

HOW THE CATTLE MARKET ACTED IN 1925													
PRICE PER HUNDRED POUNDS	WEEKLY TREND OF BEEF STEER PRICES AND RECEIPTS												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	
\$13.00													RECEIPTS 375,000
\$12.50													350,000
\$12.00													325,000
\$11.50													300,000
\$11.00													275,000
\$10.50													250,000
\$10.00													225,000
\$9.50													200,000
\$9.00													175,000
\$8.50													150,000
\$8.00													125,000

The large demand for both feeder and fat cattle, finds the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation in its cattle marketing investigations, has inspired a much greater confidence in the future of the industry. The first recovery of the beef cattle market came early in 1925 with a steadily progressing trend of prices from February to August. The average prices paid to farmers, states the Foundation, in the first ten months of the year ran 65 cents higher than the prices of last year and the highest since 1920. Chicago prices were also the highest for that period for the last five years.

Liquidation of western cattle herds was much less noticeable in 1925 than in any year since 1919, showing that the cattle industry is gradually getting back to a state of normalcy. The total number of cattle slaughtered under Federal inspection in 1925, was 5 per cent greater than in 1924. Baby beef, made from young cattle that have been pushed to a desirable market weight of around 1,000 pounds at an early age, brought the highest prices. Public demand for smaller cuts of choice beef have under the half-ton baby beef popular on the market.

Sandy Ridge Local And Personal News

Miss Coralie Peed spent Wednesday night with Miss Lettie Roberson.

Miss Ethel Ange, of Jamesville, and Miss Louise Wells spent Wednesday with Miss Earl Hall.

There were quite a number that attended the party at Miss Lettie Roberson's Wednesday night.

Miss Inez Griffin spent Wednesday night with Miss Ruby Hopewell.

Mr. Vance Bunting was the guest of Misses Inez Griffin and Ruby Hopewell Tuesday night.

Messrs. Allen Feed and Lester Briley left Monday by motor for Murfreesboro.

Mrs. T. A. Feed returned home Monday afternoon after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Thomas.

Mr. Donald Andrews spent Tuesday night with Mr. Jim Staton Godard.

Mr. J. N. Hopkins and Miss Whitehurst attended prayer meeting Sunday afternoon at Riddicks Grove.

Miss Coralie Peed visited Miss Roxie Jones Wednesday.

Messrs. Archie Gardner and Marvin Jones motored to Everetts Sunday.

Mr. Vance Bennett was the guest of Mr. Marvin and Dan Jones Wednesday.

Mr. Harold Hopkins was the guest of Miss Sue Ashby Tuesday.

Macedonia Local And Personal News

(Too late for last issue)

Mr. Sidney Beacham was the guest of Miss Carrie Jackson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Vivian Peete has spent a few days with Miss Carrie Ward this week.

Mr. George Peete called on Miss Tillie Hodges Sunday.

Miss Hazel Ward spent the week end in Washington with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coltrain were the guests of Mrs. Coltrain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beacham Sunday.

Messrs. Clyde, Hardison, George Peet, and Sidney Beacham called on Miss Carrie Ward Sunday night.

Messrs. Hoyt and Harmon Rodgers visited Mr. C. L. Hadley Sunday afternoon.

The many friends of Mr. J. M. Green are sorry to know that he is very ill.

Little Miss Marie Peet is quite ill this week.

Bear Grass Local And Personal News

Mr. Yoner Cowen, of Florida, is visiting friends and relatives in Bear Grass this week.

Messrs. Marvin Gurganus and Melvin Bailey, and Clayton Cowen called on Misses Pearl and Tessie Whitehurst Sunday night.

Messrs. Sannie and Garland Whitehurst called on Miss Mary Bailey Sunday.

Messrs. Clivert Whitaker and Berk Harris called on Miss Mintie Bailey Sunday night.

Mr. Norman Bailey has returned home after spending a few days with his grandparents.

Miss Mintie Bailey spent last week in Bethel with friends and relatives.

Rogers-Lee

Mr. Theodore Rogers and Miss Ida Lee were married Saturday at the home of Mr. Thad Roberson. Mrs. Rogers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Lee. Mr. Rogers is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers.

LOST: THROUGH AN ERROR

placed a bundle of heavy-weight bed ticking in the wrong car Saturday night in front of Harrison Bros. store in Williamston. Finder please return to Claud Mendenhall and receive reward. f9 2t



Exercising Your Talent

is not necessary to realize that putting it off is a bad habit when it is a question of buying coal. The first thing you know you are all out and there is coolness of many kinds in the house. Better have too much than not enough. Coal will keep without spoiling. Suppose we send you a ton or so to keep your supply up to comfortable proportions.

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SAVAGE EVOLUTION. ELECTRICITY'S BABYHOOD. POOR OLD BEELZEBUB. A BOOMING NATION.

Some African savages believe that gorillas and chimpanzees can talk, but hide their knowledge, lest they be put to work.

Other savages have an evolution theory of their own. The Batagni, Congo natives, tell the Rev. H. C. Graham that monkeys are descended from men that have been disgraced.

"We are better and prouder than the apes," say these practical black men, "therefore we eat them."

Samuel Insull tells the world that electricity is only beginning its work. We are a little way, but not far, from the savage that fell down and worshipped an unknown malignant devil when the lightning flashed.

Railroads will soon change from steam to electric power, and that will call for twenty-four billion more hours of kilowatt energy, says Mr. Insull. Farms will be "wired" for electric light and power.

Most encouraging is the prediction of Elmer Schlesinger, Louis Levy's intellectual and dashing young law partner. Elmer Schlesinger says electricity, in this century, will do for the world's troubles and debts what steam did for the world in the last century, after Waterloo. Europe and the nations were called "hopelessly" bankrupt. In proportion, their debts were greater than they are today. Steam came and debts were paid with the greatest ease.

