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PACIFIC COAST.

An Old Woman Elopes With a Young Man.

TACOMA'S WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Much Excitement at San Diego Over the Murder of a Boy-Etc.

The great copper smelter at Bisbee, A

The movement at Victoria, B. C., to establish a direct steamship line with the Hawaiian Islands is taking definite

Phoenix, A. T., boasts that its popula-tion is increasing at the rate of 1,000 per month, 90 per cent of which will be per-

Prescott, A. T., is feeling the bene-ficial effect of a railroad which is yet un-completed. Mining investors are flock-ing into that section.

The great onyx quarries at Los Tules, Lower California, have been sold for \$100,000. Eli Murray, ex-Governor of Utah, is one of the purchasers.

The Donahue estate is suing for pos-session of land in South Westminister, B. C., valued at \$270 000. The title was found in Peter Donahue's possession af-

There is much feeling at San Diego ever the murder of the boy, George E. Neale, by Captain Sam Smith and whose body was thrown into the sea. A lynch-ing party is discussed with earnestness.

The smallpox scare at Marshfield is about at an end. The town authorities, aided by the medical board, have received the thanks of the community for their efficient work in saving the town

The Bradstreet mercantile agency reports thirteen failures in the Pacific Coast States and Territories for the past week, as compared with thirteen for the previous week and ten for the corresponding week of 1892.

Tacoma has received nearly five thousand carloads, or about three million bushels, of wheat during the past two months. The indications are that the receipts this year will reach 5,500 000 bushels, as against 4,00,000 bushels last

Juana Trimmer, the Mexican wife of a respectable German living at Japatul, forty-two miles east of San Diego, has eloped with a young ranch hand named Estaguio. The woman is 50 years old and the mother of marriagable sons and

Montana ball cranks are figuring on a league for next year. It is p-seible that Ogden and Salt Lake will be asked to join in forming an inter-mountain league. If this is done, Helena will be left out, unless Missoula should come to the front

Success has at last crowned the efforts of the railway company to obtain artesian water on the desert, says the Yuma Scatinel. When the great well at Walter's Station, 16 miles west of Yuma, had reached the depth of 500 feet a bountiful stream of excellent water was struck, which instantly arose to and four feet above the surface and ran off down the desert as freely as if it had always done so. Such was the flow of water that the company was obliged at once to protect

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The San Francisco Call has been inrestigating the subject of the presence in the flour mills of that city and State of the Mediterranean flour moth, and it declares it has already become an alarming pest, resulting in the loss of thousands of dollars to a number of large establishments, and that it will result in still greater loss before very long. The statements are based mainly upon the interviews with W. G. Johnson, professor of entomology in Stanford University, and with a number of flour manufacturers. They state that there is hardly a mill in the State which is not infected by moths. The moth is continually spinning strands of silk in great quantities, which not only get into the flour, but also clog the machinery so badly trat the mills are obliged to shut down temporarily. Prof. Johnson, who has made a careful study of the subject, easy he has discovered that the moth propagates and matures more rapidly in the Callfornia climate than in Canada or the Eastern part of the United States and other cold countries where it has appeared. He expects that the disastrons effects of this moth will be very apparent in nearly all the mills of that State before the end of another year, and it is almost impossible to drive out the pest. Chartes Vandorn, who is interested in

almost impossible to drive out the pest.

Charies Vandorn, who is interested in the alleged diamond discovery on Snake river, Idaho, tells the following story in regard to the discovery and his connection with it: In the '60's he was at Kfinberly, South Africa, and became acquainted with diamond mining. About six years ago, after coming to Boise, a prospector showed him a stone, which he pronounced to be a Kimberly diamond. When the man told him that he sisted it was on Snake river he ridiculed. be promounced to be a Kimberiy dismond. When the man told him that he picked it up on Snake river he ridiculed it is leta. Subsequently he made an investigation, and found that there was a formation there similar to that at Kimberly. He had H. Bratagben, the widely known mining man, look intoit, and that gentleman told him to have the ground prospected. He then took Mr. Waters who was running a ferry in the vicinitry. In the inconfidence, and the latter has been quietly prospecting the country.

