which it began in 1930, show two men were executed in 1967, one in California and one in Colorado.

In 1966, only one person, in Oklahoma, was executed.

A detailed report in 1968 will be issued later, but the bureau noted in its report for 1967 that "in recent years, both the number of executions and the number of jurisdictions implementing the death penalty have been 'steadily declining.'"

During the period 1930-1967, a total of 3859 persons were executed, 3826 by state authorities and 33 under federal jurisdiction. Of the total, 86.4 per cent were for murders, 11.8 per cent for rape and 1.8 per cent for other offenses.

Negroes accounted for 53.5 per cent.

The highest number of executions after 1930 was 199 in 1935, followed by 195 in 1936.

Less Inflation, More Jobless: Gov't Forecast

Less inflation and slightly more unemployment than in 1968 were projected for 1969 by a top government economist.

The projection was made by William Chartener, assistant secretary of commerce for economic affairs, whose forecasts in 1968 were on the whole more accurate than those of other officials.

This was the first official government forecast for 1969 and it projected more growth in the economy this year than most private forecasts, including one made by Paul McCracken, who will be the new chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Chartener estimated the Gross National Product (GNP) or total output of goods and services, at \$920 billion to \$925 billion in 1969.

He said his "personal expectation" was that it would be at the upper end of the range. McCracken and several others have put the GNP in 1969 at \$915 billion.

The GNP in 1968, still not calculated, was about \$860 billion.

Despite the strong year he projected, Chartener said he expected "an economy operating at a slightly less intense rate than in 1968." This would mean a rise in the unemployment rate, he said, to an average of 3.8 in 1969 compared with an average for 1968 of 3.6 per cent.

While this increase appears small, it is somewhat larger when compared with the recent low of 3.3 per cent in November. To strike an average jobless rate of 3.8 per cent in 1969, it is almost inevitable that in some months the rate would be 4 per cent or even a little more.

As for prices, Chartener pro-

jected an over-all rise this year of 3 to 3.5 per cent, compared with 4 per cent this year. This is a measure of all prices in the economy, not just consumer prices, which have risen 4.5 per cent in 1968.

He was one of relatively few economists, in or out of government, who doubted that last

June's income tax surcharge would exert an early and marked slowing effect on the economy.

The projections he made Thursday were based on the assumption that surcharge would be continued "either in entirety or with a token reduction" past its expiration date of June 30.



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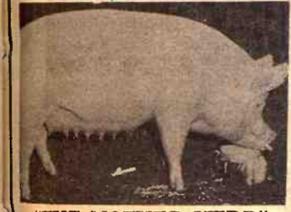
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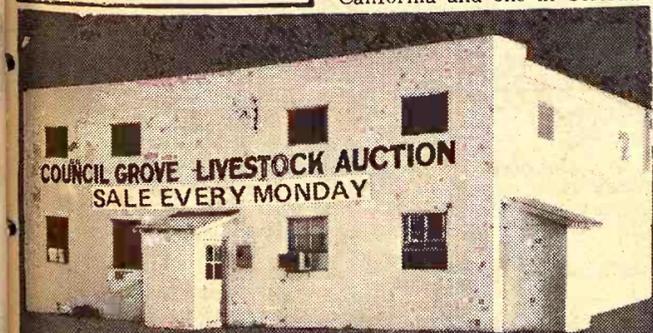


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MARKET REPORT

The 2-yr. old reg. Angus bulls brought \$300-\$350 at the sale last week. Stock cows \$190-\$205. Crossbred steer calves sold @ 28.00-30.50; crossbred heifer calves @ 25.00-26.50.

This information for those interested in our advertised consignments of last week.

Raymond Vaughn	Herb Rockhill
BURLINGTON 364-2581	EUREKA GI 3-5493
BARN PHONE 364-9576	BARN PHONE GI 3-9946

L.H. Simerl

All Food In Large Supply

Our nation's people have more good food on their tables than ever before. And even larger supplies will be available during the coming year.

Meats Are Plentiful. The supply of meats available during 1968 is enough to provide each person with about 182 pounds.

This amount is 4 pounds more than in 1967, and 25 pounds more than the 3-year average ten years ago (1957-1959).

These figures include what we call the "red" meats — beef, veal, pork, and lamb. They do not include poultry and fish.

Beef. The supply for 1968 is

enough to provide 109 pounds per person. This is 3 pounds more than last year, and 27 pounds more than ten years ago. It is also more than twice as much beef per person as they had back in the "good old days," say before 1945.

Farmers are fattening more cattle now than they were a year ago, so we expect that beef will be even more abundant in 1969 than it has been in 1968.

Pork The 1968 supply provides about 65.5 pounds per person. This is 1.5 pounds more than was available in 1967, and it is the largest amount that we have had since 1959, when there was 67.5 pounds.

Pork supplies have ranged mostly from 60 to 65 pounds during the past fifteen years. In earlier years, supplies usually ranged between 60 and 70 pounds. Farmers are increasing the production of pork, and supplies may be close to the 70-

pound level in 1969.

Veal and Lamb. The production of veal, a by-product of dairy farms, has been decreasing for 20 years. For 1968, there is less than 4 pounds per person, compared with 10 pounds twenty years ago. The production of lamb has also been shrinking. The per-capita consumption of lamb has been reduced to 4 pounds per person, from a high of 7 pounds thirty-five years ago.

Poultry. The supply of poultry is also very plentiful. For 1968, there is enough to provide 44.5 pounds per person. While this amount is 1 pound less than was available in 1967, it is larger than for any other year of record. It is 11 pounds more than the supply for ten years ago (1957-1959).

The 1968 supply of poultry includes 36.4 pounds of chicken and 8.0 pounds of turkey. It now appears likely that farmers will

produce about 5 percent more chicken and turkey in 1969.

Fish. Consumption for 1968 is estimated at 10.5 pounds, which is above average.

Eggs. For 1968, there have been about 318 eggs available per person. This is about average for the 60 years for which we have estimates, but it is a little less than when eggs were at their peak of popularity during a several-year period after World War II.

Ice Cream. The supply of ice cream and related frozen desserts for 1968 is estimated at about 23 quarts per person, which is a new record high. There will be more again next year.

Cheese. The supply of cheese at 10.4 pounds per person, is so a new record. In addition, there will be 135 quarts of milk and 7 pints of cream per person.

Other Foods. Per-capita supplies of some other important foods for 1968 are estimated as follows: Butter, margarine, lard, etc., 49 pounds; fruits, 145 pounds; potatoes, 117 pounds; other vegetables, 154 pounds; flour and cereals, 144 pounds; and sugar, 98 pounds.

L. H. Simerl
Univ. of Illinois

State Payroll On Steady Increase

There are five people on the state payroll for every three there were twelve years ago, and figures indicate that it doesn't make any difference whether there is a Democrat or a Republican in the governor's chair.

Here's the number on the state payroll during September of each year going back to 1956:

1956 — 22,112	Hall - R
1957 — 22,908	G. Docking - D
1958 — 23,886	G. Docking - D
1959 — 24,525	G. Docking - D
1960 — 25,350	G. Docking - D
1961 — 26,987	Anderson - R
1962 — 27,641	Anderson - R
1963 — 28,887	Anderson - R
1964 — 30,585	Anderson - R
1965 — 32,801	Avery - R
1966 — 34,397	Avery - R
1967 — 35,540	R. Docking - D
1968 — 35,916	R. Docking - D

Saturday
JANUARY 18

Starts 9:30 a.m.
Lunch Served

AUCTION
SALE

We will sell at public auction 2 miles south and 1 mile west of Marion or 9 miles east and 2 miles south of Hillsboro.

