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kings of Babylon. Assyria, Egypt and "Whoever has carefully his lecture: studied the histories of the ancient em pires must be struck with the wonderfully truthlike appearance of the chronological and syncronistic data. No his torian has ever ventured to give such a large number of dates as the Bible, which are made to synchronize with the dates of kings of other nations, thereby enabling accurate control. Thus the kings of Judah are made to synchronize with the kings of Israel, and many of Babylon, Assyria, Egypt and Persia.

At the last orientalists' congress in Vienna the learned gentleman presented the first part of his researches, extending over twenty years. No doubt his charts, when published, will startle many a professor of theology all over the worldat least such as have taught their pupils that it was impossible to put in order and harmonize these confused dates.

Mr. Hechler proves that they do har monize, and that in a most wonderful manner, but the key had to be sought and found. He does not profess to have untied the Gordian knot and to have disposed of every difficulty, but the remarkably clear and ingenious way in which he puts an end to Biblical dis crepancies is convincing and conclusive, charts are so simple and comprehensible that a child may read them .- Vienna Cor. Loudon Telegraph.

Whence the Water of the Great Lakes? Where do the waters of Lake Michigan come from? is an old question, and it is a question as old as the artesian wells. Where do their waters come from? Colonel Foster, an eminent civil engineer, for many years in charge of government interest on the lake, was fond of talking on the first

"Every drop of those waters." he was "Every drop of those waters, he was often heard to declare," came from the Rocky mountains." His theory was that they were brought here subterraneously, but he never to our knowledge marked out the course of the subterraneous stream.

He announced this as his conviction long

fore-indeed, he died before-the sinking of artesian wells in Chicago and the conse quent discovery of the now undoubted fact, William B. Ogden held the same view and used at times to make himself very interesting in expatiating upon it. With him, as well as with Colonel Foster, it was no more than a theory, but he adhered to

Mr. Cregier, who is scientific before he is the theory in a manner to convince any

this lake through the others of the easterly chain and over Niagara falls of an incal culable quantity of water, and this con-tinually every minute in the hour, every hour in the day, every day in the year, and every year in progressive time!

A reporter, in describing the celebration of her bundredth birthday by an old lady, naively says, "She talked all day without showing the least sign of

## PACIFIC COAST.

Ochre Discovered Near Pendleton, Oregon.

A RECEIVER GONE WRONG.

\$1 50 An Instructress at an Indian School Receives Probably Fatal Injuries-Etc.

> Arizon'a Legislature closes its session on April 14.

Blocks sixty feet in length without a break are found in the onyx quarries in Lower California.

The Arizona Council has passed a bill exempting from taxation for twenty years all railroads that begin work in the Territory within one year.

The last of the Cour d'Alene rioters held in jall have been released in obedi-ence to a recent United States Supreme Court decision.

Railroad shop employes at Sacramento threaten to boycott members of the Board of Trade if the latter persists in taking business from the *Bec.* 

Ochre found on Elijah Welch's place below Pendleton, Or., makes paint of about the same body and color as burnt sienna, which it resembles greatly. Commissioners. S. G. Scho-mover, Vernonia

In the Arizona Legislature the Field bill, which provided for the division of the Territory into irrigation districts, has been killed in the House by an over-whelming vote.

The misappropriation of funds intended for improving the capitol grounds at Phœnix, A. T., has led to the introduction of a resolution in the Leg-islature to remove the capital.

The contest over the Elizalde will at Santa Barbara has begun. About \$50,-000 are involved, and the widow charges her husband was unduly influenced in his bestowal of the properties on other

Frank Lesnet, receiver of the Roswell, N. M., United States Land Office, disappeared a few weeks since, and advices at Santa Fe state that he was short to the government somewhere between \$9,000 and \$20,000

A few days ago Miss Lizzie Dugan, in-structor at the Indian school, known as the Stewart Institute, at Carson, in at-tempting to separate two Indian girls who were quarreling, was struck over the head and it is believed seriously in-

By the provision of a bill which has passed the Arizona House no house of ill fame can exist within 400 yards of a public-school building. It will break up and clear out the dives on Monroe street in Phenix, as all that portion of the been delivered at the Verein Niederwald of Vienna by that most distinguished

orientialist and linguistic scholar, the Rev. William Hechler, caplain to the British embassy.

