#### Our Market Letter.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Mongay' Jan. 2, 1905. The supply here today is 5000 head, just about right, but Chicago reports 37,000 cattle, altogether too many. Prices are 10 lower today on killing cattle, but stockers and feeders are nearly steady. The bad market today will probably hold off receipts balance of the week and market should be as good as steady during that time. Top beef steers last week sold at \$5.50, but some orders for prime beeves were unfilled, as none of that kind came; they would have sold around \$6.00. Monday and Tuesday very few steers sold under \$4.25, but last of the week many sales were at \$4,00 or less. Good heifers sold at \$4.00 to \$4.50, fat heavy cows \$3.50 to \$4.25, medium she stuff at \$2.40 to \$3.25, and the fair to good stuff closed the week 10 to 20 cents higher. Veals sold up to \$6.50 for choicest. Stock cattle and feeders' advanced a quarter, but so few of them arrived there was not much stir to the trade. A few good heavy feeders went to the country late in the week at \$3.75 to \$4.25, and range of prices for stockers, feeders and stock calves was \$2.50 to \$4.25.

According to all precedents in view of the light run, the hog market should have gained sharply last week, but it closed only 5 cents above close of previous week. Packers have not abandoned the bear side of the argument, and are still expecting to buy hogs around \$4,00 this month. Market is 5 to 10 cents lower today, with a top of \$4.55, bulk of sales \$4.25 to \$4.50. Pigs bring 83.65 to \$3.90, light hogs \$4.10 to \$4.40, and packers weights \$4.40 to \$4.55-J. A. Richart, L. S. Correspondent.

### Williamsville.

Anna Reinke who is attending school at the convent at Rulo spent the holidays with her parents.

Mr. C. Steinbrink transacted business in Falls City Thursday for Dist. 24 of which he is treasurer.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartman who has been seriously ill has somewhat improved.

Windle Gerwick and daughters Lousia and Katie spent New Year's Eve at the home of Mr. Weissentine.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Schutz is critically ill, but their many friends hope to hear of his recovery soon.

Harley Butler, son of Mr. and Mrs, Frank Butler who has been suffering from an attack of Typhoid fever is so much improved that he is playing with his chums again.

The school house in Dist. 20 burnt down Tuesday owning to a defective stove and flue. New books and several other improvements had been made which in all is a total loss as the building was only assured for a small amount.

#### Fargo.

J. R. Krusors is on the sick list this week.

The boys and girls are having quite a time over the telephone these days.

A dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan last Saturday evening, A good time is reported.

The masquerade ball which was to have been held at the Fargo hall December 26, was postponed to January 4 on account of the snow storm.

The Falls City Telephone Co. had better come and get their

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I will buy all the Junk you have and pay good prices for it. Just like finding money on your part.

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Here is where you can pick em up-dollars we mean.

I now sort all Junk here instead of at Omaha and can therefore pay better prices. I will buy retail or wholesale lots and pay city prices, and at the same time save you the freight.

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Deal with me and make money. Ring Phone No. 239 and I will call on you, or drop me a card. Prices submitted on application.

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Mr. Dodd and wife are enjoying a visit from their neice, Miss Jones of Washington Co. Kas.

The crowd that charivaried Chas. Stump and wife last week were treated to a feast of Oysters Friday night.

F. S. Lichty and Edger Harkins are batching while their wives are away on a visit with relatives.

The three sons of Mrs. O'Mara are home again after spending the holidays with their sister in Rulo.

Eph. Peck shelled corn one day last week. Frank Schulenberg did the work with his new gasoline engine.

Al Doerner stirred up considerpoles which are strung along the road in this neighborhood. Some able excitement among the local of them are getting quite rotten. sports by stories of a wonderful jack rabbit he had seen near Rulo. Ohio Precinct. Investigations however, proved Emma McCann visited at O. A the animal Al had seen to be a No. 20. muskrat.

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John Schutz is suffering from an attack of the gup.

George Arnold spent Sunday | Burks Sunday. with friends near Salem.

Mr. Mongold lost one of his the sick list, valuable farm horses last week.

Ira Dunn and family spent Friday evening at the home of R. J. Dunn.

Mary Duerfeldt who has been working for Mrs. Arnold is now at home.

Messrs, Charles and Joe Arnold spent last Sunday with their uncle near Salem.

Charles Arnold left for Des-Moines, Iowa, Tuesday to resume his school duties.

Frank Butler and son Earl marketed two loads of fat hogs to Falls City Saturday.

Among the shoppers who were in Falls City Saturday were Frank Butler and son Earl, Nellie Dunn, Mrs. G. Duef eldt and daughters and Elmer Butler.

I. J. Rhodes little child is on

Frank Peck visited with Ivan Keller, Sunday.

Willie Albers visited at Mr. Browers, Sunday.

Alice and Nettie O'Mara went over to Arago, Monday.

A. E. Knisely spent New Years near Hamlin, Kas.

Emma and Maude McCann entertained friends from Nebraska City during the holidays.

Wm. Huettner killed a large jack rabbit while out hunting Monday.

Dr. C. H. Shaffer of Morrill, Kas., spent a few days with relatives in this vicinity last week. Mary Dodds returned to Peru house hold goods Wednesday to take up her school work again after a two weeks vacation at home.

#### An Oversight.

In the "Educational Department" this week, is a paper by Miss Carrie C. Boyd, but in setting it we forgot to give her the credit for it.

Auction Sale Monday January 9 At my farm nine miles north east of this city and 4 miles northwest of Rulo At 10 o'clock a m. 31 head high grade short horn cattle, 4 head horses. 32 head hogs and Farm implements and Lunch on Grounds John Kloepfel

sas City, St Louis Chicago and points east and south .... 4:25 p m Local express daily Atchison and points south and west ... 4:35 p m No. 41. St. Louis-Portland Special, Lincoln, Helena, Tacoma and Portland without change ..... 10:07 p m No. 115. Local accommodation, daily except Sunday, Salem, Nemaha and Nebraska City..... 10:40 p m

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DR. W. L. KENNY of St. Joseph EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT SPECIALIST will be at Mercy Hospital January 10.