John Q. A. Herring of Philadelphia has just completed his fortieth years of the company east of the Ohio to Jarsey Original and the states that he will soon have one of the stones that is being cut. The party who has gone fo the fields is composed of Engineer Wellington and an assistant, three employee of Vandorn, who are to take up additional ground; L. W. Wellan, an expert from New York, and a Mr. Cassecorut and Mr. Bullfinch, experts from Baltimore. This is the story of the diamond discovery. What it will amount to only time can tell. It should be stated that the sile of volcanic action, being on the border of the famous lava flow which stretches in a cheerless desert for hundreds of miles across the country.

BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL.

The Annual Exportation of India Rubber From Para-Our Three Largest Railroad Centers.

Maine expects a large ice crop. Germany makes aluminium er vats. The best isinglass is made in Russia Paper bottles are made and utilized in

China has twenty seven American Pennsylvania woolen mills employ 50,000 hands.

Europe is reported to have 50,000 Over 17,000 styles of silk goods are known to dealers.

Nearly half the world's railroad mile-age is within the United States. A Vienna brewer is doing a profitable ousiness. He is worth \$40,000,000.

Lottie Collins' pay amounts to \$12.50 for every minute she is on the stage. The number of sheep in Ireland has increased by over 1,000,000 since 18-9.

A sewing machine weighing 572 tons doing good work in Leeds, England. About 100 iron mines are at present in operation in the Lake Superior districts. Four messages can be telegraphed on one wire by means of the quadruplex

The total production of maple sugar in this country last year was 32,959,927 Glass-lined iron tubing adds immense-

A pneumatic cushion, to be placed on the ends of telephone receivers, is some-

It is estimated that the capital in-vested in the electrical industries in this country is \$729,000,000.

The Japanese use no instrument for extracting teeth, but lift them out with the thumb and foredinger.

There are reported to be 3,000,000 commercial drummers in this country, only three of whom are women. The population of many South Sea Islands manufacture their entire suits from the products of palm trees.

On a Montana sheep ranch 6,000 sheep dropped 6,500 lambs. This is a remark-able record for so large a number. The value of the 745,112 pairs of boots

and shoes exported during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1892, was #914,974. The national debts of Europe amount to a total which is equivalent to \$55 for each inhabitant of the continent.

A syndicate of United States capitalists has secured control of all the bitu-mir ous coal trade in Lower Canada.

A new gaslight burner is made with-out cams or springs, the gas being turned on and lighted by operating the key. No less than 65,000 incandescent lamps are manufactured every day at an aver-age selling price of about 75 cents apiece.

The three largest railroad centers in the United States in order of their im-portance are Chicago, Indianapolis and St. Louis.

The annual exportation of India rub-ber from Para is said to be upward of 20,000,000 pounds, worth from \$6,000,000 to \$9,000,00.0. Cargo steamers are growing lu size. A 9,000-tonner was launched two weeks ago, and another one similar in size is being laid down.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The Empress of Germany Sends a Fine United States.

quiet game of cards.

Justice Field has been a member of the Supreme Court for almost thirty years. Only six Justices have served longer.

The vigaette of General Sherman on the new \$5.00 notes is said to be one of the most expensive pictures away their own expenses, including a considerable outlay for railroad fares.

North Dakota church circles have been the most expensive pictures away their own expenses.

The ex-Chief Geronimo, who with other subjugated Apsche Indians is living near Mobile, has been made a gar-

dener at the military station where he is a captive, and is also a Justice of the Peace for his tribe. M. Francois Coppe's recent confession of general and frightful ignorance has met little credence. The French Academy has just put him on a committee in charge of the academy's gigantic dictionary of the French language.

EASTERN ITEMS.

Indianapolis Cemetries Being Visited by Ghouls.

ORANGE CROP OF FLORIDA.

Fresh War Made on Oleomargarine in Pennsylvania-Harrison to Visit Europe.

Dressmakers of the Central States are forming a pool at Chicago.

The People's party of Kansas will op-pose the division of that State.

Indianapolis cemeteries have been plundered of late in a wholesale manner by body snatchers.

