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**LAKE COUNTY RANKS
 HIGH IN LIVESTOCK**

**State Statistics Show It Is
 Among the Leaders in
 Illinois**
 Lake County occupies a prominent
 position in Illinois in livestock, ac-
 cording to federal livestock statistics
 made public at Springfield. The farm-
 ers of Lake County own \$3,335,300
 worth of horses, mules, milk cows,
 other cattle, sheep and hogs. This
 is regarded as very good compared
 to the records of a majority of
 other counties. McLean County leads
 the state in livestock, its total being
 \$6,076,700.

The value of livestock on the farms
 of various representative counties at
 the state follow:
 Winnebago County—\$3,447,800.
 Kane County—\$4,661,900.
 LaSalle County—\$5,787,200.
 McHenry County—\$5,863,000.
 Christian County—\$3,342,400.
 Madison County—\$3,010,700.
 Montgomery County—\$2,965,500.
 Peoria County—\$3,522,400.
 Champaign County—\$4,575,600.
 Coles County—\$2,284,600.
 Edgar County—\$2,647,000.
 Marion County—\$1,893,700.

The state has a total of 1,545,000
 beef cattle, the federal report shows.
 Lake County stands very high also
 in the beef producing county, accord-
 ing to statistics of the United States
 department of agriculture. This coun-
 ty has 7,360 head of beef cattle. Hen-
 ry County is the big beef producing
 county of Illinois, having 57,350 head
 of beef cattle on its farms.
 The value ranges from \$36 per head
 in the western counties to \$25 per
 head in southern section. At an av-
 erage of \$33 per head, the Illinois
 beef herd is worth \$50,985,000.

The number of head of beef cattle
 in representative counties throughout
 the state follows: Winnebago 19,450;
 Kane 18,610; Lake 7,360; LaSalle
 33,740; McHenry 11,850; Christian
 20,090; Madison 7,330; Montgomery
 15,720; Peoria 20,260; Champaign 19,
 870; Coles 11,000; Edgar 16,290; Mar-
 ion 7,000; Jackson 6,730; St. Clair
 6,830; Williamson 5,480; Saline 5,600.

**NOTICE OF AWARDED
 CONTRACT**
 Notice is hereby given to all per-
 sons interested, that bids for the fur-
 nishing of all labor, tools and materi-
 als necessary for the construction of a
 water main in Ravinia Court, were
 opened on the 4th day of April, A.
 D. 1924, and the T. H. Iglehart Com-
 pany, being the lowest responsible
 bidder, the contract was awarded to
 the said T. H. Iglehart Company on
 the 18th day of April, A. D. 1924.
 Said bid for the work is as fol-
 lows:

All of the follow water pipe
 and fittings shall be asphaltic
 coated, hub and spigot cast
 iron; the six (6) inch pipe
 shall weigh thirty-three and
 three-tenths (33.3) pounds
 per lineal foot, the joints
 shall be of lead and oakum,
 all pipe and fittings shall
 have a covering of at least
 five (5) cast six (6) inches,
 and shall be laid in open
 trenches. The following
 prices shall include all trench-
 ing, backfilling, flush-
 ing, testing, restora-
 tion of pavement
 and other improvements
 where damaged, and removal
 of all surplus excavated ma-
 terials.

920 lineal feet of six (6) inch
 cast iron water pipe, laid
 complete at Two Dollars
 (\$2.00) per lineal foot \$1840.00
 1 six (6) inch cast iron body,
 bronze mounted water gate
 valve, Ludlow type, or its
 equal, set in place, complete
 at Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) \$30.00

1 brick masonry valve vault,
 four (4) feet internal di-
 ameter, walls eight (8)
 inches thick, bottom six (6)
 inches thick, inside bottom
 six (6) inches below bottom
 of water pipe, brick laid with
 full joints of mortar com-
 posed by volume of one (1)
 part Portland cement, two
 parts sand, mixed with suffi-
 cient water, height of brick
 work over all six (6) feet,
 said vault furnished with an
 asphaltic coated manhole cov-
 er and lid weighing four
 hundred eighty (480) pounds,
 including all excavation, back-
 filling, flushing, and remov-
 al of all surplus excavated
 materials, constructed com-
 plete at Eighty Dollars
 (\$80.00) \$80.00