WANTS

AGENT WANTED IN MARTIN
County territory. Sworn proof of \$75.00 a week. \$1.50 an hour for spare time. Introducing finest guaranteed hosiery, 126 styles and colors. Low prices. Auto furnished. No capital or experience necessary. Wilkint Hosiery Co., Dept. A-36, Greenfield, Ohio. f9 4t

FOR SALE: \$500 CASH BUYS Garden Terrace filling station, two-story home and farm and store. Forced to sell cheap close McGowan estate. Easy terms balance. Julius S. Peel. f9 2t

FOR SALE: THREE MILK COWS with young calves. Also field peas for sale. B. F. Peel. f9

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NOTICE OF LAND SALE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Ned Eborn and wife, Winnie, dated March 14, 1919, and recorded in book J-1, page 599, of the Martin County registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, and demand for foreclosure according to the terms of said instrument, having been made on the undersigned by the holder of the notes secured, the undersigned trustee will, on the 5th day of March, 1926, between the hours of 12 m., and 2 o'clock p. m., offer for sale in front of the courthouse door in Williamston, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Martin County and the State of North Carolina and described as follows:

Beginning at Luke Burnett's corner in the Winston or Williams line, then along Luke Burnett's line to the Pugh line, thence along the Pugh line to Virge Lynch line, thence along said Lynch line to the Winston or Williams line, thence along that line to the beginning, containing 28 acres, more or less, and known as lot number 2 of the Tom Roberson tract and being that tract of land conveyed to Ned Eborn by deed from Calvin Eborn and others, and duly recorded in the Martin County public registry

in book G-1, page 396.
This February 4, 1926.
A. L. BURNETT,
Trustee.
By G. M. Fountain, attorney.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by a certain deed of trust executed by J. W. Crisp and wife, Ida Crisp, dated December 19, 1919, and recorded in book J-1, page 378, of the Martin County registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured, and demand for foreclosure having been made upon the undersigned by the holder of the notes secured, I will on the 5th day of March, 1926, between the hours of 12 m., and 2 o'clock p. m., offer for sale in front of the courthouse door in Williamston, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, that certain tract of land lying and being in Martin County and more particularly described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a cypress in Conoho Creek, Mosell Lilly Line, thence along a line of marked trees to a ditch, thence along said ditch to Laura Ethridge line, thence along said line to the run of said creek, thence along the run of said creek to the beginning, containing 150 acres (150) be the same more or less. This being the same lands this day deeded to J. W. Crisp by H. J. Haislip, Nannie J. Haislip, and W. F. Haislip, and known as the Mainza Johnson place.

This the third day of February, 1926.
F. L. HAISLIP,
Trustee.
By George M. Fountain, attorney.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by W. C. Chance, bearing date of October 31, 1917, registered in book O-1, page 161, in the office of the register of deeds of Martin County, North Carolina, I shall, on Monday, March 8, 1926, at 12 o'clock m., at the courthouse door in Williamston, Martin County, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction the lands described in said deed of trust as follows:

A certain tract of land lying and being in Martin County aforesaid, and more particularly described as follows:

Situate in the town of Parmele, adjoining the lands of W. L. Staton and others, and beginning at H. A. Gray's corner in center of public road leading from Parmele to Bethel, N. C., by way of A. C. L. Railroad coal chute and in Parmele Training School property line; running thence a southerly course with said training school lands line to a corner of said training school property and H. A. Gray's corner; thence westerly with said training school property and H. A. Gray's line to H. A. Gray's corner and H. F. Highsmith's corner; thence southerly

with said Highsmith's line and H. A. Gray's line to W. L. Staton's line and corner; thence easterly and southerly along said Staton's line, its various courses to center of A. C. L. Railroad Company's track; thence easterly and northerly with said track and A. C. L. Railroad Company's line back to said public road, and the center thereof; thence northwesterly with center of said public road to the beginning. Containing 46 acres, more or less, and being the same lands this day conveyed to W. C. Chance by deed from H. A. Gray and wife, Butie Gray.

This description shall be construed to include the church lot for white people on north side of railroad.

Terms of sale: The highest bidder will be required to make a deposit at the time and place of sale of 10 per cent of the amount of his bid, the remainder to be paid on execution and delivery of deed.

This February 5, 1926.
JOHN E. POPE,
Trustee.
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of late of Martin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, N. C., or to D. M. Clark, his attorney, at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 12th day of January, 1927, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 12th day of January, 1926.
E. M. MCGOWAN,
Administrator of J. B. McGowan, deceased, the estate of J. B. McGowan, deceased.
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October, 1900.
This February 4, 1926.
H. S. JOHNSON,
Trustee.
By G. M. Fountain, attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust executed by Ned Eborn and wife, Winnie, dated February 2, 1914, and recorded in book F-1, page 62, of the Martin County registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured and demand for foreclosure having been made on the undersigned by the holder of the notes therein secured the undersigned trustee will, on the 5th day of March, 1926, between the hours of 12 m., and 2 o'clock p. m., offer for sale in front of the courthouse door in Williamston, N. C., to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest (the said interest being a 1-8 undivided interest, in and to that tract of land lying and being situated in the County of Martin, State of North Carolina, and more fully described as follows:

That tract of land bounded by the lands of the late Lafayette Moore and C. V. Andrews, and lying on both sides of the public road leading from Palmyra to Hamilton, and being about five miles north of Hamilton, the whole tract estimated to contain 224 acres, more or less, and being the same land which the said Ned Eborn purchased from Thomas F. Roberson and wife, A. G., on the 29th day of

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