Ever since his student days he has been seeking for the key to harmonize the dates of the kings of Judah and Israel given in the Bible, and the dates of the kings of Babylon. Assyria, Egypt and

mine" have been found in a stable ditch at San Bernardino. They are supposed to have been part of the bullion secured by three Mexicans who killed four years ago Captain Good, Superintendent of the Vulture mine in Arizona, while he mas on his way to Phoenix with the mine's output for the month.

go to the world's Fair. It consists of seventeen Mongolian pheasants, includ-ing cock, hen and fitteen chicks, four pair for a group; two pair of Eastern Oregon prairie chickens, two pair of dusky grouse, two pair ruffled grouse, four pair valley quail, three pair moun-tain quail, a group of jack snipe and some other single specimens

The Oregon and California Land Company used to be assessed on 53,000 acres of land in Lane county. A new owner-ship book revealed 250,000 acres. The company fought an assessment on that basis. The Supreme Court decided mostly in favor of the county of Lane. A compromise has just been made on 136,000 acres. The principle has been fully established that the railroad, or land company, must have tayed on the land company, must pay taxes on the land they are entitled to under the grant, whether patented or not. As a result, Lane county will receive this year over \$10,000 from that scource, where several years formerly a few hundred dollars were paid annually.

The rage for hidden-treasure hunting still exists in the neighborhood of the San Luis Rey Mission, and the Restora-tion Society is taking steps to put a stop to the burrowing in and around the walls. As an illustration of the clusions, there lives in Los Angeles an old Indian woman with the name of Trinidad. She woman with the name of Trinidad. She was a young girl, about twelve years old, at the mission of San Juan Capistrano, when that building was distroyed by an earthquake in 1812, and thirty eight Indians were killed on that memorable Sunday at high mass. Trinidad, who claims to be a witch, says she knows where a large amount of gold and silver is buried in that building, and the spirits tell that it is still there. its tell that it is still there.

The Northwestern Lumberman of Chicago, treating of the growing scarcity of white pine for shop work, suggests several woods to fill its place, and says of this Coast's woods: The two Western woods that now seem likely to become important factors in the factory trade are spruce and red cedar. The former is a light, soft wood, easily worked but not strong, with a close, straight grain. It strong, with a close, straight grain. It has been used to some extent by one of the local sash, door and blind factories with satisfactory results. The red cedar is more brittle than spruce, rather coarse-grained, but easily worked and yery durable. It meets with some favor in this market as a finishing wood, but is hardly as desirable for factory work as spruce. Yellow or Douglas fir is claimed by some Pacific Coast mill men to be an an excellent finishing wood, but it is too

## INDUSTRIAL ITEMS.

Bottles are blown by machinery at Vineland, N. J. Uncle Sam's boys have \$30,000,000 of capital invested in Hawaii.

The Angora goat supplies the bais which adorns ordinary dolis. Telephone chat costs \$2 for three min-utes between Paris and London.

There are now nearly 200 women practicing dentistry in the United States.

BISHOP WIGGER'S CIRCULAR.

Eighty-six of the 355 towns in Massa-chusetts contain no resident physician. There are in the United States more than 1,700 distinct and separate railways. The Litchfield Car Works in Indiana are about to be moved to Birmingham, Als.

Over 100 electric cars are to be built at once at Pitteburg for a Chicago com-

New England capitalists have pur-chased \$750,000 worth of Texas timber

Several fleets of river boats are to be established this year on the Western The Armour Packing Company has in-corporated in New Jersey; capital, \$7,-

Wooden-soled shoes are being slowly introduced in the cheap shops.—Philadelphia Record.

