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tle, 950 to 1125 lbs. each, at $3.90 to $4.20 per cwt.

D. Rountree bought 2 milch cows at $40 and $50 each.

H. A. Mullins, live stock dealer, and well known to the trade here, was a visitor at the market.

JUNCTION CATTLE MARKET.

Receipts of live stock at the Junction Cattle Market to-day were 9 cars, consisting of 50 cattle and 1072 sheep, which makes a total for Monday and Tuesday of 52 cars, 932 cattle and 1236 sheep.

There was little doing to-day on this market, as nearly all the business was transacted yesterday, Monday having developed into a market day.

B. J. Stevens & Co., live stock commission merchants, report the following sales at the Union Stock Yards on Monday: 25 exporters, average 1350 lbs. each, at $4.50; 19 exporters, average 1315, at $4.30; 21 short keeps, average 1264, at $3.70; 23 butchers, average 1095, at $4, less $10; 1 butchers' cow, 1370, at $3.25; 1 butchers' steer (common), 1140, at $2.25; 1 bull, 1060, at $2.50; 98 lambs, average 95, at $4.20; 30 sheep, average 151, at $3.35.

Xmas Fat Stock Show.

On Friday, Dec. 11, next, the Union Stock Yards Company will hold their first annual Fat Stock Show at the Junction yards. This will be the first event of the kind to be held here, and is to be hoped that its annual growth will be in keeping with the increasing importance of the live stock trade, and will in time become a Canadian competitor to the great Chicago Fair. The company will offer the following liberal list of prizes for the various classes of animals, particulars of which we were able to get to-day. No animal to compete in more than one class:

Best 16 export cattle, steers or heifers, fed and owned by exhibitor, not less than one month prior to date of show	$20
Second prize	20
Third prize	10
Best 18 butcher cattle, steers or heifers	20
Second prize	10
Best fat animal, any breed	15
Second prize, do.	7
Best fat steer, 3 years and under	8
Second prize, do.	5
Third prize, do.	3
Best fat heifer, 3 years and under	8
Second prize, do.	5
Third prize, do.	3
Best fat cow, 3 years and over	8
Second prize, do.	5
Third prize, do.	3
Best fat steer, 3 years and over	8
Second prize, do.	5
Third prize, do.	3
Best deck sheep	15
Second prize, do.	7
Veal calf	5
Best pair ewes or wethers, 2 years or under	5
Second prize, do.	2
Third prize, do.	2
Best pair lambs	5
Second prize, do.	3
Third prize, do.	2

The yards will be open free to the public on the day of the show.

Live Stock Notes.

The Chicago Live Stock Journal of Nov. 23 gives the following:

Extreme hog prices for the dates mentioned: top prices are for selected lots:

	Heavy Grades. 250 to 400 lbs.	Light Grades. 140 to 195 lbs.
Nov. 16	$4 25 to $5 00	$4 40 to $4 85
Nov. 17	4 15	4 8½ / 4 20
Nov. 18	4 05	4 75 / 4 20
Nov. 19	4 15	4 80 / 4 25
Nov. 20	4 10	4 70 / 4 15
Nov. 21	4 00	4 65 / 4 10
Nov. 23	3 90	4 50 / 3 95
		4 75 / 4 67½ / 4 65 / 4 45

Extreme prices and bulk of beef cattle thus far this week, with comparisons:

	Extreme Range.	Bulk of Sales.
This week	$3 20 to $5 60	$3 00 to $5 00
Week ago	3 20 5 50	4 00 5 10
Year ago	3 00 6 00	4 25 5 75
2 years ago	3 90 7 00	5 00 6 35
3 years ago	4 10 5 90	5 15 5 75

A load of fancy Angus steers, averaging 1434 lbs., sold at $5.60, and a drove of 40 head of choice 1250-lb. steers went at $5.55, with several lots of choice 1138 to 1162 lb. averages at $5.30 to $5.40, including a load of Shorthorns, averaging 1471 lbs., which had been fed at the Illinois Experiment Station, at $5.40. A fair volume of 1225 to 1450 lbs. steers sold at $5 to $5.25, but the proportion landing above $5 was not large; most good shipping and export kinds going at $4.70 to $4.90, with bulk of medium to good 1150 to 1500 lb. steers at $4.20 to $4.65; fair light killing steers at $3.85 to $4.25, and common and rough lots of medium to heavy weight at $2.60 to $3.85, with inferior kinds at $3.20 to $3.50. Big, heavy steers, unless of good quality, met slow sale, most common grades of such going at $4 to $4.25. An 11-load lot of 1127 fed Texas steers sold at $3.75.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Slightly Lower—American Markets Quoted Steady for Steers.