Oil flowed at the rate of 48,000 barrels

Oil nowed at the rate of a control of the state of a day for an hour from a new well in Hancock county, O.

The Mississippi Legislature is going to ary and reduce the charges on all sleeping cars in that State. Secretary Elkins in his report says the Indians have shown themselves fit for service in the anny.

The ministers and most of the under-takers of Port Jervis, N. Y., have agreed to discontinue Sunday funerals.

The orange crop of Florida aggregates 3,000,000 boxes this year, 70,000 less than last. Higher prices are expected.

Millions of dollars worth of real estate in the city of Baltimore is claimed as a heritage of the Chenoweth family.

A bill has passed the Georgia Legisla-ture to prevent the stock of corporations from being accumulated in a few hands. The New York Central road is sued for \$40 000 damages by a woman whose be-trothed husband was killed in a wreck.

The craze for combination has struck the Milwaukee broommakers, who have formed an organization and advanced prices 30 per cent. W. H. Sheppard, who was instructed by Congress to investigate the slums of the larger cities of this country, has be-gen work in Chicago.

South Dakota's new Legislature appears to have a majority of members who favor resubmission of the prohibitory laws to the people.

Planters of Tennessee who are interested in tobacco-growing are making efforts to make its cultivation more general throughout the South.

All the houses of ill repute in Pitts-burg have been closed and the women ordered to leave town. They called in a body on the Mayor to expostulate. The violin upon which the w-dding march was played at George Washing-ton's marr.age has come into the posses-sion of the Sunbury (Pa.) Musical Soci-aty.

A Kansas farmer who had had much trouble in shipping eggs at last succeed-ed in getting a consignment delivered in good order by marking the box "dynam-ite."

Augustus T. Kerr, who embezzled \$12,-000 from the Jarvis-Conklin Trust Com-pany of Kausas City, Mo., has been brought back from Liverpool in charge

M. Satolli, Papal delegate, has been empowered by the Holy See to hear and decide without appeal all religious ques-Fresh war on oleomargarine is made

for Poor Women.

M. Gounod declares that his finest inspirations come while he is having a quiet game of cards.

Justime Field.

of the old soidier.

Harrison Mecham, a millionaire of Petaluma, Cal., has given \$50,000 as a fund from the income of which aid is to be given to the poor of the district.

The Empress of Germany agent \$100.000 as a fact is a flat failure in North Dakota.

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The Empress of Germany sent \$12,000 as a present to the lying-in hospital for poor women in Berlin on the occasion of the christening of her infant daughter.

John C. Eno, one of the most distinmany and other continental countries. His purpose, it is said, is to study the Cunion Club in Montreal, and lives in Europe.

The Trade and Labor Assembly at Chicago has adopted resolutions urging a communication of President-elect Cleveland to call an extra session of Congress for the repeal of the McKinleylaw. The resolutions declare the assembly to be in favor of free trade, and ask Mr. Cleveland to aid in hastening the time when custom-houses will be known only in history.

Superintendent Allen of the Butte and Boston Mining Company has written a suggestive letter to the Treasury Department. He offers to coin all the silver dollars the government wants at 60 cents apiece, putting in them 400 grains of pure silver, against 341% as in the presdollar. At 85 cents per onnce the value of the present dollar is only 65.71 cents. He would number each coin, so that the government would not be compelled to redeem duplicates. He says the degree of fineness of the present dollar is such that it can be counterfeited so as to defy detection, and that with \$450,000 worth of metal a counterfeiter can make a fortune of \$3.70,000 profit. He proposes a standard which would prevent the possibility of such a counterfeit.

Last July the Interstate Commerce Superintendent Allen of the Butte and

NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Joint Resolution Introduced in the House With the Object of Changing the Revenue Laws.

The Secretary of the Treasury has informed the Speaker of the House that the deficiencies for the current fiscal year are estimated at \$14,636,520,of which \$1,533,030 is on account of pensions.

The Committee on Military Affairs of the House has completed the annual appropriation bill. It makes the total appropriation \$24,202,739, or \$861,766 less than for this year and \$1,720,216 less than estimated.