Implements

- 1966 Ford 5000 Diesel Tractor
2034 hours
- 1966 730 Case Diesel Tractor
about 1500 hours
- 1963 660 IHC Diesel Tractor
- 1966 500 14-ft. Hesston Swather
(good)
- 1965 New Holland Baler No. 269
Hayliner (good)
- Allis Chalmers Roto Baler (good)
- 1966 Case 300 Field Cutter
- 1966 4-row Burch Cultivator
- 1965 28-ft. Crust Busters Spring-tooth Harrow
- 1964 14-ft. John Deere Chisel (good)
- 1964 Scheaffer Wheel Disc, 14-ft
- 1963 4-16 IHC Plow, pull type
- 1962 14-ft. Rotary Hoe, Massey Ferguson, 3-point hitch
- 1962 4-row Dempster Lister, 3-point hook up
- 1964 John Deere 115 Chuck Wagon



- 1962 John Deere Model N Power take off Manure Spreader
- 1967 Peerless Feed Mill
Farm Hand, with Hay Basket, Manure Fork, Forage Fork, mounted on truck
- 2 4-section Harrows
- Wood Brothers Corn Picker
- 2 18-ft. Hay Trailers (good)
- 2 Small 4 wheeled Trailers
- 1 Harrow Trailer Carrier
- Hay Elevator
- 6 Inch 30-ft. Grain Auger with engine, portable
- 16-ft. 6 inch Auger

182 Head Of Livestock



- 3-year-old Red Shorthorn Bull
- 112 Sheep, Western Yearling Ewes, open
- 4-year-old Saddle Mare

- 18 Angus Cows w/calves
3 to 6 years old
- 23 Angus Cows 6 yr old cows (springer)
- 4 Stock Cows
- 4 Calves
- 4-year-old Angus Bull, Registered

Trucks & Equipment

- 1963 Chevrolet Pickup, 3/4-ton, 4 Wheel Drive
- 13 1/2-ft. Truck Bed, Steel Sides
- 13 1/2-ft. Truck Bed (flatbed)
- 10-ton Truck Hoist
- 1949 Chevrolet 2-ton Truck, wrecked, 2-speed axle, good motor, fair tires
- Stock Rack for long wheel base 1/2-ton pickup truck
- 1954 Chevrolet Car

Feeders, Panels, Etc.

- 4 50-bu. Size Sheep Feeders
- 3 80-bu. Hog Feeders
- 17 14-ft. Cattle Feed Bunks
- 10 16-ft. Sheep Bunks
- 10 14-ft. Feed Racks (steel, good)
- 2 8-ft. Stock Tanks
- 2 Sheep Water Tanks
- 15 Hog Troughs
- 5 A Type Hog Houses
- 20 Panels, assorted
- 3 20-ft. Feed Racks (pipe & wood)
- 150 gal. Fuel Tank w/pump
- 3,000 lb. Platform Scales

Miscellaneous

About 400 hedge posts, about 2,000 board ft. dimension lumber, 200 ft. 2 1/2 inch pipe, set of tractor chains, set truck chains for 7.50 tires, two 7.50 truck tires, 2 hydraulic cylinders, junk iron, 2 propane wall heaters, 40 gal. gas barrel, approximately 350 electric steel fence posts, 20 gal. propane tank, 8 ft. aluminum boat, many other articles too numerous to mention.

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Carl Schnell & Bud Seibel

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CONSIGNED TO THE CONCORDIA SALES CO.

Registered (horned) Herefords

Added Attraction
Wedn., Jan. 15
SELLING AT 2:00 P.M.
AT THE NORTHWEST BARN
CONCORDIA, KS.

SELLING —
20 BULLS
3 CHOICE BRED FEMALES

20 BULLS

15-26 Month Old Sons of Double Husker K3
A. G. Onward 214
This herd bull is a direct son Also 1 6-Year-Old Herd Bull of L. J. C. Onward 51

3 CHOICE BRED FEMALES

Husker Breeding & bred to S.H. Regulator 6627 Will Calve This Spring
All cattle are from accredited herds. Bulls guaranteed breeders and females with calf. All have clean pedigrees.

For Information, Contact

SWENSON BROS. Concordia, Ks.

Emil L. Swenson & Sons — 2 miles north on US 81 to Champlin Service Station, then turn east 3 1/4 miles. Phone CH 3-1419.
Carl M. Swenson & Son — 1 mile north of Champlin Service Station on US 81, then 1/2 mile west. Phone CH 3-2655.

LIVESTOCK AUCTION

Sale Every Wed.

1:00 p.m.

CONSIGNMENTS — WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8

- 12 whiface (thin) str, 750 lbs.
- 100 hd of blk angus str & hfrs out of a registered herd from 550-650 lbs.
- 30 blk angus str & hfrs, 600 lbs.
- 18 wf str & hfrs, 650 lbs.
- 40 hereford angus crossbred str & hfrs, 450 lbs.
- 5 hd of wf cows & calves
- 15 hd of mix steers & heifers

LAST WEEK'S MARKET REPORT:

STOCKER & FEEDER STEERS		STOCKER & FEEDER HEIFERS	
456 lb. blkwhif steer	28.10	441 lb. blkwhif heifer	25.20
496 lb. whiface steer	27.90	674 lb. whiface heifer	24.10
479 lb. whiface steer	28.10	761 black heifer	24.45
525 lb. whiface steer	28.00	817 whiface heifer	23.30
747 lb. whiface steer	26.20		
767 lb. blkwhif steer	25.90		
840 lb. black steer	26.00		

Cows & calves sold at \$217.00 a pair. Commercial utility cows sold from \$14.30 to \$17.20.

REGISTERED HEREFORD (horned) Auction Sale

Swenson Brothers Concordia, Kansas
Wednesday, January 15
CONCORDIA SALES CO., INC.
West Sale Barn

20 bulls, 15 to 26 months old; sons of Double Husker K 3 and A G Onward 214.
3 choice bred female Husker breeding and bred to S. H. Regulator 6627; will calve in the spring.

FOR INFORMATION: Write Swenson Brothers or Call 243-1419 or 243-2655

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MON.-WED.-FRI.
6:45

For info. or estimates TOM WALKER Barn 243-1074 Home 243-1674

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Concordia Sales Co.

CONCORDIA KANSAS

Herington Livestock Auction Co.

Sale Every Tuesday

Operating under Federal Supervision & Bonded for your protection.

Reporting for the Herington Livestock Auction Co., Tuesday, December 31, 1968. Cattle sale was very light, not enough to test market. We are looking for 500-700 cattle for this week's sale.

If you have cattle to sell, call collect C. C. Wendt BL 8-2529 Herington; Wm. Schnell BL 8-2039, Herington; Ted Haefner, 317, Lincolnville.

Herington Livestock Auction Co.

Herington, Kans.

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SELL EVERY WEDNESDAY
At Onaga 1:00 P.M.
CATTLE AND HOGS

We are looking for a good run of stock cattle at this week's sale. Also, 2 very good early consignments:
 18 choice Hereford cows, calves by side; these cows are from 6 to 3 yrs. old
 12 Hereford cows, some calving now

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JANUARY 14

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 A-C 190XT dsl., 1400 hrs.
 AC WD, wide front end
 AC WD, rebuilt
 2 AC WC
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 JD A & hyd. loader
 IHC B with 5' Continental rotary mower
 A-C C, reconditioned
 Bolen 7 1/2 HP tractor with mower
 Lot belt pulleys for W D & D17 tractors

HARROWS & HOES
 JD 12' 3 pt. hitch springtooth
 JD 8' springtooth
 AC 3-section springtooth
 JD peg tooth, 4 section
 3-sec. Halloway flex or rigid harrow
 AC 3-sec. mtd. rotary hoe, snap hitch

FORAGE
 AC Model 780 2-row forage harvester, LIKE NEW
 Papec 1 row forage harvester, with engine
 NH Model 621 grass att. for N-H cutter

TRUCKS
 1955 F100 Ford pickup
 Cabover Ford 2 ton with under body hoist
 Chevrolet 1 1/2 ton pickup

PLOWS
 AC Model 70 5-16, like new
 NEW AC Model 70 3-16 mtd.
 2 IHC 3-16 drag plows on rubber

2 AC No. 2 2-14 drag plows
 AC 4 btm. disc plow
 AC No. 2 3-16 drag plow, hyd. lift
 A-C No. 2 2-12 drag plow, new
 2 Krause 12' discs, 1-way, on rubber

2-14 3 pt. hitch Ford plow
PLANTERS & LISTERS
 AC Model 500 4 row planter & fertilizer

2 WD Allis mounted listers
 IHC 2 row drag lister
 AC WC 2 row mtd. lister

MISCELLANEOUS
 Van Brunt Model FB 15x7 grain drill, with fert., grass seeder & press wheels; Sno-Co bale loader; NEW Vassar 6' rear blade, 3 pt. or snap; NEW Dura-Built hyd. front loader, 48" bucket; Hyd. loader for IHC M or H tractor; 27x5" Hutchinson grain auger with undercarriage.