New York, Nov. 24.—Beeves—Receipts, 171, mainly consigned direct. No sales reported. Reported exports for to-day, 1050 beeves, 1610 sheep, 4000 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 275; about steady; veals, $4.50 to $9; western calves, $4.37½.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4232; sheep slow and weak; lambs very dull and rated slightly easier; sheep, $3.50; culls, $2; reported sales of lambs were at $5.20 to $5.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 4153; no sales reported.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, Nov. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 375 head; steady; prime steers, $5 to $5.25; shipping, $4.40 to $4.90; butchers', $3.50 to $4.75; heifers, $3 to $4.25; cows, $2.25 to $3.60; bulls, $2.50 to $4; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $3.75; stock heifers, $2 to $2.75. Veals—Receipts, 240 head; easier, $6 to $8.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,900 head; fairly active, 10c to 20c lower; heavy and mixed, $4.50 to $4.60; Yorkers, $4.20 to $4.35; pigs, $4.50; roughs, $3.75 to $4; stags, $3 to $3.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 13,800 head; steady; lambs, $4.50 to $5.60; yearlings, $4.25 to $4.50; wethers, $4 to $4.25; ewes, $3 to $3.50; sheep, mixed, $1.50 to $3.75.

British Cattle Market.

London, Nov. 24.—Live cattle steady at 10¼c to 10¾c per lb. for American steers, dressed weight; Canadian steers, 10c to 10½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8¾c per lb. Sheep steady, 11c to 12c per lb. Lambs 13c to 13½c, dressed weight.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 7000; steady; 2000 westerns; good to prime steers $5.10 to $5.65; poor to medium, $3.50 to $4.80; stockers and feeders, $2 to $4.10; cows, $1.25 to $4; heifers, $2 to $4.60; canners, $1.25 to $2.70; bulls, $1.75 to $4.35; calves, $2 to $6.50; Texas-fed steers, $2.75 to $3.50; western steers, $3 to $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 35,000; to-morrow, 35,000; opened 10c to 15c lower, closed steady, stronger; mixed and butchers', $4.40 to $4.50; good to choice heavy, $4.20 to $4.32½; rough heavy, $3.900 to $4.15; light, $4 to $4.25; bulk of sales, $4.15 to $4.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $3.75 to $4.25; fair to choice mixed, $2.75 to $3.60; native lambs, $3.50 to $5.50.

RADIUM UNDER CONNECTICUT.

Boston, Nov. 24.—C. P. King, a Boston mineralogist, reports that under the State of Connecticut, from Bridgeport north and east to the Massachusetts line, there is a vast bed of radium of sufficient power and value, he says, to make or unmake the United States. Mr. King has paid several visits to different parts of Connecticut, and expresses confidence that there is a great deposit of uranium and radium, of which he found abundant traces, somewhere between New-Milford and New Haven.

BELL COMBINE IN NEW YORK.

Utica, N.Y., Nov. 24.—Charles F. Cutler was to-day elected president of the Central New York Telephone and Telegraph Co., and of the Empire State Telephone Company, at meetings of the directors held in this city. Mr. Cutler is now head of all the Bell telephones in New York State, except what is known as the Buffalo Bell. It looks like a beginning that will end in the consolidation of the Bell telephone in the State, and already it is something more than federation.

To Encourage Working Boys.

The Home for Working Boys at the corner of Church and Gould-streets will hold its annual meeting on Friday afternoon next at 4 o'clock, the public being invited to attend. The chairman of the board is Chancellor Boyd, and he with the Mayor and other prominent citizens will take part in the proceedings. This institution founded by the late Sir Daniel Wilson is doing good work in providing employment for boys and assisting them to become self-supporting.