Williams of Massachusette has intro-

Williams of Massachusetts has intro-duced in the House a bill for the discon-tinuance of silver purchases after Feb-ruary 1 next, and setting saide as a trust fund the money received by the Treasury for the redemption of the national bank notes, which, by the Sherman law of 18 0, was made a miscellaneous receipt.

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The Secretary of the Interior has accepted the reconveyance to the United States by the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Company of 45,000 acres of land in the Red River Valley in North Dakota, and has issued instructions to make indemnity selections of non-mineral lands unoccupied in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana and Idaho.

Captain Symonda, who was directed to

Montana and Idaho.

Captain Symonds, who was directed to examine Rogue river from Grant's Pass to its mouth, reports to the War Department that the river is not worthy of improvement, and Congress is advised to make no appropriation for the purpose. He says there are too many waterfalls and rapids in the river, and the commerce does not justify improvements at the mouth of the river.

Captain Symonds, reported in favor of

Captain Symonds reported in favor of improving the upper Columbia river in Washington at two places, one from the Little Dalles to the international boundary, fifteen miles, and the other from the head of Rook Island rapids to Foster creek, just above the mouth of the Okanogan, ninety miles. To make the survey and prepare for the improvements \$4 000 will be necessary. The depart-ment concurs in the recommendation.

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Members of Congress are inclined to favorably regard the suggestion that the face of Mrs. Potter Palmer should be used for the head piece of the silver dollar that will be coined next year. Such a selection would not only be a compliment to the board of lady managers of the World's Columbian Exposition, of which she is President, but to the entire female population of the country, and that it would be particularly appropriate to immortalize a representative American woman in this way during the exposition year.

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Speaker Crisp, Representatives Mc-Millin and Catchings, who are members of the Rules Committee and rather looked to to shape the policy of the House, held a conference the other day for the purpose of considering the plan and scope of an inquiry into the condition of the treasury. The inquiry is really designed for the purpose of furnishing the information necessary for a revision of the tariff on a revenue basis, to which the Democratic party is pledged, and to some extent, also, for the purpose of gaining information as to where reforms can be made in the interest of economy in the administration of the government. The report will be made to the full committee later.

Mr. Mills of Wisconsin has introduced a joint resolution in the House directing the President of the Senste and the Speaker of the House to appoint a committee, to consist of three Senators and five Representatives, whose duty it shall be to investigate as to the propriety of at an altitude of 4,800 meters.

It is claimed that there is a lighthouse to investigate as to the propriety of making changes in the revenue laws and report the result of their inquiry to the next Congress. The committee is to have power to send for persons and papers, and a sufficient amount of money to carry on the investigation is authorized. A preamble to the resolution states that the result of the recent election indicates that a large portion of the people expect and desire a change in the revenue laws to the end that the burdens of taxation may be more equally distributed among the people.

The statement prepared by the Clerks of the House and Senate Committees on

The statement prepared by the Clerks of the House and Senate Committees on Appropriations to show the estimates for the regular annual and permanent appropriations for the fiscal year of 1893-4 aggregates \$703,861,335, an increase over the estimates for the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriations for the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriations for the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriations for the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriations for the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriation of the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriation of the current fiscal year of 15,099,241 and over the appropriation of the current fiscal year. over the estimates for the current fiscal year of \$15,929,241 and over the appropriations (exclusive of deficiencies and miscellaneous) of \$7,375,260 The appropriations, however, include \$21,154,218 for rivers and harbors, for which no estimates were made. The appropriations, of course, never equal the estimates, but on the other hand no deficiency nor miscellaneous appropriations are included in the estimates. They do not include anything for rivers and harbors, on account of which the chief of engineers estimates that \$58,044,050 can be profitably expended.

The proposition to choose a President

ably expended.

The proposition to choose a President by direct vote of the people promises to meet with more than usual consideration by the Committee on the Election of President and Vice-President and Representatives in Congress. The committee President and Vice-President and Representatives in Congress. The committee had a meeting the other day. At the last session of Congress Springer introduced a joint resolution providing for a Presidential and Vice-Presidential term of six years with ineligibility of the incumbents of re-election, and also providing for a scheme of electing them by a direct vote of the people. Springer addressed the committee and was followed by Colonel McClure, who indorsed Springer's sentiments. Representative Beltshoover of Pennsylvania, will introduce a resolution in the House in a few days which has for its object the election of President and Vice-President by a direct vote of the people, and this will be referred to a subcommittee.