Clark 6 row trailer type field sprayer; NEW hyd. hoist, PTO drive for wagons; Mayrath 18' hay elevator; NEW Clark side-mtd. barrel rack for sprayers; 2 Mono chain saws; Root chain saw; oil burning stock tank heater; 3 NEW cattle oilers; portable air tanks; Simpson pump jack; dual wheels for implements; IHC 2 row curler.

2 22" self-propelled mowers; IHC 9" hammermills; 4 gas & oil floor furnaces; Bendix washer-dryer combination; Heart-Scour recleaner for AC combines; stock rack for 6' or 8' pickup bed; 24' Dossett hay & grain elevator; flare type wagon boxes; grain blower for pickup grain bow PTO drive.
 Set Arps half tractor for combine; 2 new hyd. cylinders, Remote Rams; asst. hyd. hoses, new & used; asst. new & used truck tires; new & used Comfort covers for tractors; Ariens riding mower, 5 hp.; 2 slat bottoms for AC plow; Noble herbicide & insecticide granule applicator.

Propane pump for filling bottles from tanks; rear wheel tractor chains; barrel pumps, volume lubister; many other items too numerous to mention; Mono roto-tiller, NEW.

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Tobacco Market Near G&G Area

Though there's not an acre of tobacco harvested in the G&G area, one of the largest tobacco markets in the nation operates just a few miles across the Missouri river near St. Joseph.

The marketing season is currently going on there, opening again this week after a couple of weeks around the holidays. It will continue until all the tobacco in the area is sold.

Only eight states have tobacco markets, and the one at Weston is not a minor one, moving some 5 1/4 million pounds during the season. When the season was opened in early December, 575,000 pounds were sold in one day; but daily sales this week are expected to average around 150,000 pounds.

The production comes off some 2000 acres around Weston. Tobacco allotments are rigidly controlled, and land with a tobacco allotment will bring from \$300 to \$500 an acre.

Tobacco is a lucrative crop, one that comes about as close as any to having parity with factory wages. Income will average \$1500 an acre, but there is enough work to it that many farmers have only an acre or two. A large acreage is 20 acres or so.

Before the holiday closing, tobacco was selling at Weston for about 72 cents a pound. The tobacco price support is self-supporting. The government buys tobacco, ages it four years, and sells it at a profit to the tobacco companies. After paying all expenses, the surplus money goes back to the farmers in rebates.

The popularity of filter cigarettes in recent years has boosted tobacco farmers' incomes. Filter cigarettes require stronger-tasting tobacco, and have produced a premium price for the upper leaves, which formerly were regarded as the lower-priced part of the leaf.

400,000 Eggs Out Of 408,000 Hens

Just north of Denver is a domain of more than 400,000 laying hens without a rooster within sight or sound.

It's a sort of instant egg factory perfected by a Denver firm, the Gates Cycle Corp., over a 10-year period.

The complex of 12 buildings, looking a little like a missile site, sits on a ridge west of Brighton. Each building contains 34,000 hybrid white Leghorn hens and pullets.

These 408,000 chickens, fed at regular intervals on a special diet developed in a decade of research, produce close to 400,000 eggs per day.

The hens are kept in cages in tiers 10 cages high in each building. The cages are rigged around a metal scaffolding that rotates slowly from darkness into light. Each hen gets six four-minute watering periods and six four-minute eating periods in 24 hours.

Lewish Hayden, Gates Cycle president, calls the plant "perfect in all respects."

"We've learned the exact temperature on a constant basis — around 60 degrees Fahrenheit — at which hens prove most productive," he said. "We've worked out the exact formulas for mixing our own feed for different age groups of chickens to insure maximum production."

"And we've found ways to use everything, including the inevitable fertilizer and the cracked eggs, and still keep the place odor-free and full of chickens."

Hayden contends that the factory hens are "happier by far than any farm-raised chicken."

Each hen occupies her cage space on a lay-or-else basis. Those that don't are headed for the stew pot. Replacements are supplied on a regular schedule

by a chick breeding plant near Platteville, Colo.

Hayden said that one woman worker can harvest the daily egg crop in each building. The eggs are placed in plastic containers for washing, cooling, culling and then automatic packaging.

The inventor of the egg production system, Jim Helbig, executive vice president of the company, says it will work "any-

where in the world."

The four newest units in the complex are built of prefabricated metal on a ground-level foundation at a lower cost than the original eight concrete-topped silos built partly underground.

The company now is installing a 272,000-hen egg factory near El Paso, Tex., and is negotiating for an installation in South America and possibly others in Europe.

UNION NATIONAL BANK

MANHATTAN, KANSAS

Condensed Statement of Condition December 31, 1968

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$17,314,352.48
U. S. Government Bonds	4,022,655.14
Municipal Bonds	6,098,222.08
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	75,000.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	3,016,494.89
Bank Premises	65,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	75,748.40
Leasehold Improvements	5,000.00
Other Real Estate Owned	280,611.53
	\$30,953,084.52

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock and Surplus	\$ 2,500,000.00
Undivided Profits	877,514.52
	\$ 3,377,514.52
Reserves	228,529.12
Deposits	27,347,040.88
	\$30,953,084.52

The above statement is correct.

THOS. R. LEE, Vice President & Cashier

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MANHATTAN, KANSAS



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Higher Feed Gains May Pinch Feeders

Feed grain prices may rise in the next several months, increasing the cost of producing meat, milk, butter and eggs, and eventually nudging retail food prices higher.

The advance in feed-grain prices from now until late spring or early summer could possibly run up to more than a dime a bushel on heavy demand and tightening supplies. There are prospects, too, of slightly lower on-the-farm prices next year for beef, pork and eggs.

This combination would narrow profit margins from feeding in the next few months and bring about a leveling-off in the expanding pace of livestock feeding, which has been pumping ample quantities of meat and livestock products into the market. Curtailed supplies and strong demand would help bolster prices of the finished food products.

Though most feed-grain au-

thorities agree that prices will rise seasonally in the next several weeks, there's wide conjecture on the amount of the increase.

That's because several early-season uncertainties won't resolve themselves until later in the current season. Important future price-making factors will include the extent of farmers' corn-holding tendencies and their participation in the 1969 feed-grain program, and crop and monetary developments here and abroad.

On the basis of current projected market supplies and to utilization for the 1968-69 season, some trade sources believe that feed grain prices will rise about 5% through next spring. There are other trade estimates that the advance will hit about 10% or more, and a small number limit the projected rise to only a few cents.

Feed-grain supplies for the

1968-69 season, which began Oct. 1, were estimated at 216 million tons, 2% more than a year before.

Domestic consumption for the crop year is expected to rise about 4% to 5% because a larger livestock population is chewing up more feed. The government estimates total feed-grain disappearance will slightly exceed the 1968 production level, which would leave the reserve supply for the 1969-70 season about unchanged at 48 million tons.

Feed-grain prices in October were about 7% lower than a year earlier. With crop prospects then pointing to a further increase in reserve stocks, prices for corn, the key feed grain, tumbled to eight-year lows, far below the Government crop loan rate. Farmers responded by placing 72 million bushels of 1968 crop corn under loan as of Nov. 30, compared with 52 million bushels a year earlier.

As fall crop weather turned less favorable, and demand rose, feed-grain prices rallied strongly. The key grade No. 2 yellow corn currently is selling around \$1.19 a bushel in Chicago, up from \$1.03 in mid-October and above year-earlier levels. The advance carried the quotation to a few cents above the applicable Chicago loan level. The advance carried the quotation to a few cents above the applicable Chicago loan level. A 10% advance from now until next spring would carry the price to around \$1.30.

Corn accounts for the bulk of the feed-grain supply and sets the pace for price action. The final Government estimate in 1968 placed production for the year at 4.37 billion bushels, down from an earlier estimate of 4.6 billion and the 1967 record crop of 4.7 billion.