The novelty of the Columbian stamps is wearing off, and the old-timers are returning to favor.

Makers of maple sugar in Vermontsay that the supply this year will excee 7,000,000 pounds. The Lingham gold mine in Belmont,

Hastings county, Ontario, is proving highly profitable.

In some of the Eastern shoe-blacking cellars you can have your high hat pol-ished by electricity. Canning factories, it is reported, are being erected in large numbers in various parts of Georgia.

ous parts of Georgia.

It is reported that Melbourne, Australia, is overflowed with men who want work, but are unable to secure it.

Chautauqua county, N. Y., has 14,000 acres of bearing vines and 500 acres of young vines not in bearing.

For fifty-two consecutive miles on the Boston and Albany railroad, it is said,

there is not a grade crossing. An ounce of pure gold is worth \$20.64; therefore, a ton of pure gold, which contains 24,000 ounces, is worth \$495,360. Last year there was borrowed out of banks and trust companies in New York and Brooklyn on real estate \$68,000,000.

It is said that 3,000 miles of electric road will be added this year. One road in Pennsylvania is to be eighty miles

A Clearfield (Pa.) lumberman, Simon Flynn, will run 35,(0),(0) teet of logs wn the Susquehanna river to the saw

The turpentine gatherers of Georgia, it is estimated, have during the past five years destroyed \$200,000,000 worth of pine timber. Millions upon millions of herring are taken every year. It is said that there are more herring eaten than any other kind of fish.

It is estimated, the Pittsburg Dispatch says, that 41,300,000 vottages could be erected out of the standing timber in the

at Iron Mountain, Mich. It pumps Now that the Pennsylvania miners have an eight-hour law, some people are inclined to think they will have to keep well organized to get any good out of it.

A strong effort is being made in New lersey to defeat the law which makes Allen Rhodes of Salem has prepared a fity-five hours the limit of a week's display of Oregon game birds that will work. It is claimed that the law is unseventeen Mongolian phasacute in the law is unseventeen Mongolian phasacute in the law is unseventeen Mongolian phasacute.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

The fine laces owned by the Vander-bilt families are said to be worth \$500,

David H. Smith, the son of the Mor-mon prophet, Joseph Smith, has been an inmate of the asylum for the insane

at Elgin for seventeen years. Lady Henry Someraet is about to start a paper, to be called the Woman's Her-ald, which will be the organ of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Lord Chief Justice Coleridge of England will probably visit this country during the World's Fair. He was here in 1883, and was then a tall, spare man

Miss Emily Faithful of London is deavoring to organize in one of the sub-urbs a home for women who are working for their own living, the idea being to provide each occupant with a private room at a low rent and the use of com-

mon dining and reception rooms.

The Lord Mayor of London, who is a Roman Catholic, went out of his way the cother day to pay a visit in state to the Church of England Young Men's Soci-ety in Ludgate Circus, and he not only made an excellent speech, but left as ab-stantial gift in his own and the Lady

Mayoress' name. It is said Lord Rosebery's great desire It is said Lord Rosebery's great desire is to see a new and magnificent London built up on the lines of the old city. In his boyhood, it appears, his three ambi-tions were to marry one of the richest women in Europe, to win the Derby and become Prime Minister of England. Of these three ambitions he has attained

Secretary Gresham loves to sit hours and hours before the statue of General McPherson in Washington. The two were intimate officers in Sherman's army. One day before Atlanta Gresham was terribly wounded at McPherson's side, and five minutes later McPherson was killed. There's room for feeling in a case like that. a case like that.

heavy to admit of shipment East in competition with sprace and cedar. Its afterward he emigrated to the antipodes as Solicitor-General for the then penal commercial value is greatest for construction purposes.

# EASTERN NEWS.

Prof. Totten Predicts the End of the World.

The Case Involving the Mormon Church Property Advanced on the Calendar.

The Colorado Senate has passed a bill

abolishing capital punishment, Prof. Totten predicts the end of the world some time in September next. Fifty thousand hotel rooms will be available near the World's Fair grounds.

