

Both Ends price for meat
The farmer wants to get a high price for cattle.
The packer stands between these conflicting demands, and finds it im-
possible to completely satisfy both. The packer has no control over the prices of live stock or meat, and the
most that can be expected of him is that he keep the difference between the two as low as possible. He does this successfully by converting animals into meat and distributing the meat at a minimum of expense, and at a profit too small to be noticeable in the
farmer's returns for live stock or in the farmer's returns for live st
meat bill of the consumer.
Swift \& Company's 1917 transactions in Cattle were as follows

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\text { Sold By-products for }
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\$ 8.97 \\
24.09
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\end{array} \\
& \text { Total Receipts } \\
& \begin{array}{r}
84.09 \\
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& \text { Paid to Cattle Raiser } \\
& \begin{array}{r}
93.45 \\
8.61
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\text { Paid for labor and expenses at } \\
\text { Packing House, Freight on Meat, }
\end{array} \\
& \text { and Cost of operating Branch } \\
& \text { distributing houses } \\
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Returns on investment - . The net profit was $\$ 1.29$ per head, or
about one-fourth of a cent per pound about on
By what other method can the difference between cattle prices and beef prices be made smaller, and how can
the conflicting demands of producer the conficting demands of produc
and consumer be better satisfied?

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| want to ride?" <br> Almost before she knew it Sally was seated beside her, spinning swiftly over the road that she had walked. They chatted amiably, of the weather, outdoor sports, the pleasures |  |
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| slmpliflty of the other's manner. She was utterly charming, with the sort of frank, sincere manner that remind course the girl belonged to his kind of people. No wonder he should love a kirl like that! The wonder was that he had ever seen anything attractive about Sally, in her plain Ittle suit with her shy, unsophlsticated manner. At least so Sally thought. <br> Suddenty the btg car slowed down at a curb. <br> er. "Hes $m y$ brother," sald its owner. "He's waving me to stop. No, on down as far ns the square; there's plenty of room." <br> Sally sat still with her heart beatIng swiftly. He was coming through the crowd, his tall khaki figure con- spicuous among all the others. He came straight toward them and got In-bestde Sally. <br> "Why, Sally Graham:" he exclaimed. "Tve been looking for you all the nfternoen! I didn't know you knew ny slster. Tve been telling her all about you, but-" <br> "And I didn't know this was Sally Graham," the sister broke in smiling. |  |
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this way. Im sure it couldn't have
happened more pleasantly. John has
told me so much about you-".
"I wonder." brobe
"I wonder," broke in John Strong.
"whether you would drive us around
to the house Edith? That is it Sally
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wouldn't mind coming. I want mothe
to meett sally. because-because-"
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husky, but she smiled as she an-
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next to pure reading mat-
thls placed next to pure reading mat-
ter.
Modern Magnzine Elitor-Oh, but
we dont print that kind of stories
any more.-Judge.
In Bad Everywhere.
"Nobody has a good word for the
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