Total corn utilization is forecast at nearly 4.5 billion bushels. If that expectation materializes, the carryover stocks on Sept. 30, 1969, would shrink below the 1.15 billion bushels left over on Sept. 30, 1968. The carryover at the beginning of the 1968-69 season was up more than 300 million bushels from a year earlier. All of the increase was under government loan or already owned by the government from previous crop loan defaults.

One corn buyer says that prices for the grain probably will top out earlier than usual, possibly by late April or early May. The longer it takes to reach the peak, the higher it will rise, he says. He expects the price to reach \$1.30 a bushel or higher. A Midwest banker foresees possible increases of 20 cents a bushel by next summer. The prediction is based on the banker's

expectation that lower feed-grain acreage will be planted for 1969.

Walter Goepfinger of Boone, Iowa, head of the National Corn Growers Association, says that with feed-grain production and consumption almost in balance and uncertainty about export demand in the next several months, the corn price advance will be held to less than a dime. Gardiner B. Van Ness Jr., grain analyst for Thomson & McKinnon, commodity brokerage house, notes that exports so far this season total around 150 million bushels, down from 173 million a year earlier. "After the turn of the year we probably will hear more from Southern Hemisphere competition," says Mr. Van Ness, "and thus we aren't particularly optimistic

about the chances for a worthwhile advance."

Meantime, livestock feeding profits are generally favorable. Retail food prices from now through the first half of 1969 likely will be little changed to shade higher, reflecting continued heavy production. Retail food prices in 1968 rose an average of 3.5%.

MILITARY PAY WOULD REACH \$50,000

Top ranking generals and admirals may make as much as \$50,000 per year, according to a proposed new military pay scale, which the Army Times says will be presented to Congress this year. According to the proposal, a non-career recruit would make \$119 per month (up from the present \$109), a career sergeant with 3 years service would make \$6583 yearly and new second lieutenant \$8144.

Red Cloud Livestock Comm. Co. Inc.

Red Cloud, Nebraska

Sale Every Tuesday

Starts 12:30 Noon

The Home Of The Best Feeder Cattle
In Southern Nebraska and Northern Kansas

For Consignments or Early Listings Contact:
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Wednesday

AUCTION SALE

JANUARY 15

Starts 12:00 Noon
Lunch Served
NEBRASKA SALE

I will sell at public auction at the place 2 miles east of Odell, Nebr., on Hiway 8, then 1/2 mile south; or 14 miles south of Beatrice, Nebr., 1 mile west, then 1/2 mile south.

28 Head Hereford Cattle

12 Hereford cows, 5 to 7 yrs., starting to calf next spring
8 Hereford cows coming with 2nd calf
6 steer calves
Heifer calf
2 yr. old Registered Hereford bull

Farm Machinery

1961 Allis Chalmers D-15 tractor, with wide front, less than 2000 hours, in very good condition
AC 3-14 mounted plow
AC mounted 2-row Go-Dig AC mtd. 2-row rotary lister
International fertilizer attachment for lister
M-M 16-8 grain drill, with lift, press wheels, drag chains & seeder attachment
A-C 7' mounted mower
Krause 11-3 wheel tandem disc, with 18" blades
AC mtd. cultivator with rubber gauge wheels
New Holland 5 bar side rake, 2-wheel, on rubber
Co-op 10' fertilizer
Noble 12' springtooth 3-sec. harrow
7' swather
A-C mtd. post hole digger
Wisconsin V-4 motor
32' Kelly Ryan elevator
12' grain auger
Duplex 4' tumble bug
Woods cornpicker
M-M 11' disc
40' JD elevator
Case spreader, on rubber

TRUCKS & TRAILERS

1950 Chevrolet 3/4 ton truck with 8x8 box
Electric Wheel 4 wheel trailer & bale rack
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500 bales 1st cutting alfalfa
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Salina, Kansas

Phone TA 7-4479

Due to New Year's week and our sale being held on Friday, our livestock run was much smaller than usual. We had a good number of consignors and a good crowd on hand at our sale. Replacement cattle were steady to higher, heavier cattle sold on a slightly lower market. Many large listings of cattle are already consigned for next week's sale and anyone wanting to sell cattle at this week's auction will find a good market as we will have this sale widely advertised through the corn belt. Whether buying or selling livestock, plan to be with us each Wednesday. For highest prices for your livestock and one of the most widely advertised sales in Kansas bill your next consignment to the BEVERLY STOCKYARDS CO. at Salina. For more information about prices and selling times on your livestock, get in touch with us and we will come and look at them.

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Market reports on KFRM Saturday and Wednesday mornings at 7:20; also KLSI Saturday and Wednesday mornings

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WICHITA TO DROP

K-9 POLICE CORPS

The Wichita Police Department will phase out its K-9 Corps, started in 1960. The department once had eight dogs in use, but is down to two now and will not replace them when they become too old for work. A department spokesman said the program has proven too expensive and "potentially damaging to the department's community image."

**Tricky Move
By Cattle Thieves**

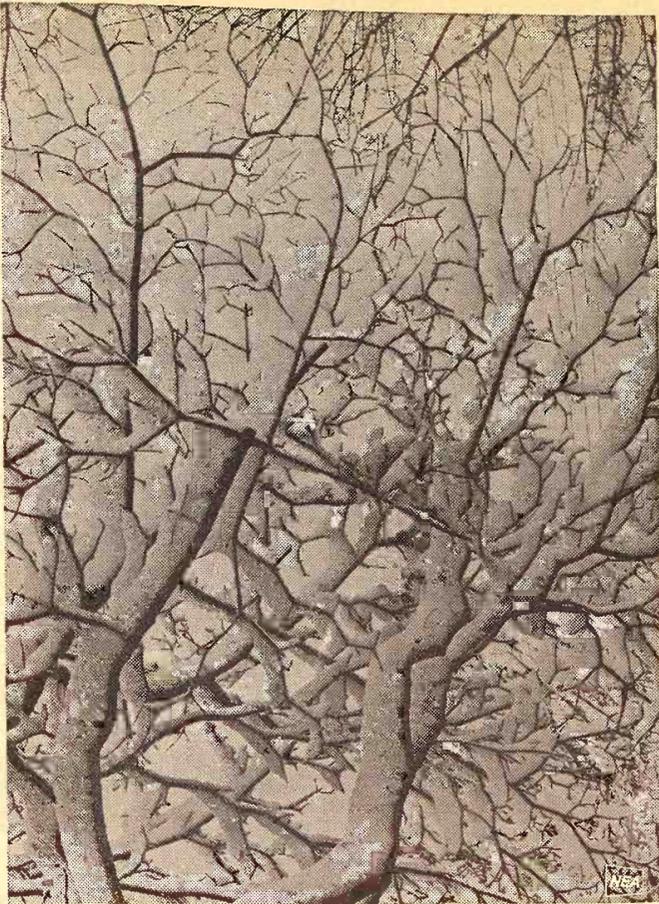
HUTCHINSON — A ring of unconventional cattle thieves is believed to have moved into Kansas, working a trick similar to one reported in other states. Reno County sheriff's officers are investigating a recent transaction involving 23 head of white-faced cattle at the Hutchinson Livestock Commission Co. here.

Russell Wilkey, Sterling, operator of the sales pavilion, learned that a \$3000 check given as payment for the cattle fell far short of clearing the bank.

Sheriff's officers and the Kansas Bureau of Investigation began a probe which so far has revealed the following:

Cattle were purchased at the Hutchinson auction Dec. 24. On Dec. 23, a man answering the same description as the cattle buyer had opened a checking account at the Burns, Kans., bank with a \$50 deposit.

The man, described as about 30 years of age with a prominent reddish beard, has not been seen since. His check was signed "Carl Marion." A cattle buyer said he was dressed like an



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The G&G area has no monopoly of snow scenes. These snow-covered branches were photographed in Yonkers, N.Y.

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He hired a local trucking firm to deliver the animals to a small railroad yard at DeGraff, Kans., described by officers as "a wide spot in the road" south of Burns in Butler County.

The trucker said he was told it would be impossible for him to travel on roads leading to the man's farm and should leave the

cattle at DeGraff.

While the cattle were being unloaded, two other men joined the unidentified suspect.