The Okefinokee swamp in Georgia is reported to be overrun with wild hogs. A big Boston syndicate is trying to se-cure control of the Canadian steel indus-Washington newsboys are forbidden

by law to sell papers except on the data The city of Boston is making a hard fight against the trolley system of elec-

The Araneae Pase railroad has virtually passed into the possession of the Southern Pacific.

In the Lower House of the Pennsylvania Legislature the anti-Pinkerton bill

has finally passed. A strange disease among cattle in Central Illinois is believed to be due to the feeding of millet.

Estimates as to the cost of the hotels in the World's Fair district range from 13,500,000 to \$4,000,000.

The heaviest immigration that ever flowed into Northwest Iowa and South Dakota is in progress now. A crinoline-manufacturing concern has been established in Rhode Island, the first of the kind in America.

It is thought that the coinage of World's Fair souvenir half-dollars will be completed in three months.

About 150 Chinamen living in Boston have intimated that they intend regis-South Carolina has issued bonds covering its new loan, amounting to \$5,260,000, hearing 436 per cent interest and to run for forty years.

Some one has gone off with all the coin and records of the noted Tenderloin Club at New York, and it is now in the throes of dissolution.

By a vote of 31 to 19 the Minnesota Senate has passed the Senate bill ex-tending the full suffrage at all elections in Minnesota to women

The case involving the Mormon Church property has been advanced in the United States Supreme Court to the second Monday of the next term. The receivers of the Reading road have definitely decided on the issue of receivers' certificates. The bondholders' committee will probably fight jt.

There came into New Orleans in two days of last week nine steamers and one Jersey in the neighborhood of Jersey chooner, bearing 102,000 bunches of bananas and 60,000 cocoanuts.

The Japanet State of Washington.

A corporation with a capital of \$15,0 0,000 has been formed to cover New Jersey in the neighborhood of Jersey City and Newark with electric railways.

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ing school where apprentices will be part. The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk

for impeachment. Reports to the bureau of statistics

the Treasury Department show a dec ded increase in the number of immigrants entering the port of San Francisco, while in the other ports of the country there has been a failing-off. It is thought probable that at the con-

clusion of the naval review Secretary Herbert will divide the ships into three fleets, put new officers in command and send the vessels away at once to the Pa-cific, the South Atlantic and Europe. Plans for the America cup defenders show that some radical changes have been introduced over the former type of vachts. The new boats are nearly all 124 feet in length, 23 to 28 feet beam,

and have a mean draught of 12 to 14 holding the trunks of a number of Italian opera singers under the belief that the clothing in the trunks is not the property of individual members, but of Henry Abbey, who has charge of the troups.

Judge Dallas in the United States Cir-cuit Court at Philadelphia has denied a motion to require John F. Searles, Jr., Treasurer of the American Sugar Refining Company, to show cause why he should not be compelled to answer im-portant questions in the suit of the gov-

portant questions in the suit of the government against the sugar trust.

Bishop W gger of the diocese of Newark N. J., has issued a circular letter, addressed to each priest in the diocese, rescinding his former order in which priests were ordered to refuse absolution to those members of a parish who sent their children to the public schools in preference to the parochial schools.

On charges of having swindled wealthy Jews all over the country to the tune of Jews all over the country to the tune o

Jews all over the country to the tune of \$300,000, while pretending to collect funds for the relief of needy Russian corollifonists. Phineas Hanucah, who claims to be the son of a wealthy manufacturer of Persian carpets and rugs of Salmas, Persia, and also of New York, and been arrested at Chicago.

The government patronage heretofore considered the sacred property of Senators, for instance, as Marshals and District Attorneys, is now declared free for trict Attorneys, is now declared free for all, and according to the ruling of the President humble members of the House

and even a group of private citizens may present the names of candidates with

ne hope of success in the application.

## NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The Delegates to the Recent International Monetary Conference Resign-Ashland Reservation.

