

Stock for Profit on the Farm.

Stock raising has always been the most profitable feature of mixed farming among the masses. Now it is much more so, with this one condition, that the stock raised for profit must be improved blood.

One of our exchanges gives the following reasons why a system of mixed farming, which includes the raising of stock largely, is surer and at the same time more profitable, than the farm is kept up to its original fertility and often to increased fertility.

Death of a Miser.

For many years past there has resided at Crooked Creek, Minn., about eight miles north of New Albin, an eccentric old German, supposed to be a miser. He secluded himself as much as possible, and desired to be left alone.

The Evils of Feeding Pets.

Writing of diphtheria, a correspondent of the Louisville (Ky.) Medical News makes the following remarks: The report of the epidemic at Darmstadt being concluded, allow me to make a remark as to its possible cause, one which I have not observed taken notice of in the correspondence on this singular outbreak of the disease.

The contemplated line of the Lincoln & Northwestern Railroad will pass through the Eden of Nebraska, to-wit: The valley of the Blue river from Sewall to Elroy, at the head of the river to Elroy, and the Union Pacific.

COMPARE FIGURES.

RECKON FOR YOURSELF.

Look on This Picture and Then on That.

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Dear Sir: In reply to yours of 15th inst. I take pleasure in giving you our present schedule of freights from ST. LOUIS OR CHICAGO INTO LINCOLN.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Lumber per 100 lbs, Agricultural implements, Fire brick, Hard coal, Household goods, Common brick, Lumber from Mississippi river, Lime from same, Port Scott coal, Dealers' price at Lincoln, Missouri coal, Wheat, per 100 lbs, Other grain, Flour, per bbl, Live stock, per car.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes 1st Class, 2d, 3d, 4th, Special, Hogs, Lincoln to Atchison, Same to Kansas City, 24,000 pounds, or 12 tons, unless otherwise stated, is a car load.

Write Home.

EDITOR JOURNAL.—An old lady of more than three score years and ten, to whom I often send your excellent paper, wishes me to write something for it which will particularly remind the readers thereof, of the "old folks in the old, old home."

SOME FREIGHT FIGURES.

Read Them. Figures Do Not Lie! In reading these figures, remember that the distance from Atchison to Lincoln is 145 miles. From Omaha to David City 96 miles. The rates given are from Atchison to Lincoln, in the A. & N. column and from Omaha to David City in the O. & R. V. column.

Articles.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Per cent, and Price. Includes Coal, Raisins, Coffee (ground), Matches, Sugar, Lumber per car of 24,000 lbs.

It costs you ten dollars to ship a car load of freight from Chicago to the towns along the Mississippi, including the river transfer.

From David City to Council Bluffs, the terminus of the U. P., we pay \$36 per car, it being only 100 miles. The U. P. charges \$10 more for a car load from David City than they do from Valparaiso, a distance of a little over twenty miles.

Jacobs went to hear a lady violinist, the other evening, and was very much taken with her performance.

Mrs. Jacobs said, however, that she did not see much in it. She thought any clever girl could manage her beau.

UNION PACIFIC RATES.

FIGURE FOR YOURSELF.

Look on That Picture and then on This.

The last year's shipments from this point were about 3000 cars; if we could ascertain the exact number of each class we could estimate pretty nearly the saving, but from these tables you can cipher until you are convinced of the enormity of the transportation load that is being carried by the wheat raiser, the cattle and hog raiser, the consumer of lumber, coal, groceries, merchandise, etc.

FROM CHICAGO TO COLUMBUS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Agricultural implements, Hard coal, price at Columbus, Household goods, with agreement with all roads, from any point in Ill. and Wis., to Columbus, Lumber (from Clinton) per car, Lime, per car of 100 barrels, from Omaha, Rock Spring coal in Columbus per ton, by car load, Wheat, per 100 pounds, Other grain, per 100 lbs, Flour, by car load, per 100 lbs, Live stock (list-rate) per car.

TABLE OF DISTANCES.

Table with 2 columns: From and To, and Distance. Includes Chicago to Columbus (500 miles), Omaha (92).

He was a sharp-looking little man who offered to go on the bail bond of a prisoner.

The counsel for the people was suspicious, and asked him, quite sternly, "Do I understand you to swear that you are a property holder in this country?" "You do," he answered proudly, "I own two lots in a burying-ground less'n a quarter mile from here."

A lady engaged to be married, and getting sick of her bargain, appealed to a friend to help her untie the knot before it was too late.

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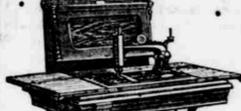
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