An unusual incident in the opening pro-

referred to a subcommittee.

An unusual incident in the opening proceedings of the Senate was the offering of a prayer by a Jewish rabbi. Chaplain Butler introduced to the Vice-President Rev. Dr. Joseph Silverman, rabbi of the Temple Emanuel, New York, and one of the distinguished attendants at the Rabbi Convention in progress at Washington City at that time; and Dr. Silverman then delivered the opening invocation. He did not follow the custom of the so-called orthodox Jews by covering his head, but stood bareheaded during the proceedings. On the occasion of the death of Senator Barbour of Virginia funeral services were held in the Senate by Bishops and priests of the Catholic Church, but this is the first occasion in which a Jewish prelate has been invited to conduct religious exercises in that body. In the House Issae M. Wise, a Jewish rabbi from Cincinnati, made the opening prayer.

FOREIGN LANDS

The Siberian Railroad Scheme Badly Managed.

A CHAIR OF EGYPTOLOGY.

Mme. Gerster Makes a Successful Appearance - Mt. Blanc Observatory.

English farmers are preparing to make radical demands of Parliament.

The Lindon unemployed will not be allowed to make a torchlight parade.

Count Leo Tolstoi has settled his entire property upon his wife and chil-

The Argentine Minister of Finance declares that it will be impossible to resume cash payments.

The total receipts of the gambling tables at Monte Carlo last year were over 23,000,000 france. Mme. Etelka Gereter has made a most

successful appearance in the Grand Du-cal Theater at Weimar. The section of London society known as "The Souls" has abandoned its project of publishing a magazine,

The Ameson warriors of the King of Dahomey at oguessa were armed with Winchesters and sharp sabers.

London's six principal railway lines carry annually over 100 000 000 neople and the tramways about 160,000 000

Russia is again active in her efforts to maintain the very highest degree of ef-ciency in her military organisation. Major-General Sir George Stewart White has been appointed Commander-n-chief of the British forces in India.

in-chief of the British forces in India.

In Sweeden and in Unmark the Parliaments have voted that the office of stenographer shall be filled by women.

The Council of the society of Authors, of which Tennyson was President, has elected George Meredith as his successor. The London Times says that the great Sib-rian railroad scheme is bidly man-aged and is making very slow progress.

Christine Nilsson has given \$5 000 to-ward founding a hospital in France for he treatment of sufferers from throat The Berlin police are kept in readiness in the barracks, owing to expected dis-turbances by the unemployed, who now number 30,000.

Indignation meetings are being held and petitions drawn up a'l over Germany to protest against the proposed increase

The German health office reports that there have been in Germany this year 19 647 cases of cholera, of which 8,575 have been fatal. Hercultile the new French explosive, is so powerful that half a pound of it in a recent contest displaced a stone weighing thirty time.

In Grantay aluminium cravats are now on sals. They are advertised as feather-light, silver-white work goods that will wear forever.

The Czar of Russis has the stamp-col-lecting mania. His collection is said to be worth over \$600,000 and to contain nearly every stamp of the past or pres-ent issues of all nations. The Russian government has declined the offer of a French syndicate to finish the construction of the Siberian railway. No foreign capital will be employed in furthering the enterprise.

The trial by court-martial of the persons concerned in the cholera riots in Saratoff, Russia, in July last has ended. Twenty-three prisoners have been sentenced to be hanged and fifty-six to be imprisoned in Siberia.

Dr. Collingridge reports to the London Port Sanitary Committee that there is an almost alsolute certainty of an out-break of cholera in the spring, when all the precautions now adopted will be far more severely strained than hitherto.

Forty-six Spanish Anarchists are on trial by court-martial for complicity in an attack on the prison of Xeras, in January last. At the trial they were sequitted. In Spain a man may have he life twice placed in jeopardy for the same off nes. There is a report from Jerusalem that Baron Edmond de Rothschild has completed negotiations with the Turkish government for the establishment of J we holonies on the Rothschild lands in Paestine, and also for permitting Russian Jews to settle there.