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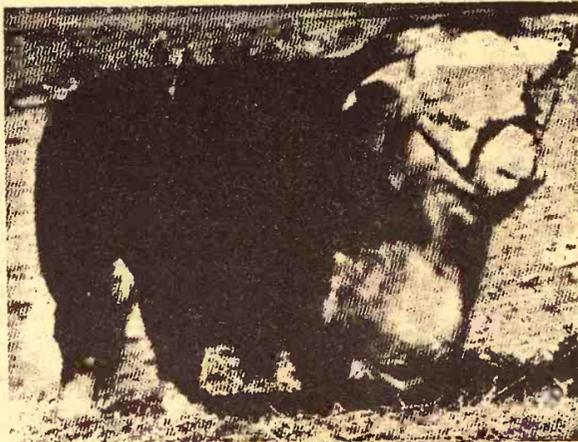
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Cloud County Livestock

Commission Company

Concordia, Kansas

Sale Every Saturday



There were quite a few more cattle on hand for auction here this past Saturday despite cold inclement weather. Prices were a full dollar lower than the previous week on all classes of stock. Butchers were steady. Buyers bid actively throughout the sale with nearly all the cattle going to farm and ranch buyers. The following is a partial listing of sales made this past Saturday.

STOCKER & FEEDER STEERS

- 4 mixed steers 600 @ 26.85
- 5 black steers 590 @ 26.90
- 12 blk wf steers 695 @ 26.00
- 6 whiface steers 665 @ 26.20
- 11 whiface steers 540 @ 28.40
- 10 black steers 395 @ 29.40
- 22 black steers 400 @ 27.90
- 14 blk wf steers 600 @ 27.10

STOCKER & FEEDER HEIFERS

- 4 black heifers 440 @ 24.80
- 9 black heifers 620 @ 23.10
- 10 whiface heifers 474 @ 24.60
- 8 black heifers 590 @ 23.90
- 5 roan heifers 700 @ 24.40
- 5 whiface heifers 605 @ 24.00
- 7 whiface heifers 700 @ 23.15

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- 2 black cows 1180 @ 17.80
- 2 holstein cows 1395 @ 18.20

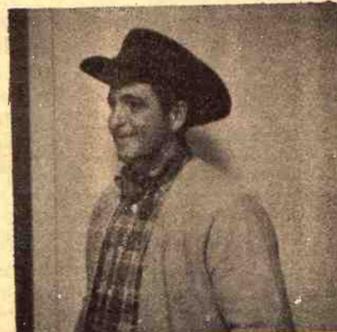
- 3 roan steers 705 @ 26.10
- 10 black steers 554 @ 27.00
- 8 whiface steers 708 @ 25.90
- 18 black steers 755 @ 25.20
- 26 whiface steers 760 @ 25.60
- 8 whiface steers 745 @ 25.40
- 2 black cows 1205 @ 18.30
- 2 holstein cows 1210 @ 17.50
- 6 roan cows 900 @ 17.00
- 2 whiface cows 900 @ 17.80

HOGS

- 5 butchers 200 @ 18.50
- 9 butchers 235 @ 18.60
- 8 butchers 240 @ 18.70
- 12 butchers 245 @ 18.80
- 15 butchers 270 @ 18.10
- 4 sows 595 @ 13.70
- 7 sows 475 @ 14.80
- 35 feeder pigs @ 14.75
- 18 feeder pigs @ 18.60
- 16 feeder pigs @ 16.00
- 27 feeder pigs @ 17.75
- 15 feeder pigs @ 17.50

Boars sold from 10.70 to 12.10

Bob Craig, Rt 2, Bellville, Kansas, is now representing the Cloud County Livestock Commission Company. For information about our sales or appraisals, give Bob a call.



Leo Rauch, Clay Center, 632-3092

Radio KNCK '1390' 6:45 T. T. S.

J.M. "Matt" Davis, Delphos 623-4543

G&G Calendar

- Jan. 14 — Auction of used farm machinery in Strong City, Ks., Clark Farm & Home Store. Aucts Hagel Auction Co.
- Jan. 15 — Farm sale southwest of Beatrice, Nebr., Virgil Wenzl. Aucts. Schultis & Son & Wolken.
- Jan. 15 — Annual registered Hereford sale in Concordia, Kans., Swenson Bros.
- Jan. 16 — Farm sale east of Seneca, Kans., Mr. & Mrs. Paul Lierz. Aucts. Gene Toby and Joe Bauman.
- Jan. 16 — Farm sale northeast of Morrowville, Kans., Gilbert B. Heck. Aucts Marvin L. Heck and Lawrence Welter.
- Jan. 18 — Registered Hampshire hog sale in Norton, Ks., Mr. & Mrs. Loren Thiele. Auct. Dick Kane.
- Jan. 18 — Household goods in Clay Center, Kans., Kellie Mugler estate. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Jan. 18 — Morris County Hereford Assn. sale, Council Grove, Kans., livestock auction sale barn. Kenneth Hiegert, Council Grove, sale mgr.
- Jan. 18 — Farm sale with cattle west of Marion, Kans., Leland Siefert. Aucts Wm. and Carl Schnell.
- Jan. 20 — Farm sale south of Hanover, Kans., Glen Bowdish. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Jan. 21, 1969 — Annual Rebenstorf Hereford production sale, Sylvan Grove, Kans., Elmer Rebenstorf.
- Jan. 22 — Farm sale southwest of Wakefield, Chester Bros., Foster Kretz, Auct.
- Jan. 22 — Farm sale south of Manhattan, Kansas, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Werner. Auct Lawrence Welter.
- Jan. 22 — Hinkhouse Polled Hereford sale in Plainville, sale mgr. Vic Roth.
- Jan. 23-24-25 — American Yorkshire Club show and sale in Arkansas City, Kans., sale Jan. 25. Wilbur F. Prager, sec-treas.
- Jan. 24 — Farm sale north of Randolph, Kansas, Wilbert Toburen. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Jan. 25 — Farm sale southeast of Clay Center, Kans., Howard Hemphill. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Jan. 25 — Farm sale north of

- Paxico, Kans., Rein Breymer. Auct Lawrence Welter.
- Jan. 29 — Farm sale southwest of Wakefield, Chester Bro. Foster Kretz, auct. Changed from Jan. 22.
- Feb. 1 — Household goods southeast of Clifton, Kans., Anna Lakin estate. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 1 — B.F.Y. bred gilt sale in Emporia, Kans., Jim Yearout.
- Feb. 1, 1969 — Duroc sale and annual 4-H & FFA contest in Smith Center, Kans. Albrecht and Popp.
- Feb. 3 — Farm sale north of Abilene, Kans., Wanita Carter. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 3 & 4 — Registered Angus sale northeast of Anthony, Kansas, the Parsons Angus Farm, Robert and Ted Parsons. Phil Ljungdahl, sale mgr., Ray Sims, auct.
- Feb. 4 — Farm sale north of Emporia, Kans., C. E. Gaston. Aucts Jim Barr and J. H. Hind.
- Feb. 5 — Farm sale east of Elmo, Floyd Beemer. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 6 — Farm sale east of Clyde, Kans., Henry Racette. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 7 — Farm sale southwest of Clifton, Kans., Leland Mauch. Auct Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 7 — Farm sale northwest of Blue Rapids. Paul Miller. Roche & Raleigh Breeding, aucts.
- Feb. 8 — Annual production sale, Farmers & Ranchers sale barn, Salina. Ericson Angus Farm, Willard Ericson. Phil Ljungdahl, sale mgr., Ray Sims, auct.
- Feb. 8 — Northeast Kansas Hereford assn. sale at Farmers Livestock Exchange south of Topeka, Kans., L. Eldon Gideon, sale mgr.
- Feb. 8 — Seventh annual Polled Hereford production sale Valley Hereford Farm, Goff, Kans., Carl J. Funk.
- Feb. 11 — Farm sale southeast of Belleville, Kans., Mr. & Mrs. Joe Ostrom. Auct. Eugene Waring.
- Feb. 15 — Farm sale north of Holton, Kans., Jack Karman. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 17 — Farm sale southwest on Leonardville, Gene Ruthstrom. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 24 — Farm sale south of Clifton, Kans., Harold Lah-

- meyer estate. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Feb. 28 — Farm sale southeast of Junction City, Kans., Bill Erbebo. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Mar. 1 — Eighth annual production sale of registered Polled Herefords, State Line Farms, Chester, Nebr., Mr. & Mrs. E. G. Nesmith.
- Mar. 8 — Blue Valley Hereford Assn. sale in Fairbury, Nebr., Don Banahan, Steele City, Nebr., sale mgr.
- Mar. 10 — Farm sale north of Clay Center, Kans., Lawrence (Bud) Savener. Auct. Foster Kretz.
- Mar. 27 — Northeast Kansas Angus Assn. sale in Horton, George Hook, Morrill, Ks., sale mgr.
- April 5 — Flint Hills antique sale in Cottonwood Falls, Ks., Jim Barr, auct. & sale mgr.
- Nov. 21 — Johnson Hereford Farms annual fall sale, Elmer L. Johnson & Sons, Smolan, Kansas.