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WINTER WILL BRING SUFFERING TO THIS CITY'S UNEMPLOYED

Methods of Immigration Partly to Blame—What Relief Officials Say.

That Toronto will be called upon to assist the poor in as large numbers as heretofore, even tho the city is enjoying an era of prosperity, is already a foregone conclusion, judging by the consensus of opinion of all the charitable organizations actively interested. The chief causes seem to be a great loss of money to the laboring classes, resulting from the prolonged strikes this summer and the flocking into the city of immigrants from all parts of the Dominion, who arrived from the Old Country during the summer. To emphasize the charity workers' fears, comes the announcement from the immigration department to the effect that in the last month nearly 500 immigrants from every part of the world have arrived at the Union Station, and are now most of them walking the streets in an effort to receive work.

Assist the Immigrants.

Perhaps the most serious problem that will tax the ingenuity of those interested will be the assisting of the immigrants. They are ill-prepared in every way to combat a cold Canadian winter. Their clothes in the main are of light fabrics, and hardly any who are now without work wear flannels or underclothing.

The rather startling statement was made yesterday by a man who is in close touch with the needy ones, that there are in Toronto at the present time 1000 strangers walking the streets looking for work. This number is likely to be increased, according to the judgment of the same gentleman. This number represents many nationalities. There are many Italian laborers and railroaders who have recently been discharged by the two railways operating at this point, but the largest number is made up of those who immigrated from the Old Country and, having gone west during the busy season, return here with the hope of securing permanent employment. The majority of these, however, are not of the type to succeed very quickly, and it is the impression of many interested in relief work that they should not have been encouraged to come to this country.

Many Sad Cases.

Already many sad cases are coming under the notice of the city relief officer, and different societies. Married men with two and three children have been tramping the streets for days looking for suitable employment. The statement is freely made by them that there are some jobs vacant, but the salaries attached would not keep one person alive. Four dollars a week is a wage generally offered by some manufacturers, it is stated.

The sudden falling off in the demand for help of the unskilled workman is the result of the many industries shutting down for the winter months or curtailing their staff owing to the falling off of business. The strikes in the building trades also deprived hundreds of employment.

St. George's Society Heard.

The St. George's Society has probably more to do with the English immigrants than any other charitable institution. It was stated there that for the last month from two to three men daily just arriving in the city in destitute circumstances applied to them for assistance. Meal tickets were being distributed daily, and information as to the best means of obtaining employment. The applicants are for the most part London cockneys, who are better known in the Old Country as "slummers." They have never worked much and do not take kindly to it now. What they will do this winter is a question that the society is unable to answer at present. They have started the Friday night distribution of food, and other assistance, and already the numbers in attendance are growing rapidly. Some dreading the hardships of a winter here out of work have gone back home on board cattle ships. Many of these have had to follow the go aboard. They borrowed the money or had it given them by the City Relief Department. But now that navigation has about stopped this avenue of escape is cut off. They have either got to work or undergo severe hardships.

The secretary of the society said: "One thing that militates very much against the class of men who are now idle is the fact that their appearance is against them. No one seems to like their looks, and their wives find it impossible to receive employment as domestics for the same reason."

Mr. Taylor, City Relief Officer, is also of the opinion that the needy will be numerous this year. The stricken he attributes as responsible for the greater part of the destitution likely to happen. Signs of this are already apparent. Immigrants are also asking assistance, declaring their inability to get work.

The Sons of England is another benevolent society that is frequently called upon for assistance. Their callers have the same difficulty in receiving work, altho it was learned there that young boys and girls could get immediate employment in factories.

Been Going It Blind.

A visit to the Salvation Army Free Labor Bureau revealed the same condition of affairs as at the other places. Numbers of men were coming in every week asking help. Capt. Archibald, who has charge of the department, stated to The World that in his opinion the promotion of immigration to this country was carried on without any apparent consideration of the results.