The first chair of Egyptology in England has been founded by the will of the late Mess Amelia B. Edwards, who died in the spring of this year; and the Edwards professor at University College, London, is now Fiinders Petrie, who has just been formally appointed.

PORTLAND MARKET.

Produce, Fruit. Stc.

WHEAT—Valley, \$1.15@1.17½; Walla
Walla, \$1.07½@1.10 per centai.
Fious—Standard, \$3.65; Walla,
\$3.65; Graham, \$3; Superfine, \$2.50 per barrel.

OATS—44@45c per bushel; rolled, in bags, \$6.25@6.50; barrels \$6.50@6.76; cases, \$3.75.

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Hav—\$11@13.50 per ton.

Mnlsruvrs—Bran, \$17; shorts, \$19; ground barley, \$22.50@25; chop feed, \$21.
@22 per ton; whole feed barley, \$18@19; midd ings, \$28@28 per ton; brewing barley, \$1.00@1.15 per cental; chicken wheat, \$1.20 per cental.

BUTTER—Oregon fancy creamery, 35@37%c; fancy dairy, 30@32%c; fair to good, 25@27%c; common, 15@17%c per pound.

CHRESS—Oregon, 11@13c; Young

good, 25@27%c; common, 15@17%c per pound.

Chrrst — Oregon, 11@13c; Young America, 14@14%c per pound.

EGGS—Oregon, 35c; Eastern, 26@27%c per dozen.

Poultry—Old Chickens, quoted at \$3.00@40.0; young, \$2.00@3.50; ducks, \$4.00@6.00; geese, nommal, \$10.00@11.00; tarkeys, 12%@13c per pound.

Vegetables—Cabbage, \$1.0 @1.50 per cental; onions, 75c@9c per cental; tomatoes, 40@9c per cental; young carrots, 75c@\$1 00 per cental; weet potatoes, \$1.75 per cental; Oregon cauliflower, 75c@\$1.00 per dozen; celery, 60c per dozen.

Faurrs—Sicily lemons, \$6.50; California grapes, 75c@\$1 per box; Oregon pears, \$1.25@1.50 per box; bananas, \$2.50@3.50 per bunch; oranges, \$4.50 per box; cranberries, \$10.50 per barrel; apples, 50c@\$1.50.

Staple Groceries.

Honey — Choice comb, 15@17c per pound; new Oregon, 18@20c.

8atz — Liverpool, \$14.50@17.00; stock, \$10.50@11.50 per ton.

Rice—Island, \$5.00@6.50; Japan, \$4.85 per cental.

Dano Faurrs—Petite prunes, 10@11c; silver,11@14c; Italian, 12@14c; German, 10@10c; piums, old, 5@6c; new, 7@9c; appies, 4½@9½c; evaporated apricots, 15@16c; peaches, 12@16c; pears, 7@8c per pound.

per pound.

Corrus—Costa Rica, 21½c; Rio, 20½c; Salvador, 20c; Mocha, 27½@30c; Java, 27½@30c; Arbuckle's, 100-pound cases, 25 35-100c per pound; Columbia, same, 24 85-100c.

Brans—Small white, 3½c; pink, 3c; bayos, 3½c; butter, 3½c; limas, 3½c per pound.

Festern in barreix, 40@65c;

pound.
Symur—Eastern, in barreis, 40@55c;
half-barreis, 42½@57½c; in cases, 35@
80c per gallon; \$2.25 per keg. Californis
in barreis, 20@40c per gallon; \$1.75 per

in barrels, 20@40e per gallon, \$1.75 per keg.