22 Grass & Grain
January 7, 1969

DILLON GROCERY CHAIN IS DIVERSIFYING

The Dillon companies, the Hutchinson-based grocery chain is diversifying. It has recently acquired the Central Investment Corp. of Denver and the Aircraft Engine Service Inc. Oklahoma City thru merger. The Dillon companies will be listed on the New York Stock Exchange beginning January 1.



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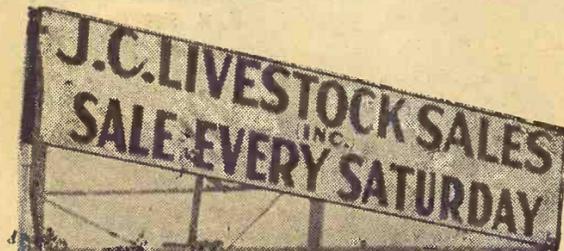
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on a booming start into 1969 with great trades. We have sold many new cars, which means we have lots of OK used cars for your selection.

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HOGS START AT 11:00 A.M.
CATTLE AT 1:00 P.M.

For the first sale of the new year we had a barn full of people and a red hot market.

The cow market was steady with last week's market, and the hog market was lower with the trend of the week.

We had a lighter run on our cattle market, but had an active run on all classes of cattle.

STEER CALVES
1 black bull 260 @ 31.75
3 black steers 356 @ 31.60
18 whiface str 440 @ 30.50
10 blkwhif str 505 @ 30.00
1 black steer 340 @ 29.50
9 black steers 440 @ 29.10
1 black bull 385 @ 29.00

HEIFER CALVES
1 black heifer 245 @ 27.50
2 black heifers 625 @ 26.25
1 blkwf heifer 255 @ 26.20
7 black heifers 369 @ 25.80
3 black heifers 466 @ 25.70
5 black heifers 527 @ 25.25
7 black heifers 481 @ 25.35
1 whif heifer 390 @ 25.00
1 whif heifer 560 @ 24.90
5 whif heifers 680 @ 24.40

FEEDER CATTLE
4 whiface str 740 @ 27.20
1 blkwf steer 720 @ 26.90
1 black steer 660 @ 26.60
2 blkwhif str 695 @ 26.40
12 blk(fleshy) str 905 @ 26.35
12 wf(fleshy) str 942 @ 26.35
28 whiface str 950 @ 26.30
10 hol. ang. cross steers 1003 @ 24.90

HOGS
22 hamp btch. 221 @ 18.75
10 butchers 216 @ 18.75
12 mix butch. 225 @ 18.70
6 mix butch. 228 @ 18.60
35 mix butch. 234 @ 18.60

15 mix butch. 230 @ 18.50
24 mix butch. 323 @ 18.50
25 red butchers 252 @ 18.40

SOWS
1 white sow 300 @ 15.60
2 mixed sows 402 @ 15.50
4 mixed sows 396 @ 15.00
1 white sow 445 @ 14.80
1 red sow 410 @ 14.80

In the pig market the smaller pigs sold from \$12.50 to \$14.00
The larger pigs sold from \$14.00 to \$20.00

COWS
1 holstein cow 1355 @ 18.45
1 holstein cow 1300 @ 18.40
1 whiface cow 1155 @ 18.40
3 holstein cows 1348 @ 18.35
1 holstein cow 1565 @ 18.60
1 holstein cow 1210 @ 18.30
1 holstein cow 1355 @ 18.30
1 holstein cow 1380 @ 18.30
2 holstein cows 1335 @ 18.25
1 blkwf cow 1440 @ 18.20
1 holstein cow 1355 @ 18.20
1 black cow 1120 @ 18.20
1 whiface cow 1165 @ 18.05
1 holstein cow 1335 @ 18.05

BULLS
1 whiface bull 1570 @ 21.70
1 whiface bull 1435 @ 21.70
1 whiface bull 1275 @ 21.40

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14 wf cows/clvs @ 247.50
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HERB NEUMEYER, White City, Phone 349-2863

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Support For Higher Gas Tax?

Results of a straw vote on legislative issues at 21 pre-Legislative conferences throughout the state showed overwhelming support for accelerating the state highway program by increasing highway user taxes.

The poll, conducted by the Kansas State Chamber of Commerce, also indicated support for a popular vote on liquor legislation and increased state spending for public education.

More than 1200 persons, including 92 state legislators, completed questionnaires.

Only 9% of the votes cast opposed increased highway user taxes. 52 percent of the votes over the state favored more toll roads.

On the related issue of an increased amount of highway user revenues to be returned to counties and cities, 87% were affirmative.

State voters also favored, by a four to one margin, submitting to a popular vote a constitutional amendment which would allow the Legislature full discretion in regulating sale of alcoholic beverages.

More than 80 percent of statewide respondents voted for an increased state contribution from 32 percent to 50 percent

for public schools and increased income and sales taxes for that purpose.

Other measures favored by voters in the straw poll were a uniform Monday holidays law in Kansas and a four-year term for the governor and other elected state officials.

The issue of a local "add-on" income tax received just more than 30 per cent support from statewide voters.

Participating local chambers of commerce were in Arkansas City, Atchison, Colby, Concordia, Dodge City, Emporia, Garden City, Great Bend, Hays, Hutchinson, Independence, Kansas City, Lawrence, Liberal, Manhattan, Overland Park, Phillipsburg, Pittsburg, Salina, Topeka and Wichita.

Statewide results announced by chamber president Maurice J. Breidenthal Jr., Kansas City, Kans:

- Should the state highway program (including roads and streets) be accelerated? Yes, 95%; No, 5%.
If so, by—
a. Increasing highway user taxes? Yes, 91%; No, 9%.
b. Issuance of revenue bonds repayable from user taxes? Yes, 77%; No, 23%.
c. Constructing more toll roads? Yes, 52%; No, 48%.
- Should the amount of highway user revenues returned to counties and cities be increased? Yes, 87%; No, 13%.

January 7, 1969

- Should a Uniform Monday Holidays law be enacted in Kansas, to conform with the federal law. Yes, 87%; No, 13%.
- Should the state increase its contribution from the present 32% to 50% of the costs of operating public schools, thus relieving pressure on the property tax? Yes, 85%; No, 15%.
b. If so, would you be willing to pay increased income and sales taxes for this purpose? Yes, 83%; No, 17%.
- Should a law be enacted providing for a Presidential Primary Election in Kansas? Yes, 67%; No, 33%.
- Should the 1969 Legislature enact credit control legislation, thus avoiding federal control under the "truth in lending" act effective July 1, 1969. Yes, 90%; No, 10%.
- Should state funds be increased for tourist promotion? Yes, 78%; No, 22%.
- Should Kansas enact permissive legislation authorizing counties and cities to create port authorities to establish land, air, and water terminal transportation facilities, and to develop such facilities by use of revenue bonds? Yes, 83%; No, 17%.
- Should counties acting singly or jointly be authorized to levy a tax to secure funds for planning and implementing area economic development programs? Yes, 80%; No, 20%.
- Should the state constitution be amended to—
a. Provide for "short ballot" election of only the governor and lieutenant governor, and possibly the attorney general in the executive branch of state government? Yes, 57%; No, 43%.
b. Make the term of office of the governor and other elected state officials four years? Yes, 80%; No, 20%.
c. Elect one half of the members of the state senate every 2 years? Yes, 83%; No, 17%.
d. Lower the voting age to 18? Yes, 44%; No, 56%.
- Should a constitutional amendment which would allow the Legislature full discretion in regulating the sale of alcoholic beverages in Kansas be submitted to a popular vote? Yes, 83%; No, 17%.
- Should cities (or cities and counties) be authorized to levy, subject to voter approval—
a. A local "add-on" sales tax? Yes, 51%; No, 49%.
b. A local "add-on" income tax? Yes, 35%; No, 65%.
c. A local earning tax? Yes, 42%; No, 58%.
- Should provision be made for payments in lieu of taxes by non-profit educational, religious, charitable and benevolent organizations for such services as police and fire protection? Yes, 77%; No, 23%.

