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CATTLE STARVATION.

stocked and all the grass on a thous- tion, but not of all. and acres can be put in ones hat." This is but the beginning of what country and proven that lands tions for measures that will increase deemed worthless by the old nettle the wealth of the country. Of these, have devised methods to furnish the general public is interested are procured, and begun to raise make them is neither special nor locality it will be found that one When it is lawful and expedient we acre will fatten almost as many see no reason to grumble. animals as hundreds will half starve by present ways of doing.

IMPROVE THE SHINING HOURS.

While the republicans are accused

to millions of dollars. In one dea carved oak ceiling for one of the he peddles, nor from the preaching's legislative halls. After the ceiling of those who keep up an appearance was put up, it was discovered that of reformation for the revenue there it was not composed of carved oak, is in it." but of embossed papier mache.

QUEER BUSINESS.

Madame Gizzard de Chieken of large wholesale establishment for great," making pepsin and the old woman does a lucrative business by her a thank offering by those who apstrange occupation.

ing those who don't contribute to prove to the world the sincerity when he passes the hat as no gentle- of their professions, may have given men. As several big churches have some offense, but certainly his announced that they have no room eloquent and logical words denouncfor people who don't rent pews we ing the high license system was the shall have to pray the good Lord to unpardonable sin which it could send salvation down in some other not condone. This is the rock on by timely use of this medicine. way than by the churches so that outsiders may get a chance.

THE Alta says "twenty-two new packing companies are formed and are on their way to Alaska. The big salmon of the Columbia have all been killed off."

And by all accounts the little ones also have been pretty well killed off.

THE Sonoma Valley Whistle says that while San 'Jose raised a thousand dollars to pay Moody for five days revival service they allowed a poor hard working man to starve to death right under their noses. "And of such is the kingdom."

TWENTY-SEVEN years ago an acorn lodged somewhere in the mortar or between the stones of an Ohio court house spire, took root and sent out from the ground,

SIGNS OF TIMES.

Some figures recently gathered in Illinois show the surprising fact that most of the agricultural counties are at a standstill, or actually decreasing, in population. There are 102 counties in the state, and only seven of them show an increase the last eight years in the number of male inhabitants under twenty-one years of age.

Not only is that true of Itlinois but it will soon be disclosed as the case in several other states. In old countries that has been considered a bad sign. What is it in a new country like our own?

THE remarkable growth of the Examiner of San Francisco is a proof that independent journalism pays best even in San Francisco. The decline of the New York Tribune, once a paper of more power in the Union than any other paper, is an evidence that a few corporations and monopolistic individuals cannot run a newspaper. The Examiner has boldly affacked some great abuses, against which it was impossible to get a word in the prominent dailies of San Francisco. Corporations may keep certain journals alive by presents and salaries but The East Oregonian says "cattle they cannot force the people to buy are beginning to starve to death on them, as yet. They have control of the ranges, that the reserve is over- most of the sources of our informa-

AFTER all the fuss made over the might have been expected. Sheep appropriations of the legislature the so destroy the grasses, etc., that cost of running the state government nothing springs up where they feed and some other expenses does not for a time. This idle, careless, lazy exceed two and a half mills on the way of stock raising must come to dollar on the amount of property on an end. Every country goes the assessment rolls of 1886-7, which through the same experience. After was \$120,000,000. We are for econoa time, when a few industrious my, but there is a wise economy agriculturists have settled in the which consists in liberal appropriatrampers are probably the best, and appropriations for roads in which water where it was said none can be the very best. When the law to grains and grasses adapted to the local they are constitutional.

> CORA LEE did not commit suicide as alleged, so ends one more lie connected with that, to say the least, unfortunate affair.

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How doth the little busy bee, etc.

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A new three-story brick bank building will soon be erected in Walla Walla. were called, was directed to procure circulation of the kind of literature

He assumes to be a more competent judge of the morals and moral effects of such speakers as moral effects of such speakers as those who desire it, he will cheer-Mr. Long than ministers of the fully send (free of charge) a copy of gospel, who have made the subject Philadelphia, is the nickname of an a matter of life-long and exclusive old lady who gathers up the linings study. This is modest, to say the of gizzards of chickens, etc., washes least. "Upon what meat doth this He hopes all sufferers will try his and dries them. They are sold to a our Cresar feed that he is grown so

The fact that Mr. Long is tendered preciate his labors, rankles in the illiberal bosom of the horse blanket, SAM JONES is accused of denounc- and his advice to church members which the sap-headed editor of that satisfied Electric Bitters saved his journal splits, and so Mr. Long must be raked over the hot coals of the morning sheet .- "Only this and nothing more."

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