"The indiscriminate taking of every one has proved a serious mistake, and to my mind the present system of assisting immigration should be investigated. It has been my experience that those really deserving of charity are not the ones to persistently present themselves for aid. Those who deserve assistance most have to be sought out. They will never come near you. Some of the most pitiful cases I have ever had to deal with are the ones I have had to discover myself, and then found it most difficult to render them relief owing to their dislike of charity. We are glad to say, however, that we are assisting many to get on their feet again, and have laid out plans already for the winter campaign. In the last year we have secured positions for 1800 persons.

"As usual we will have the big Christmas spread at which we wish to feed at least 2000. Miss Eva Booth has charge of this department. Clothing will also be distributed then."

It was learned by The World that all the societies are making arrangements for extra distribution of alms during the yuletide season, in an effort to make every home happy on that day.

Associated Charities Reorganization.

Another organization that is capable of doing much to help the poor of the city is the Associated Charities. A meeting of this body will be held in the City Hall on Dec. 1 for the purpose of reorganization, the idea being to have it in connection with the city relief department. This move is the realization of Assistant City Relief Officer F. J. Walsh's scheme, which he has agitated for over five years. Professor Goldwin Smith has lately urged this idea too, and it is looked upon as much the better plan for a more systematic administration of the association's affairs, and for the general distribution of charities from the other organizations of the city. It is the idea to have the newly organized association serve as a central point of communication for existing charities, thus performing in a more regular way, and with authority the function which has been partly performed, and it is believed not without good results, by the conference of Associated Charities. This association also assists private individuals with information and advice, and perhaps with aid dispensation to relief of cases of prolonged sickness. An employment bureau will be established in connection to assist laborers and mechanics to secure work free of charge.

A NEW RICHMOND.

How Senator Morgan Characterizes Roosevelt's Panama Attitude.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The Panama Canal question was again the leading topic under consideration by the United States Senate to-day, and Senator Morgan was again the speaker of the day. He continued his review of the history of the efforts to secure an Isthmian canal, and declared that to the President's ambition to secure the credit of a unique administration must be credited the favoritism manifested by him toward the Panama route. Senator Morgan declared that if Mr. McKinley had lived the protocols with the Nicaragua and Costa Rica governments would have been observed. "But he is dead," the Senator went on, "and a new Richmond comes upon the field, and he seems not to feel the obligation of good faith when a more enticing field for the unique administration breaks upon the vision of his ambitious spirit."

WILL PRESENT A NEW SCALE.

Granite Cutters Discussing It—Bricklayers' Delegates.

The wage scale was discussed at a meeting of the Granite Cutters' Union last night at Richmond Hall. A committee was appointed to examine the present scale and draft a new one, to be laid before the members of the local sometime in December. The bosses will be notified of the nature of the new scale of prices and conditions on Jan. 1, and will have till May 1 to consider them. Their present agreement with the union expires on the latter date.

The Bricklayers' Union also met last night to elect delegates to attend the provincial bricklayers' conference, to be held in London, Dec. 1. The two delegates elected were: Thomas Izzard and William Cordigan.

A special meeting of the Wagonmakers' Union was called last night for the purpose of dealing with the referendum vote, the returns of which must be in before Dec. 8.

Livery Stock Sale To-Morrow.

The great sale of livery stock, consisting of forty-six horses, fifty-five vehicles, single and double harness, robes, and blankets, will be held at the Repository at 10 o'clock to-day (Wednesday; several first-class matched pairs of well-bred and city broken carriage horses, also single drivers and fast pacers are also included in the sale. The stock is now at the Repository, and may be inspected up to the time of sale.

Fine Horses at Auction.

The great special sale of Mr. Pat. Maher's livery stock, to be held at the Repository at 10 o'clock, to-morrow, will also include his entire table of high-class carriage horses and saddle horses, with which he has been so successful at recent horse shows. Five perfectly matched pairs of high-stepping Hackneys will be found in the lot, including the pacers, Dick Turpin 2.09 1-4) and Richard A. (2.17) and Bertha W. (2.19 1-4).

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AN OLD LADY'S QUESTION FLOORED JOHN MITCHELL

Satisfactorily Upheld Labor's Views Until Asked to Justify an Incident.