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Established 1885

CLAY CENTER, KANSAS CONDENSED STATEMENT

At the close of business December 31, 1968

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 5,665,987.34
Fixed Assets	94,000.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	21,000.00
U. S. Government Securities	\$1,714,555.12
Kansas Municipal Bonds and Warrants	1,215,831.93
CCC Certificates of Interest	1,509,527.90
Cash and Due From Banks	1,738,341.34
TOTAL	\$11,959,243.63

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	500,000.00
Undivided Profits	288,274.72
Reserves	138,353.18
Deposits	10,832,615.73
TOTAL	\$11,959,243.63

The above statement is correct.

R. R. SMITH, Cashier

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FRIDAY

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Last Friday the first sale of 1969 had many consignors locally and from all surrounding counties brought in one of the largest runs of cattle that we ever had at this time of the year. Prices on cows looked 50¢ to \$1.00 higher. Stockers and feeders were about steady. Bulls were about steady.

BULLS	
1 bull	1470 @ 21.70
1 bull	1120 @ 21.30
1 bull	1570 @ 22.20
1 bull	1530 @ 22.25
2 bulls	525 @ 27.90
2 bulls	490 @ 28.60
4 bulls	570 @ 27.50
3 bulls	473 @ 28.50

COWS	
1 cow	1420 @ 18.25
1 cow	1420 @ 17.95
1 cow	1365 @ 17.75
1 cow	1370 @ 18.15
2 cows	1465 @ 17.85
1 cow	1350 @ 17.60
1 cow	1180 @ 17.60
1 cow	1280 @ 17.60
1 cow	1390 @ 17.90
1 cow	1020 @ 17.45
1 cow	1360 @ 17.40

1 cow	1070 @ 17.40
1 cow	1480 @ 17.80
1 cow	1120 @ 17.40
1 cow	1220 @ 17.75
2 cows	1245 @ 17.45
1 cow	1030 @ 17.25
28 canner cows	1030 @ 15.40

STOCKER & FEEDER STEERS	
11 wf hrn str	444 @ 30.70
4 black steers	343 @ 30.10

2 black steers	440 @ 30.10
6 black steers	538 @ 28.70
12 black steers	540 @ 27.10
5 black steers	606 @ 27.10
18 whiface str	626 @ 26.90
1 whiface steers	660 @ 27.00
42 whiface str	750 @ 26.90
5 whiface str	556 @ 27.65
2 shorthorn str	525 @ 28.90
6 whiface steers	545 @ 28.00
3 whiface steers	590 @ 27.70
3 whiface steers	480 @ 28.90
17 blkwf steers	780 @ 26.75
14 blkwf steers	570 @ 27.25
25 whiface str	756 @ 26.85
17 black steers	730 @ 26.55
5 black steers	722 @ 26.60
11 whiface str	797 @ 26.75
4 blkwf steers	972 @ 26.45
6 whiface steers	676 @ 26.55
4 blkwf steers	737 @ 26.10
8 whiface str	528 @ 27.70
5 whiface steers	592 @ 27.20
15 holstein str	582 @ 23.70

STOCKER & FEEDER HEIFERS	
3 blkwf heifers	516 @ 26.00
1 blkwf heifer	470 @ 26.10
2 blkwf heifers	470 @ 26.70
7 whiface heifers	537 @ 25.20
1 black heifer	370 @ 27.00
4 blue roan hfr	910 @ 24.00
9 whiface heifers	956 @ 23.55
3 black heifers	853 @ 24.10
4 whiface heifers	495 @ 25.40
8 black heifers	501 @ 25.65

Already listed for Friday, Jan. 10

- 65 choice angus and whiteface steers - 500 to 600 lbs.
- 90 choice whiteface and angus steers and heifers, 450-500 lbs.
- 35 whiteface and angus stocker cows

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Hogs 11:30 a.m.

Cattle 1 p.m.

We had a good run of cattle and hogs at our first sale of the new year. Cattle market was steady on all classes of cattle. Stocker and feeder cattle were in good demand. There was a big run of butcher cows with a top of \$17.90. Butcher hogs were down \$1.00 from a week ago with an extreme top of \$19.35 and the bulk going for \$18.75 to \$19.00. The following is a sampling of our consignments:

FAT CATTLE & FEEDERS	
5 whiface steers	511 @ 28.40
6 whiface steers	666 @ 27.60
5 black steers	548 @ 27.20
2 whiface steers	550 @ 27.00
2 whiface steers	590 @ 26.60
2 whiface steers	685 @ 26.60
2 blk whiface str	565 @ 26.40
5 black steers	728 @ 26.20
3 char steers	803 @ 25.15
4 whiface heifers	692 @ 24.65
1 black heifer	530 @ 23.60

HEIFER CALVES	
4 mixed wf heifers	216 @ 33.00
4 whiface heifers	428 @ 26.10
1 black heifer	260 @ 25.50
9 black wf heifers	421 @ 25.10
7 black wf heifers	488 @ 24.40
1 holstein heifer	445 @ 24.00
2 red heifers	480 @ 23.70

HOGS & PIGS	
109 mixed fats	235 @ 19.35
13 hamp fats	225 @ 19.10
8 white fats	220 @ 19.05
1 mixed sow	320 @ 15.75
4 mixed sows	382 @ 15.05
4 white sows	610 @ 14.15
5 spt gilts	331 @ 16.10
1 hamp boar	420 @ 10.10
1 white boar	525 @ 10.10
1 white boar	630 @ 10.10
1 red boar	61.00
6 red fdrs	160 @ 18.75
6 red fdrs	83 @ 18.25
10 white pigs	15.00
26 mixed pigs	13.00
27 mixed pigs	12.50
12 mixed pigs	11.00
16 mixed pigs	8.50

COWS	
1 holstein cow	4380 @ 17.90
1 whiface cow	1275 @ 17.60
2 red cows	4580 @ 17.20
1 brown Swiss cow	1145 @ 16.50
1 guern cow	835 @ 13.60
1 holstein heifer	295.00
1 guern heifer	230.00
1 black cow	202.50

BULLS	
1 whiface bull	322.50
1 whiface bull	260.00
1 whiface bull	935 @ 21.10
1 whiface bull	1430 @ 20.60
1 roan bull	1165 @ 19.70

BULL & STEER CALVES	
2 whiface bull cvs	260 @ 32.25
2 blk wf bull cvs	275 @ 31.75
1 whiface steer	430 @ 30.50
2 black steers	380 @ 30.25
8 black wf bull cvs	416 @ 30.00
2 black steers	368 @ 30.00
1 whiface bull cf	305 @ 29.00

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Industry Switch To Polyglass Tires

The automobile industry is preparing to change tires, and the coming tires are expected to last longer, be safer and cost more than the rubber on today's new cars.

The only question appears to be how soon the change will come and what it will cost car buyers. Some industry sources say the changeover to the new type tires will begin this summer in the final months of 1969 model production. Others say some new models will carry the newer tires as standard equipment in the 1970 model year, which will begin late next summer. It probably will be several years before all new cars have the new tires.

The change could add as much as \$40 to \$50 to the price of a new car.

The tires to go on the new cars are known today as "polyglass" tires, because they carry two plies of glass fiber cord and

and two plies of polyester. Similar tires are sold today on a handful of high performance automobiles as standard equipment and they are also sold by tire dealers. Present new car tires generally use a rayon cord.