SUGAR—Net prices: D,4½c; Goldan C,
4½c; extra C, 4½c; Magnolia A, 4½c; granulated, 5½c; cube crushed and powdered, 5½c; cube crushed, \$1.85@2.10; Bartlett pears, \$1.75@2.00; pluma, \$1.37½@1.50; strawberries, \$2.50@2.40; cherries, \$2.25@2.40; blackberries, \$1.85@2; raspberries, \$2.40; pineapp.es, \$2.25@2.25@2; apricots, \$1.65@2.00. Pie fruits; Assorted, \$1.20; peaches, \$1.25@1.40 per dozen. Pie fruits, gallons — Assorted, \$3.25@3.50; peaches, \$3.50@4.00; apricots, \$3.50@4.00; plums, \$2.75@3.00; blackberries, \$4.00@4.50. Vegetables; corn, \$1.40@1.85; tomatoes, 95c@\$1.00; sugar peas, 95c@\$1.00; string beans, 90@ corn, \$1.40@1.85; tomatoes, 95c@\$1.00; sugar peas, 95c@\$1.00; string beans, 90c@\$6c per dozen. Meats: Corned beef, 1s, \$1.25; 2s, \$1.85@2.00; chipped beef, \$2.10; lunch tongue, 1s, \$3.10; 2s, \$5.50; deviled ham, \$1.50@2.75 per dozen. Fish: Sardines, \$2, 75c@\$2.25; \$4s, \$2.15@4.50; lobsters, \$2.30@3.50; salmon, tin 1-lb. talls, \$1.25@1.50; fists, \$1.75; 2 lbe., \$2.25@2.50; 1/2 bbl., \$5.50.

Miscellaneous.

Name—Base quotations: Iron, 2.75; steel, \$2.75; wire, \$3.00 per keg.

Ison—Bar, 23/c per pound; pig iron, \$23@26 per ton.

STEEL-10% per pound.

Tix-I. C. charcoal, 14x20, prime quality, \$8.25@8.75 per box; for crosses, \$2 extra per box; roofing, 14x20, prime quality, \$6.62%@6.75 per box; 1. C. coke plates, 14x20, prime quality, \$7.50@8.00 per box. per box.

NAVAL STORRE—Cakum, \$4.50@5 per bale; resin, \$4.80@5 per 450 pounds; tar, Stockholm, \$13.00; Carolina, \$9.00 per barrel; pitch, \$6.00 per barrel; turpentine, 65c per gallon in carload lots.

Laad—4%c per pound; bar, 6%c.

SHOT—\$1.80 per sack.

Horseshors—\$5.

Hides, Weet and Hops.

Hims—Dry hides, selected prime, 61/6
71/c; 11/c less for culls; green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c; under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short wool, 80@50c; medium, 60@80c; long, 90c@\$1.25; shearings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 3 @3%c per pound.

Woot—Umpqua Valley, 16@19c; fall clip, 13@15/4c; Willamette Valley, 15@19c, 1according to quality; Eastern Oregon, 10@16c per pound, according to condition.

The Meat Market.

Berr — Live, \$1.75@2.75 per 100 pounds; dressed, \$1.50@5.00.

Murron — Live, \$3.50@3.60 per 100 pounds; dressed, \$6; lambs, live, \$3.25@3.50; dressed, \$6; lambs, live, \$3.25@3.50; dressed, \$6.

Hoss — Live, \$4.50@4.80 per 100 pounds; dressed, \$6.

Vall—\$1@6 per 100 pounds.

Brocke Mark—Large ham, 13%@14%c; enedium ham, 14@15c; breaklast bacon, 15@16c; short clear sides, 11%(3.13c; dry salt sides, 11@11%c per pound.

Land—Compound, in tins, 10%@11c; pure, in tins, 14%@16c; Oregon, 11%@13%c per pound.

Bags and Bagging.
Burlaps, 8-os., 40-inch, net cash, 6c; burlaps, 10-os., 40-inch, net cash, 7c; burlaps, 12-os., 45-inch, 7½c; burlaps, 20-os., 76-inch, 14c. Wheat bags, Calcutta, 23x36, cpot, 5c; two-bushel oat bags, 634c.

Some pupils were asked by an examiner at a school examination whether ammer at a school examination whether they knew the meaning of the word "scandal." One little girl held up her hand, and being told to answer the ques-tion she replied, "Nobody does nothing and everybody goes telling of it every where."—Boston Commercial.

The first newspaper in the modern sense was issued mouthly at Venice in '36; the first English newspaper was published in 1622; the first Americ 1704.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.