New York, Nov. 24.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, was the guest of the New York Universalist Club last night, speaking on the relation of capital to labor. Not a man at the dinner was better groomed than he, and many not as well. His evening clothes fitted him, and they were cut by a tailor who knew his business, whether union or non-union.

His speech was a calm, dispassionate argument for what is known in labor circles as the trade agreement. In it, he said, was the salvation of labor and capital. Under it both sides become more conservative, and more willing to sacrifice a part of their demands, and with each passing year the industries in which trade agreements prevail become established on a firmer and more permanent foundation of peace.

In answer to questioners he said that labor unions should not mix in politics; he did not believe in unions incorporating because then it would allow suits to be brought against every individual member, and capital did not incorporate to assume but to evade responsibility; and that he didn't believe the cost of labor should depend on the cost of commodities, or vice versa.

"Every laborer should receive a wage that should enable him to live as a man and not a thing," he said. He advocated the ruin of employers, if need be, to bring them to terms.

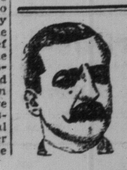
He answered gibbly and with much ability until an old lady arose and said: "I would like to tell a story and ask a question. The head of a family I know was ordered by his union to strike. He did so, and his family were reduced almost to starvation. The man didn't have the money to pay his dues in the union. Finally, he found work, but was not permitted by his union to take it because he was behind in his dues. I would like Mr. Mitchell to justify the union's action, if he can, or, at least, explain it."

"Well," said Mitchell, as he found himself up against it, as Sam Parks would say, "it would be difficult to give a fair answer to that question without knowing all the facts. If they are as you say——"

"Sir!" exclaimed the old lady, "I have stated what I know to be true."

"Then," said the boss of the miners, "I would say that the man did right when he struck at the order of his union. It was wrong of the union to prevent him from going to work. It should have remitted his dues."

The next meeting of the superannuated ministers in Toronto and district will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 2.30 p.m., in the Wesley Buildings. Rev. A. Campbell will give a paper on "The Needs of Methodism in Toronto."



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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Interest in County Model Schools is Falling Off, Says Inspector Fotheringham.

RE SUBURBAN POLICE PROTECTION

Councillors Object to Spending $147 in Safe-Guarding Residents of the Suburbs.

The York County councillors continued their November session at the old Court House yesterday, and will be in session until the end of the week. The Board of Audit presented its report, which shows that only $147 was paid for special constable service in patrolling the suburbs of Toronto. Even this amount was objected to by some of the Council, who thought it was too much to spend. Councillor Evans argued that there were very many persons roaming around the city, shooting at birds, and when there are no birds they shoot anyway. He thought life ought to be made safe in the suburbs, and considered the money well spent. The auditors are of the opinion that there is no necessity for attendance of constables on remand in civil cases, and deducted $22.50 from the account of Constable Brown, who acted in the McGregor dog case, in which there were several adjournments, this all amounted to $12.90. The Council did not sustain this action of the auditors, and said that magistrates had the right to bind a constable, and, when held, he should be paid.

D. Fotheringham, school inspector for South York, handed in his yearly report, which showed an income of $85,858, an increase of $6113 over 1898, and the number of scholars in attendance as 8305, compared with 7905 six years ago. The inspector regrets that so little attention is given to physical training in the township schools, and says that interest in county Model Schools is falling off. The young people are not becoming teachers nowadays.

Major Denison of the Governor-General's Body Guard asked for assistance to two or three stations in the county. The request was referred to the Finance Committee, which will report to-day.

S. Hilborn of Kettleby found a horse on the road, which had been stolen from Mr. Reid of Elgin Mills. The county, by-law, offers $20 for the apprehension of any horse thief and return of the property. A notice was issued in this case and posted in various parts of the county, offering the reward; but leaving out the words, "for the apprehension of the thief." Hilborn claims the reward. The Finance Committee has been asked to deal with it.

Councillors Royce and Quantz complained of the cold cars on the Metropolitan Railway, and thought the company should be notified. Councillor Evans said that the company was fitting out the coaches with Lew stoves.

The banquet to the Warden will be held at the Clyde Hotel on Friday night.

Toronto Junction.