1 eight (8) inch by six (6)
 inch cast iron water pipe
 cutting-in tee, in place com-
 plete at Twenty-five Dollars
 (\$25.00) \$25.00
 2 six (6) inch by six (6) inch
 cast iron water pipe tees
 weighing two hundred
 (200) pounds each, set in
 place complete at Fifteen
 Dollars (\$15.00) each \$30.00

1 six (6) inch cast iron water
 plug set in place complete at
 One Dollar (\$1.00) \$1.00
 2 cast iron body, bronze mounted
 fire hydrants, Ludlow type
 of its equal, for six (6) inch
 connection to main, each hy-
 drant with six (6) inch cast
 iron body, bronze mounted
 auxiliary valve with cast iron
 valve box and lid, for
 a depth of trench of six (6)
 feet, with six (6) inch valve
 opening and two (2) two and
 one-half (2 1/2) inch standard
 hose connections with one-
 quarter (1/4) cubic yard
 crushed stone placed
 around hydrant drip,
 including all trench-
 ing, backfilling, testing
 and removal of all surplus
 excavated materials, set in

place complete at One hun-
 dred forty Dollars (\$140.00)
 each \$280.00
 10 cubic yards of bank sand for
 filling under Sheridan Road
 pavement, in place and flush-
 ed, including removal of all
 surplus excavated materials,
 at Four Dollars (\$4.00) per
 cubic yard \$40.00
 1 connection to present water
 main, complete at Thirty-
 five Dollars (\$35.00) \$35.00

AMOUNT OF BID \$2361.00
 The owners of a majority of the
 frontage of the lots and land upon
 said streets, wherein said work is to
 be done, may, within ten days of the
 date hereof, elect to take said work
 and enter into a written contract to
 do said work at ten per centum less
 than the price at which the same has
 been awarded.

**SAMUEL M. HASTINGS,
 FRANK L. CHENEY,
 JOSEPH B. CARD,
 LYLE GOURLEY,**
 Board of Local Improvements of the
 City of Highland Park, Illinois.
 Dated at Highland Park, Illinois,
 this 24th day of April, A. D. 1924.
 (8)

**NOTICE OF AWARDED
 CONTRACT**

Notice is hereby given to all persons
 interested, that bids for the furnish-
 ing of all labor, tools and materials
 necessary for the construction of a
 sanitary sewer extension in Ravinia
 Court, were opened on the 4th day of
 April, A. D. 1924, and the T. H.
 Iglehart Company, being the lowest
 responsible bidder, the contract was
 awarded to the said T. H. Iglehart
 Company on the 18th day of April,
 A. D. 1924.
 Said bid for the work is as fol-
 lows:

625 lineal feet of eight (8) inch
 internal diameter vitrified
 salt-glazed, hub and spigot
 tile pipe sewers, with joints
 constructed of oakum and
 Portland cement mortar
 composed by volume of one
 (1) part Portland cement
 and two (2) parts sand, mixed
 with sufficient water, in-
 cluding trenching, sheeting
 pipe laying, backfilling, and
 removal of all surplus ex-
 cavated material, laid at an
 average depth of nine and
 five-tenths (9.5) feet, com-
 plete at One Dollar Seventy
 Cents (\$1.70) per lineal foot
 \$1062.50

4 manholes of Portland cement
 concrete composed by volume
 of one (1) part Portland ce-
 ment, two (2) parts sand, and
 four (4) parts gravel or
 crushed stone, mixed with
 sufficient water, walls and
 bottom nine (9) inches
 thick, inside diameter three
 (3) feet six (6) inches,
 from nine (9) to sixteen (16)
 feet in depth, average depth
 nine and five-tenths (9.5)
 feet, with three-quarter
 (3/4) inch round
 wrought iron ladder
 rounds, spaced sixteen
 (16) inches apart from bot-
 tom to top of manhole, with
 four hundred eighty (480)
 pound asphaltic coated cast
 iron manhole covers and lids,
 average thickness of metal
 one and one-quarter (1 1/4)
 inches, diameter of lid two
 (2) feet, including all excava-
 tion, backfilling and remov-
 al of surplus excavated materi-
 als, constructed complete at
 One Hundred Dollars
 (\$100.00) each \$400.00

