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Flour 11 cents. Best Rice 12½ cents. Dry Goods
Ready made men's apparel &c of every kind very cheap—
the price of cattle in the settlement the emigrant will
find to vary some parties wanting so much profit more
than others the author would advise the reader that if he
would wait a little & look around him make enquiry he
will be able to purchase cattle very reasonable as
there are parties on the settlements who are continually
going down to the State buying droves of cattle at the best
advantage & bringing them up to the settlements for sale
the average price of a good cow & calf on the settlements is
from 20 to 25 Dollars (the author is writing from experience)
the price of a first rate yoke of Steers is from 70 to 80
Dollars per Yoke—Sheep there is none of any importance
yet but the author thinks they would prosper very
well especially some of the finest & largest specimens
Pigs are very dear although they cost the owners nothing
for keep—honey from 30 to 70 Dollars although
sometimes if you find an Indian in need of money you
may get a honey a little cheaper—
in the next place the quality & price of Medical
Attendance which is of such vital importance to every
settle in a newly settled territory which every one
now must from the actual nature of things the
breaking up of the prairie splitting of the Rail
& in the summer great heat which the settle may