

Lightweight Cattle Shipped to Omaha Market

Veteran Feeders Say Large Profit Could Be Secured by Finishing Stock in Yards.

A. E. Romberg, retired farmer and cattle feeder of Scribner, was among the visitors at the stockyards. Mr. Romberg said that in his opinion it was a paying proposition to put a good finish on livestock before sending it to market.

"I believe the farmers are sending too many light cattle to market, and that they would make up to good margin by feeding them to good weight. I have found by experience that I always get better results, both in weight and price, by putting on a good finish to my livestock before sending it to market."

Profit on Mixed Load.
A carload of mixed cattle was brought to the Omaha yards by J. R. Wainwright of Ansley, on which, he said, he received a good profit.

According to Mr. Wainwright, an epidemic of cholera cut down the usual large crop of hogs around Ansley, but, he said, there are extensive cattle feeding operations and all corn has been used for feed and a lot of corn is being shipped in.

Young Farmer Successful.
Mildred Romberg, J., a young farmer of Scribner, returned home after making a satisfactory disposal of a shipment of hogs.

pounds and sold for \$7.95 a hundred. Mr. Romberg said the hogs were farrowed last April and that he had 50 sows that he expected to produce a good bunch of weaners for market. Mr. Romberg has but recently started in the livestock business and the load of hogs he brought in Wednesday were the first he had ever marketed for himself.

Choice Lambs Sold.
A. H. Krimmell of Gilcrest, Colo., was on the market with a shipment of choice lambs that averaged 85 pounds and sold for the good price of \$14.75 a hundred.

Mr. Krimmell says there are a large number of sheep on feed in Colorado this season and that some of them were taken direct from the ranges to the feed lots.

Stock Is Unfinished.
Two loads of light steers, averaging 1,043 pounds for 22 head, and 17 head averaging 1,014 pounds, were brought to the Omaha market by A. R. Barr of Stanton. Both lots sold for an even \$10 a hundred, while there were a few heifers averaging 916 pounds that sold for \$8 a hundred.

"There is too much unfinished stock sent to market," said Mr. Barr, "and I cannot understand it, with the good prices being paid for finished stuff. Cattle have been moving out of Stanton county very freely and a lot of them coming before they were in a paying marketable condition."

Nabbed Soon After Arrival.
Less than 12 hours after coming to Omaha for the alleged purpose of peddling morphine, Fred Stamper, Rockport, Mo., was arrested yesterday at Nineteenth and Chicago streets by Detectives Fritz Frank and Frank Aughe. The police allege that he bought an ounce of dope in Kansas City for \$40 which he intended to sell here for \$600.

Will Attempt to Fly Around the World



Alan J. Cobham, famous English aviator, is completing arrangements for an attempt to fly around the world, starting on March 24.

River Compact Approved.
Salt Lake City, Jan. 25.—The Utah state senate yesterday by unanimous vote passed the bill to approve the Colorado river compact, signed at Santa Fe, N. M., last November. The bill will be considered by the house of representatives in committee of the whole Thursday afternoon.

Boy Hit by Auto Receives Five Skull Fractures

Griswold, Ia., Lad Steps Into Path of Auto—Rushed to Omaha—Recovery Doubtful.

Mrs. L. L. Snyder of Griswold, Ia., helped her 5-year-old son, Robert, into his coat and mittens Wednesday morning and waved him goodbye, as, with his older brother, he climbed into a neighbor's car to drive to the country school where he is a first grader. An hour later she was holding him in her arms in a race to Omaha to save the child's life, after he had been struck by a passing automobile.

Today at Lord Lister hospital the little boy is lying in a semi-conscious condition with his skull fractured in five places, while surgeons are fighting to save his life. His father and mother are by his side. The attending surgeon said yesterday morning that recovery is doubtful, as one of the fractures is at the base of the brain.

"We can only wait," said the mother, turning anxious eyes toward the little figure on the narrow white bed.

The accident occurred about 9. When the neighbor's car stopped in front of the school building, Robert stepped out and ran around behind the machine, eager to join his playmates in the school yard. But as he stepped out from behind the car, an automobile coming from the opposite direction struck him and knocked him

down. The wheels did not pass over the boy's body.

While the older brother ran home to get his mother, the motorist in the other car took Robert to Griswold to a doctor. Then, in a hastily equipped ambulance, Robert was rushed the 60 miles to the Omaha hospital, his mother and father accompanying him.

"We do not blame the other driver," said Mrs. Snyder. "It seemed as if it couldn't be helped and he did all he could for us. I don't want to give his name."

Arrested and Fined After Obtaining Pardon for Friend

After obtaining a pardon for a friend who had been arrested on a vagrancy charge, Charles Chase, 1122 South Thirty-second street, was fined \$100 for illegal possession of liquor and \$10 for drunkenness. A bottle of liquor was found in his pocket. The mayor's orders concerning the pardon of Chase's friend were executed.

Victim of Holdup Here Dying at Home in Mexico

Manuel Hernandez, 24, is dying at his home in Leon, Guanajuato, Mexico, according to word received here by the Mexican colony.

Manuel left home in 1920 and came to Nebraska. He had saved \$400 when he was the victim of thieves who struck him down. When found his feet were so badly frozen they had to be amputated.

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den's possession. They also recovered an automatic pistol which they say was stolen two months ago from Robert Owens, 1222 Cass street.

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