Toronto Junction, Nov. 24.—A mass meeting of the Young People's Christian Union was held to-night in Annette-street Methodist Church. T. P. Padget occupied the chair and speeches were given by Rev. G. Powell, Woodbridge, and Rev. D. S. McCully of the Disciples' Church. Rev. Mr. Powell took for his subject "The Curse of the Anglo-Saxon," which he said was the drink habit. Rev. D. S. McCully spoke on Local Option, and urged the audience to throw themselves into the fight. The question drawer was conducted by Rev. G. C. Pidgeon and at times during the evening duets and vocal selections were given by Messrs. Hartney, Lawson, Wheiter, Pady and Gunn.

Maple Leaf Womens Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers held a very successful at-home in James Hall to-night. The hall was tastefully and appropriately decorated with flags and mottoes and the floor was in excellent condition. Nearly two hundred couples were present. Mrs. Hanson acted as accompanist and the refreshments were furnished by Mr. French.

Features of the Young Peoples entertainment in the schoolroom of St. John's Church last night were a paper on the late Lord Tennyson, by Miss Cross; a recitation, "Aunt Jemima's Courtship," by Miss Belle Frew; instrumental selections by Miss Edith Abernthy and Mr. Lloyd; a reading by Frank Owen and graphophone selections.

Thornhill.

Messrs. Cantlin and Henry, exporters, of Oshawa and Clinton, have purchased about 2000 barrels of apples in this neighborhood for British consumption.

Preparations for the annual Sunday School entertainment of the Methodist Church are well under way.

George Charlton of the 2nd Con. of Markham has rented his farm and purchased a residence at Newtonbrook.

During the rebuilding of the bridge over the Don for the Metropolitan Railway, care should be exercised in driving thru the hollow north of the village.

Under the auspices of the A. O. F., the Eckhardt family will provide a concert at Victoria Hall on Tuesday evening next.

Councillor Francis has been requested to stand for the Reeveship of Markham next year, but has decided to be satisfied for the time being with his present position.

Richmond Hill Conservatives.

At a meeting of the Richmond Hill Conservative Association, held in the Temperance Hall Saturday evening last, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: J. H. Sanderson, president; F. Sims, vice-president; Isaac Crosby, secretary; P. G. Savage, treasurer. The committee will be elected at the next meeting.

Eglinton.

The funeral of the late James Hopkings took place to York Mills Cemetery, yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. The body was removed from his late home to St. Clement's Church, where service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Powell, assisted by Rev. Mr. Ashcroft of York Mills, after which the funeral cortege re-formed and proceeded to St. John's Cemetery, where interment took place. The late Mr. Hopkings was a member of York Lodge, 156, A. F. and A. M., G. R. C., and on the arrival of the cortege the members assumed charge of the funeral ceremonies. The impressive burial service of the order was administered. Right Worshipful Bro. John Fisher was present at the service in St. Clement's, together with many others prominent in municipal affairs, who had formerly been associated with the deceased.

Davisville.

The annual social and entertainment of Davisville Methodist Sabbath School took place on Monday evening, and, in point of interest and attendance was the most successful in the history of the church. The chair was occupied by John M. Wasley, superintendent of the school, and the program of kindergarten and advanced work in musical selections, recitations and readings was exceptionally well rendered, and reflected great credit on the superintendent and officers. Mrs. J. W. Bradley rendered splendid service as accompanist, Rev. G. M. Brown, pastor of the church, was present and addressed the meeting briefly. The receipts totalled some $60, which will be applied to school work.

Employes on the Metropolitan Railway report weather conditions at Newmarket yesterday as being decidedly wintry, some four inches of snow covering the ground, with a fierce wind blowing, and sleigns in general use.

Extensive Credit Sale.

An extensive credit sale of farm stock and implements, swine, roots, etc., will be held by public auction on Wednesday, Nov. 25, on the farm of John Allen, lot 11, con. 5, Markham. Sale commences at eleven o'clock and lunch will be provided. There are also 100 acres of land that will be offered for rental. J. Prentice, auctioneer, Unionville.

Monkey Brand Soap cleans kitchen utensils, steel, iron and tinware, knives and forks, and all kinds of cutlery. 99

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If you had a story to tell, one that you knew was true, one you wanted believed, how would you tell it?

