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Receipts		Payments	
From By-products	\$24.09	9%	
	26%		
From Meat	\$68.97		
	74%		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$93.06</b>		
		Paid for Live Cattle	\$84.48
			91%
		<b>Total</b>	<b>\$93.06</b>

\* This net profit of \$1.29 per head averages 1/8 cent a pound live weight.

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### HOPKINTON.

Charles Blanchard and little daughter of Edgewood spent Friday in town. Mrs. David Smith was an Anamosa visitor Friday.

W. L. Campbell and Joe Miller made a business trip to Manchester Thursday.

Mrs. R. A. Wallace was in Monticello Monday.

Rev. W. H. Ensign went to Marion Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. A. Vaughn.

Mrs. E. R. Place of Kansas City was an over Sunday visitor with her husband, who has been here with his mother for some time.

Mrs. Lake was up from Anamosa Friday.

Miss Ursula Millen of Michigan City, Indiana, arrived Monday and is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. J. Kirkwood.

D. C. Oehler and F. A. Irish went to Dyersville Tuesday with the auto hearse, Mr. Oehler having charge of a funeral there.

Lester Gearhart and U. M. Wallace have a job of cement work on S. P. Thorpe's farm near Oneida.

Miss Lela Morrow was a Monticello visitor Friday.

Mrs. A. J. King and Mrs. F. A. Irish attended the funeral of an old friend at Greeley last week.

F. E. Williamson, F. C. Reeve, F. R. Tesar and L. J. Ortman were in Monticello Tuesday to attend the bankers' convention. A large number were present.

C. I. Wilson has accepted an offer from the Central Lumber company of Dubuque to become manager of the company's yard at Dundee and expects to move to that place soon. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will have a large number of friends here who will be sorry to see them leave. He has been employed in the business here and is also a member of the council.

Mrs. Mary Locke, 86 years of age, of Allensburg, Wash., has knit 35 pair of socks for the soldiers and seven pairs of wristlets. Mrs. Locke is the mother of Mrs. Thing of Hopkinton.

Bert Smith and brother have been doing some decorating at Sand Spring.

D. C. Oehler was in Iowa City recently to accompany his father home, who had been in the hospital there for an operation for throat trouble.

A recital was given Friday evening in the gymnasium by the department of music and expression of Lenox college. The program was as follows: Boat Song, college glee club; Reading, "I Have a Little Shadow and Bumblebee," Jack Barker; Tarentelle, Mary Carter; Reading, "Rebecca Mary," Lucile Lux; "A Rose Fable," Jennie Deshaw; "Cutting from the Twelfth Night," Margaret Wallace; Minute Waltz, Irene Higgs; Air on G string, Mrs. Harry Priver; Reading, "Hixie of the Neighborhood," Velma Bright; Piano duet, "Valse Caprice," Misses Higgs and Clark; Reading, "The Man Without a Country," Helen Wallace; "Night of Joy," Glee club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Morton have returned from a two weeks' visit with their son, Milan and wife, at Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. MacAllister and Mrs. J. T. Wilson went to Anamosa Saturday and Paul Wilson, who has been in the hospital several weeks, returned with them.

The baccalaureate sermon before the high school class will be delivered next Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church by Rev. W. H. Ensign.

The high school girls went for a picnic to Flannigan rocks. Mr. Belknap took them in his automobile with a trailer and the trip was greatly enjoyed. The Misses Helsey and Lorn, teachers in the high school, accompanied them.

Harry Glanz has purchased a Shetland pony for his children. He brought it home in his automobile.

William Myers, Jr., is employed in the Duckett drug store for the summer.

Parent's Day was observed in the churches on Sabbath. Appropriate services and beautiful flowers were the order of the morning.

The Methodist congregation held their services in the gymnasium Sunday morning and evening on account of refurnishing the interior of their church.

W. S. Beals, W. A. Milroy, C. K. Chapel and Earl Bruntzman went to Manchester Friday evening to attend a meeting being held there.

We are glad that the Chautauqua is to be again held here and an unusually good attractions will be presented. Hon. Frank B. Willis, former governor of Ohio, Gypsy Smith, who should draw a large audience, Dr. Hilton Ira Jones, also a lecture by a man from the trenches. Other attractions are the New Zealanders, Schilfdir Orchestra, Ralph Dumar's famous Royal Dragons; The Iris Tea and a play, "The Melting Pot." It is truly a very attractive list of entertainment, and to take them all in one would have to travel many more miles and pay a much larger amount of money than they would if they attend the Chautauqua.

Ralph Milroy of Manchester was in town over Sunday.

### GREELEY.

Henry Pilgrim and daughters of Manchester visited Mrs. Sarah Pilgrim Sunday.

Lester Pilgrim and family spent Sunday with his parents at Manchester.