Secretary Carlisle has signed vouchers to the amount of \$250,120 in favor of the World's Fair Commission, which are payable in souvenir half-dollars. The commission up to this time has received \$1,920,125 of the \$2,500,000 appropriation by Congress, payable in souvenir half-dollars.

The delegates to the recent International Monetary Conference have resigned. Among members of Congress it is believed the President will send a commission to Brussels to represent this country when the conference reassembles. The Secretary of State is now endeavoring to ascertain how many countries will be represented at the reassembling of the conference. There are some officials who hold to the opinion that the President will not send another delegation to Brussels, but will designate our Minister to Belgium to attend the conference as the representative of the United States.

Secretary Carlisle, it is stated on good authority, intends to give much of his time this summer to the consideration of the tariff, with a view te so thorough-ly familiarizing himself with the subject as to be able to indicate in a general as to be able to indicate in a general way outlines for the formation of a tariff bill by the next Democratic House, Nearly every mail that reaches the Treasury Department contains suggestions from statisticians and others as to compilation of a tariff bill. Some thirty or forty of these communications have already been received, prominent among them being that from the New York Reform Club. The general outline of the New York Reform Club's tariff proposition corresponds closely to the proposition submitted in 1885 by Edward Atkinson of Boston to President Cleveland and Secretary Manning.

Cleveland and Secretary Manning.

Senator Dolph called upon the Secretary of the Interior the other day regarding the proposed timber reservation at Ashland, Or. It was understood that this reservation would be made during the last administration, but President Harrison did not find time to reach it. Secretary Smith told Senator Dolph that at present he was unable to do anything regarding this reservation and was too busy reorganizing the department to give any time or attention to the work of the department except that of most pressing nature. The necessity for having the Ashland reservation is said to be that the water supply of that town is dependent upon having the timber reservation, as the demadation of the lands where the water now comes from would where the water now comes from would probably result in greatly impairing the

The State Department has received of-ficial information that Queen Victoria has raised the rank of Sir Julian Pauncefote, her representative in Wash-ington, from that of Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to that of Am-bassador, and his credentials as such are on their way here. Under the provis-ions of the diplomatic and consular ap-propriation bill of March 1, 1893, Presi-dent Cleveland is authorized to confir the same rank upon our representative at dent Cleveland is authorized the same rank upon our representative at London. Sir Julian Pauncefote wil be a corresponding chan

The Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk roads have agreed upon a rate of 1½ for the cession to the United States of fare for the round trip from Canadian points to Chicago during the World's Fair. Tickets will be good for one month.

The Kansas Legislature has passed a bill making it illegal to require a gold contract in notes, mortgages or other obligations and making silver, as well as gold, a legal tender for all debts in Kansas.

A committee appointed by the House of the Tennessee Legislature to investigate the charges against Judge Duboise of the Shelby County Criminal Court has reported that there are no grounds for impeachment. When the Senate ratified the treaty reject the modification of the treaty made by the Senate, then it will be necessary for the matter to be again brought before Congress, which would of congress before Congress, which would, of course, indefinitely delay the opening of the

> Litigation between the United States and the late corporation of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, commonly known as the Mormon Church, is not as yet ended. The Supreme Court has before it an appeal respecting the use to which shall be put the church property escheated by the court's decision at a previous term. When the property was declared forfeited the court directed the Utah Supreme Court to fix the charitable uses to which it should be put. The court rejected the proposition put. The court rejected the proposition of the government as to the use which should be made of the fund from the should be made of the fund from the property, amounting to about \$400,010, and directed it should be applied to the support and aid of the poor members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and to building and repairing houses of worship for members of the church. The United States has applied to the church. pealed from this decree, asserting it would practically permit the property to be devoted to the same purposes for which it was formerly held.