In addition the coming tires are "bias belted," the newest of three main types of tire construction.

In conventional tires the fabric — the plies which provide the shape and strength of a tire — run diagonally across the face of the tire.

In radial ply tires, popular in Europe, the cords run straight across and there is an additional layered belt of fabric atop the straight fabric. The radial ply tires are considered safer and longer lasting than conventional tires but they cost more and give a harsher ride, which Detroit engineers say isn't pleasing to American drivers.

The newest type combines both concepts — the cords run across the face of the tire at an angle as in the conventional tire, but there is an additional fabric belt between the plies and the rubber tire tread.

The belted bias ply tires cost more than conventional tires but not as much as the radial tires. In addition this type can be made with conventional tire making equipment while the radial tires require heavy investments in new equipment.

General Motors Corporation is considered the leader in the move to put the new tires on its cars.

A Ford Motor Company vice president said "This is the coming thing, and we will get them on sooner or later. But I think G.M. is moving quicker." He added that he expects to see some of his company's cars have the new tires on 1970 models.

Automotive News, an industry trade publication, said the changeover will begin in June on the last of the 1969 models

with General Motors making the major move.

The advantage to the car owner is that the new tires are expected to last anywhere from 25 per cent to 40 per cent longer and have greater puncture resistance than conventional tires on most new cars. Radial tires are said to last even longer.

The second important factor is that the new tires offer improved traction, particularly on wet roads.

The disadvantages are a slightly harsher ride and price. The ride problem may be eliminated in time. But one tire company official told a newsmen that even in mass production the belted bias tires would cost 20 per cent more than conventional tires.

MINNEAPOLIS WOMAN NEARS 109 YEARS

MINNEAPOLIS — Possibly the oldest person in the G&G area is Mrs. Kitty Harvey of Minneapolis, who will be 109 Sunday.

24 17.2 Cents Of Every Dollar For Food

American consumers in 1968 spent not quite as much for the farmer produces than they did in 1967. Economists say after-tax income spent for food in the U.S. in 1968 was 17.2 per cent.

We ate more beef and but less lamb and veal last year. Retail prices of all food in 1968 averaged about three per cent above those of 1967. Statisticians say Americans spent \$101 billion for food last year.

Economists are forecasting lower prices for the first half of 1969 for pork, fruit, fresh processed vegetables, fats and oils. Consumers will be paying more for eggs, turkey, dairy products, potatoes. Beef and cereal will remain about the same.

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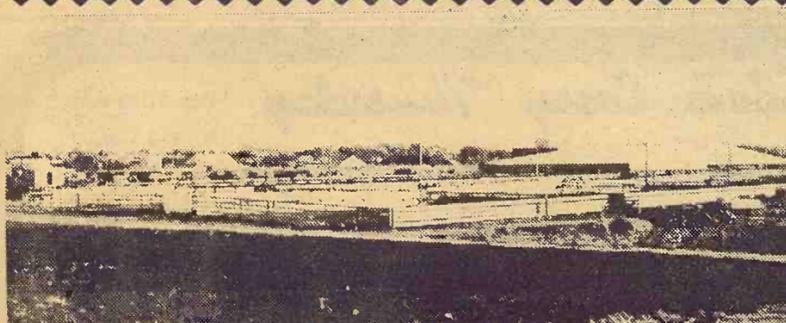
Due to the upcoming holiday and bad weather, our receipts last week were too light to establish a market. We are expecting our usual run of cattle and hogs at our regular sale today.

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Cattle Only

Selling starts at 11:00 a.m. Cattle will sell in the order they are consigned on the books.

Receipts for the week totaled 2057 cattle and 283 hogs. Fat hog top was 20.10 and Bulk of the Feeder cattle selling under some downward pressure. The following is a partial listing of the sales made:

CATTLE

59 whiface steers, Marion	765 @ 27.00
60 whiface steers, Salina	713 @ 26.95
65 whiface steers, Salina	692 @ 26.90
32 whiface steers, Ottawa	865 @ 26.15
39 mixed heifers, Rice	786 @ 25.50
36 whiface steers, Lincoln	805 @ 26.70
21 whiface steers, Rice	601 @ 27.20
7 black & blk wf steers, Lincoln	617 @ 28.10
18 whiface steers, McPherson	871 @ 26.30
11 whiface steers, McPherson	778 @ 26.70
18 black steers, Clay	379 @ 31.30
27 black heifers, Clay	429 @ 25.45
17 holstein steers, Marion	898 @ 21.75
14 black steers, McPherson	400 @ 30.80
17 black heifers, McPherson	365 @ 26.70
36 mixed steers, Lincoln	824 @ 26.15
13 whiface steers, Pawnee	484 @ 30.50
12 whiface heifers, Pawnee	473 @ 26.10
33 mixed steers, McPherson	862 @ 26.15
51 mixed heifers, McPherson	753 @ 24.85
17 black & blk wf heifers, Dickerson	760 @ 25.20
4 whiface steers, Mitchell	385 @ 30.40
7 whiface steers, Dickerson	427 @ 31.00
15 whiface heifers, Dickerson	494 @ 26.40
13 whiface steers, Ellsworth	517 @ 30.00
13 black whiface str, Marion	702 @ 26.00
13 whiface steers, Pawnee	484 @ 30.50
12 whiface heifers, Pawnee	473 @ 26.10
14 whiface steers, McPherson	816 @ 26.25
19 whiface steers, McPherson	1034 @ 25.75
10 shorthorn heifers, Rice	471 @ 25.25
21 whiface heifers, Pawnee	550 @ 26.50
3 whiface heifers, Pawnee	218 @ 31.25
9 black cows & calves, Marion	@ 217.00

19 black cows, Marion	@ 192.00
28 mixed steers, Morris	939 @ 26.10
4 mixed steers, Morris	931 @ 25.00
1 holstein cow, Marion	1245 @ 18.10
1 holstein cow, Salina	1230 @ 18.60
1 black bull, Ellsworth	1125 @ 20.95
1 whiface bull, Dickerson	1455 @ 21.40
1 holstein cow, Dickerson	1395 @ 17.70
1 black cow, Ellsworth	1220 @ 18.00
1 whiface bull, Russell	1190 @ 20.80
5 black steers, Salina	401 @ 29.80
6 black heifers, Salina	400 @ 26.70
2 char steers, Salina	400 @ 32.00
1 holstein cow, Dickerson	1335 @ 17.90
3 black heifers, Dickerson	303 @ 27.10
5 holstein steers, Marion	605 @ 22.20
1 whiface cow, McPherson	950 @ 17.30
10 black steers, Rice	531 @ 29.30
4 black steers, Ellsworth	610 @ 27.90
5 whiface steers, Sedgwick	837 @ 26.60
5 holstein steers, Salina	486 @ 24.20
9 mixed heifers, McPherson	632 @ 24.90
12 whiface steers, Marion	774 @ 26.05
5 black whiface str, Marion	1008 @ 25.90
1 black whiface str, Morris	345 @ 30.80

15 mixed cows, McPherson	1132 @ 16.95
1 holstein cow, Ottawa	1330 @ 18.10

HOGS

9 white hogs, Lincoln	222 @ 20.10
14 mixed hogs, Salina	220 @ 20.05
21 mixed hogs, Salina	225 @ 20.05
17 mixed hogs, Ottawa	216 @ 20.00
10 mixed hogs, Salina	230 @ 19.90
12 mixed hogs, Dickerson	195 @ 19.75
8 mixed hogs, Salina	246 @ 19.45
9 white hogs, Ottawa	240 @ 19.90
17 mixed hogs, Ottawa	234 @ 19.90
1 hamp sow, Dickerson	615 @ 13.20
1 spot sow, Salina	360 @ 15.20
1 spot boar, Dickerson	510 @ 9.10
1 white sow, Ottawa	600 @ 13.80
1 white sow, Rue	615 @ 14.00
4 red sows, Salina	486 @ 14.10
1 red sow, Salina	325 @ 15.50
6 spot shoats, Lincoln	112 @ 18.40
8 white hogs, Salina	248 @ 19.10
9 white hogs, Lincoln	202 @ 19.75
15 mixed sows, Salina	477 @ 13.90

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