Use big adjectives, high-sounding phrases, or tell it quietly!

Perhaps we're too modest, but all the evidences go to show that this is the best store for shoes.

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We've had all along the best we knew of, but that wasn't enough. There was room for a better shoe than the trade could supply. It took time and money and patience to get things as we wanted them, but we're ready now with shoes as nearly perfect as modern ingenuity can make them.

No guesswork about these—no sham, no pretence, no skimping of any sort in quality or workmanship.

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Sold under our own trade-mark, and every pair fully guaranteed. No string to that, but a full-fledged promise to refund your money if anything goes wrong or seems wrong with reasonable wear.

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Dozens of styles for both ladies and gentlemen at the uniform price of $3.50.

Boys' 50c Stockings for 25c

Mothers, if you ever darned a boy's knees come and see these stockings for a quarter. English worsted yarn, six fold 't the knees! We defy any boy to wear through them without the aid of a grindstone or a file. One hundred and fifty dozen fortunately bought—yours to-morrow half-price

Boys' Very Heavy 2-1 Ribbed Black English Worsted Hose; with 6-fold tucked knees; perfectly seamless double sole, toe and heel; sizes 6 1-2 to 9; regular 50c; Thursday, per pair..... .25

Down Comforters Down

Underbought the Sateen Covering—that's the case in a nutshell. Lovely, soft, warm comforters, made up specially for us. No such value in town. You will be the first to say so if you've seen comforters as sold elsewhere.

89 only Extra Fine Quality Down Comforters; covered top and bottom with fine quality French printed down-proof sateen; assorted designs and colorings; size 6 x 6; also in fine quality sateen with fancy border and printed satin centre; size 5x6 only; well made and sold regular at $6.50, $7.00, $7.50 and $7.75 each; all one price Thursday 4.98

Clearing Furniture Items

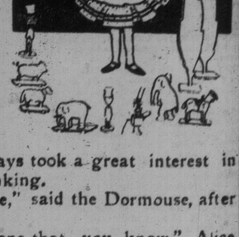
We want floor space for Christmas Furniture. Bulky things must go, for instance:

16 only Brass and Iron Bedsteads; in white enamel and fancy colors; extra heavy post pillars; new designs with fancy scroll fillings; all 4 feet 6 inches wide; regular price up to $20.00 each; Thursday 13.90

8 only Dressers and Washstands; in quarter-cut oak and birch, mahogany finish; highly polished; fitted with British bevel plate shaped mirrors; all different designs; regular price up to $35.00; on sale Thursday 23.75

7 only Parlor Suits; 3 pieces; in mahogany polished, finished frames; soft arm chair and reception chair, upholstered in fancy figured silk tapestry; regular price up to $31.50; Thursday 19.75

Simpson's Toy Wonderland



"Tell us a story," said the March Hare.

"Yes, please do," pleaded Alice.

"And be quick about it," added the Hatter, "or you'll be asleep again before it's done."

"Once upon a time there were three little sisters," said the Dormouse, beginning in a great hurry, "and their names were Elsie, Lucie and Tillie, and they lived at the bottom of a well—"

"What did they live on?" said Alice, who always took a great interest in questions of eating and drinking.

"They lived on treacle," said the Dormouse, after thinking a moment or two.

"They couldn't have done that, you know," Alice gently remarked, "they'd have been ill."

"So they were," said the Dormouse, "very ill."

"But, why did they live in the bottom of a well?"

The Dormouse took a minute or two to think about it and then said: "It was a treacle well, and so these three little sisters, they were learning to draw, you know."

"What did they draw?" said Alice.

"Treacle," said the Dormouse, "they drew treacle from the well."

"But they couldn't," objected Alice, "because they were in the well."

"Of course they were," said the Dormouse, "well in. They were learning to draw all manner of things—everything beginning with an M—such as mousetraps and the moon and memory and muchness."

"Why with an M?" said Alice.

"Why not?" said the March Hare. Alice was silent and the Dormouse fell asleep instantly.

....Venison will be served again to-morrow in the 25-cent three-course dinner.

Restaurant, fifth floor; six elevators.