Earl Holthaus goes to Iowa City the last of this week to participate in the field meet at the State University. He will participate in the shot put and discuss throw with some of the best high school athletes in the state.

On Sunday, Mrs. L. A. Schneider and her two grandchildren, Beulah Brandt and Donald Luense celebrated their birthdays. A birthday cake was the main feature of the luncheon and on it were placed candles representing each year of the children's lives and in the center was a candle for the grandmother.

Mrs. J. M. Lillibridge was in Strawberry Point one day last week.

H. J. Now of Manchester was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Crittenden and little son of Clarence, were week end visitors at the V. E. Dow home.

Frank Barger and wife of Marion were Sunday visitors with his parents

### here.

Cyrus Williams had an operation for appendicitis at Lincoln, Nebraska, recently.

Chas. Hilsenbeck of Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, was here to attend the funeral of his mother.

Thomas and Will Ingles are remodeling a house in Martelle for J. E. Tracey.

Chas. Parker and family of Winthrop, visited Sunday at the Arthur Parker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Toll of Littleport and Mesdames Fred Toll, junior and Senior, of Edgewood, spent Sunday at the Chas. Thomas home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krueger attended a wedding anniversary of the latter's parents last week.

Paul Hatfield has been in the trenches.

Gus Griffith is the owner of a new Buick.

Miss Dorothy Dimmitt was home over Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Lang and little daughter are here called by the illness of her mother.

Harry Ryan and family of Brandon were visitors at the home of Mrs. Ryan's mother on Saturday and Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Williams, at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilson, at Afton, on Monday, May 6, a son.

The cemetery meeting will be held at the V. E. Dow home Thursday evening to make arrangements for decoration. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

A number from this neighborhood attended a birthday surprise on Chaucey Davie near Earlville last week.

### DELAWARE.

Miss Grace Fulton underwent an operation at Finley hospital Tuesday for appendicitis.

Geo. Edmunds of Strawberry Point, Miss Alice Battin, Lacke Battin and Olaf Persson and family of Dundee spent Sunday at the Pete Persson home.

Cal Stimson of Manchester visited relatives in town Wednesday.

Miss Faber of Chicago was in town Tuesday enroute to Cascade.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hilmer were recent visitors in Waterloo.

Oscar Benson of Washington, D. C., was in town a few hours recently visiting his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zarr are the proud parents of a little daughter, born Saturday, May 4.

Mr. and Mrs. August Sundemeyer and children of Durango were recent visitors at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hillers. Miss Freda Hiller returned home with them for a few days' visit.

A. E. Larson and family drove to Cascade Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Larson's sister, Mrs. Geo. Jones and family.

Mrs. Wilfong went to Hopkinton Tuesday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Guthormson of Dubuque came Tuesday. The latter will remain for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. L. G. Kaster spent Monday with friends in Earlville.

Robert Hackbarth and family, Mrs. Lew Hartwig of Earlville, Leroy Hartwig of Dubuque, Mrs. Herman Dirks and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Kuntlie, Geo. and Leon Maack of Waterloo, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Maack. Leon was one of the boys that left Waterloo for Camp Dodge Wednesday, May 10.

Mrs. Lew Goranson passed away on Tuesday evening at 8:30, after an illness of several weeks duration. She leaves to mourn her departure a husband, one son, Frank, and three daughters, Hattie, Blanch and Alice.

Mrs. W. Banda and son Harold of Council Hill, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mortinson.

The Geo. Grapes family is remodeling their home.

Mrs. Olaf Manson of Manchester entertained the Ladies' Aid society of this place Thursday. Several from here attended.

Swedish League met with Miss Betie Nelson Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Woellert of Monticello are here visiting relatives. Mr. Woellert had the misfortune to get one of his hands hurt severely.

Vina Kaster spent Sunday with home folks.

Agnes Lundin of Ryan and Esther Matson of Cedar Rapids were home over Sunday.

### TRY THIS FOR SORE STOMACH.

Eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly. Eat but little meat and none fried with sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's tablets before going to bed. For sale by A. C. Philipp.

### RYAN.

The many friends of Richard Barry will be grieved to learn will be sorry to learn that he is seriously ill at the home of his parents near Masonville.

P. J. McEnany and W. J. McEnany were in Cedar Rapids recently.

Will Gavin attended the wedding of his brother, who was united in marriage on last Tuesday to Miss Irene Sullivan of Manchester.

Mr. Phalen, who left here during the early spring and who resided at Littleport, died during the week. Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foley and family and Mrs. Catherine Foley visited with Dorence at Prairie du Chien on Sunday.

Father Malloy was in Manchester Thursday evening and spoke at the thirteen hour devotion held at the Catholic church.

Frank Keltz was in Waterloo last Sunday to meet his sister who is here visiting him at the P. F. McElliot home.