10 lineal feet of six (6) inch
 inside diameter vitrified salt-
 glazed, hub and spigot tile
 pipe drop connections (not
 including fittings), increased in
 Portland cement concrete
 six (6) inches thick, com-
 posed by volume of one (1)
 part Portland cement, two
 (2) parts sand and four (4)
 parts gravel or crushed stone,
 mixed with sufficient water,
 from six (6) inches sewer to
 bottom of the man sewer to
 bottom of each of said drop
 connections made integral
 with the wall of the manhole,
 two (2) of said drop con-
 nections in all, one (1) with
 a drop of two (2) feet and
 one (1) with a drop of eight
 (8) feet, including excava-
 tion, backfilling and remov-
 al of all surplus excavated
 materials, constructed com-
 plete at One Dollar twenty-
 five Cents (\$1.25) per lineal
 foot \$12.50

2 six (6) inch ninety degree, vit-
 rified, salt-glazed hub and
 spigot tile pipe elbows in
 place as part of the above
 drop connections, at One Dol-
 lar (\$1.00) each \$2.00

2 eight (8) inch by six (6)
 inch vitrified, salt-glazed,
 hub and spigot tile pipe tees
 in place as part of the above
 drop connections, at One
 Dollar (\$1.00) each \$2.00

21 eight (8) inch by six (6)
 inch vitrified, salt-glazed hub
 and spigot tile pipe connections,
 free ends to be closed with vitri-
 fied tile discs sealed in place
 with Portland cement mortar,
 set in place at One Dollar
 (\$1.00) each \$21.00

1 connection to the sanitary sewer
 otherwise provided to be
 constructed, consisting of re-
 moving sufficient of said sani-
 tary sewer so that the drop
 manhole provided to be con-
 structed shall connect to the
 said sanitary sewer, at Twen-
 ty Dollars (\$20.00) \$20.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID \$1520.00
 The owners of a majority of the
 frontage of the lots and land upon
 said streets, wherein said work is to
 be done, may, within ten days of the
 date hereof, elect to take said work
 and enter into a written contract to
 do said work at ten per centum less
 than the price at which the same has
 been awarded.

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**Lehigh Valley Anthracite Coal
 Chicago Solvay Coke**

With regard to the coal situation this coming season, especially the anthracite situ-
 ation, would like to call your attention to the desirability of consumers laying in their
 supply, or a portion of it, early in the season, thereby insuring themselves against their
 inability to get anthracite for various reasons that might come up such as prevented the
 consumer from getting as much as he required the last few years.

The price of anthracite during the month of April has been reduced 75 cents per ton,
 bringing the price down to \$16.90. I am assured by the anthracite men that this will
 be the lowest price for the coming season. If you put in your anthracite coal during April
 you are buying it six months before you need it and saving at least 75 cents per ton, 6%
 interest on \$16.90 for six months is 51 cents, hence, investing some of your money at this
 time in your next winter's supply of coal you are making a good rate of interest besides
 assuring yourself of your coal supply regardless of what happens later.

Prices on coal for the month of April follow:

ANTHRACITE

Large Egg	\$16.90 per ton
Small Egg	16.90 per ton
Stove or Range	16.90 per ton
Chestnut	16.90 per ton
Pea	13.65 per ton
Buckwheat	12.65 per ton

CHICAGO SOLVAY COKE

Egg	\$13.40 per ton
Nut	13.40 per ton
Pea	10.40 per ton

BITUMINOUS

Illinois prepared	\$ 8.90 per ton
Illinois mine run	7.65 per ton
Pocahontas prepared	11.90 per ton
Pocahontas mine run	8.65 per ton
Cannel	15.00 per ton

I would be pleased to book your order at these prices during this month and can
 guarantee a good quality coal, well prepared.

FRANK SILJESTROM
 Phone 65

NOTICE

OWING to ill health, I am obliged
 to retire from the grocery busi-
 ness, so on Wednesday evening,
 April 30th, will close the store for
 a few days.

On Monday, May 5th, I will start
 to dispose of my entire stock of
 fancy groceries for cash at greatly
 reduced prices.

This will be a chance to get
 No. 1 merchandise at cost.

Respectfully,
GEORGE F. BOCK
 514 Central Avenue