Arthur Lyness was in Manchester Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Turner and Miss Pearl Turner were shopping in Manchester one day during the week.

Mrs. W. H. Ward was in Cedar Rapids Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Turner was a visitor with relatives in Cedar Rapids over Sunday.

Father Drummy returned to Rantoul after a pleasant visit with his parents here last week.

Miss Marie Worley was a visitor in Manchester last week at the Roff home.

Mrs. Martha Gilchrist died Wednesday and was buried from the M. E. church. The remains were brought to the family lot in the cemetery near Central City.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Aniel Kherli Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Drummy were at Hopkinton Thursday called there by the serious illness of Mrs. Drummy's brother, Donnie Kehoe.

N. Weiler was a Chicago visitor last week.

W. H. Ward was in Manchester on Monday.

R. M. Merriam received word last Thursday of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. George Wilson, of Colfax. He went there on the evening train.

Mrs. Joslin and daughter, Mrs. Milroy, were here Wednesday visiting at her brother's home, O. M. Wright.

### FOR A SPRAINED ANKLE.

As soon as possible after the injury is received get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and follow the plain printed directions which accompany the bottle. For sale by A. C. Philipp.

### EARLVILLE.

The Epworth League rendered an anniversary day program in the Methodist church Sunday evening, May 12. The entire service was in the hands of the League chapter. A large number were in attendance.

Mrs. C. W. Buell of Detroit, Michigan, has arrived for a visit at the home of her daughter and other relatives.

The fire company was called to the George Gibbs residence last Friday afternoon. Sparks from a defective chimney caught the roof on fire, but the timely arrival of the fire ladders soon had the flames under control without much damage to the property.

Garth Dunn, who has been employed in a civil service position in the war depot at Omaha, is here for a visit at the home of his parents and friends. George resigned his position in Omaha and will enlist in some branch of the army service.

Dr. H. A. Tobie and wife were recent visitors with Coloburg relatives.

The board of education has elected the faculty for the Earlville consolidated schools for the coming year. Two vacancies remain in the faculty as yet for next year, a teacher in the seventh grade and an instructor for manual training. It is difficult to secure applicants for the latter position, possibly because the national army draft has taken so many instructors. The members of the faculty consist of Prof. Guy D. Ribble, superintendent; Miss Harriet Wroten, principal; Miss Ivy Hunt, Latin; Yvonne Koehnle, domestic science; Vera Fechter; Clara A. Klaus, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Allee Sperring, fourth grade; Miss Mabel Mathews, third grade; Miss Mattie Murley, primary; The second grade will be divided into two sections, to be taught by the Misses Murley and Sperring.

Mrs. William Scheel went to Waterloo Thursday to witness the departure of her son, Albert, for Jefferson Barracks Friday, and remained for a short visit with friends.

Sunday, May 12, was "Mother's Day" and appropriate services were held both in the Congregational and Methodist churches.

Miss Dora Bonnell of Waterloo spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dunn.

The Missionary society of the Congregational church were delightfully entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Davey, south of town, on Tuesday. About forty were present and after a picnic dinner a fine missionary program was rendered.

The box social held in the opera house Wednesday evening was not as largely attended as expected on account of the weather. The two boys who left for Jefferson Barracks last Friday, the occasion was taken to present them with their sweaters and comfort kits at this social. About \$30 was realized with which to purchase yarn for sweaters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hammond left Monday for Stirum, North Dakota, where Mr. Hammond will build a set of buildings on John Robinson's farm.

W. I. Millen was an over Sunday visitor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harold Chapman and family at Cedar Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Will S. Beals and Will Reeve of Hopkinton and Frank D. Joseph of Des Moines were visitors in Earlville Sunday and attended the patriotic meeting at the high school auditorium in the afternoon.

Mrs. Henry Wesche and daughter, Ora, have relatives in the western part of the state.

Mrs. L. Goranson died at her home near Oneida Tuesday evening. The funeral was held from the home Friday afternoon.

Albert Scheel of Waterloo, who has been a brakeman on the I. C. on this division, was a visitor with his parents and friends during the week. He and Louis Martin left for Jefferson Barracks Friday to join the national army.

Mrs. C. G. Drake is spending a few days with Dubuque friends.

"German Atrocities" from actual photographs, with a lecture by Rev. W. J. Suckow of Manchester, will be held in the high school auditorium Wednesday evening, May 15. A large crowd no doubt will be present and will see the true state of affairs existing in France and Belgium.

Many Interpretations Possible. "Too much silence," says Booth Tarkington, "is open to suspicion. It may be reticence, or it may be a vacuum. It may be dignity, or it may be false teeth."

The Hardest Palm. The hardest palm at all common is California's Trachycarpus excelsus, known as the windmill palm. Not alone is it hardy in withstanding low temperatures, but it is tough and will endure rough treatment, but boxed it is not a success.

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