The Secretary of the Treasury has decided that the former action of the department is invalid which deducts from the direct tax due the several States the sums heretofore charged for arms and equipments drawn for the State militia. The sum charged to Oregon amounted to \$2,472, and this was deducted from the \$35,000 direct tax due the State. the \$35,000 direct tax due the State. Rapresentative Hermann, who was the author of the law which gave the Oregon militia a large quantity of arms and equipments a few years ago, has made various appeals to the Secretary to release the charge made against the direct tax due the State. Some other States are interested as to similar charges made against their quotas under the law of April, 1808, which provides for an annual appropriation of \$200,000 for pro-April, 1808, which provides for an annual appropriation of \$200,000 for providing arms and equipments for the whole body of the militia. The department now decides that in view of the long-continued practice of allowing the States to anticipate their quotas and to honor the requisitions of the Governors on their representation of the existence of emergencies demanding their immediate use no charges should be made.

# FOREIGN LANDS.

Cholera Appears in a Moscow Convict Prison.

CAPRIVI AND THE ARMY BILL

Work on the Ship Canal Between the North and Baltic Seas Being Pushed.

London music halls clear from 16 to 70

per cent. Another is to be erected.
In small hotels in Russia each guest is expected to find his own bedelothing. The extradition treaty between Sweden and the United States has been ratified.

The operative cotton-spinners of Man-chester, England, have offered to com-The Kiel Observatory has found another planet. This is the fifteenth found

A mass meeting at Buda-Pesth adopted resolutions favoring Hungarian inde-

The Nicaraguan Congress is discussing the proposition to declare war against Honduras.

The foot and mouth disease has broken out in the Berlin cattle market, and all removals of cattle have been prohibited. The Brazilian Minister at Paris has denied the truth of the report that there has been fighting in Rio Grande do Sul. Pelsall, a charming Staffordshire vil-lage, is in danger of disappearing through a subsidence caused by mining opera-

The talk of lower wages for coal min-ers in England has occasioned threats that not a pound of coal will be mined

The oil industry has changed Baku from a village to a large, flourishing town. The Baku oil refinery is the largest in existence.

A plot to overthrow President Socaga of Nicaragua has been frustrated by means of information given by the wife of one of the conspirators. The Congo Free State authorities have organized an expedition having for its object the repression of the traffic carried on by Arab slave dealers.

A number of the famous Oldenburg carriage horses will be sent to the Chi-cago Exhibition. This is the most noted breed of horses in all Germany.

The Pope has informed the French Bishops of his decision to crown his Episcoral jubilee by the beatification of the French heroine, Joan of Arc. The boundary question between Chili and Argentina has been delayed in its settlement, Argentina wishing to con-sult Congress before signing a treaty.

The Italian government has just sent the German Emperor a magn ficent al-bum containing photographs and pict-ures of every ship in the Italian navy. It is the law in Denmark that every drunken man shall be taken to his home in a carriage provided at the expense of the saloonkeeper who sold him the last

A French snarchist named Barnard pected of having caused the explosions at the Palace Antici Mattei and the Pal-

The Social Democrats in Germany have decided not to observe May day, giving as a reason the impoverished condition of the workingmen throughout the Empire. Several cases of cholers have appeared in a convict prison in Moscow. Russia. The Provincial Council has voted 300,000

The police authorities of Birmingham have served notices upon the small shop-keepers, informing them that if they continue to trade on Sundays they will

The Mikado has abolished the law in Japan which provided that the author-ities could pick out a man for an unmarried woman of a certain age and compe Chancellor Caprivi refuses to compromise on the German army bill, and an

appeal to the country is very likely to follow the defeat of the measure, which seems now to be certain. Numerous Austrian, German and Prussian Catholics have petitioned the Pope to call an international convention

to use their influence in trying to stop gambling at Monte Carlo. The Chinese government has dispatched 15,000 repeating rifles to the troops on the western frontier in the vicinity of the Pamir, and numerous drill inspectors accompany the trans

The works of the ship canal between the North Sea and the Baltic are being pushed forward with such energy and regularity as to give hope of its being finished in 1895, as originally intended. Bismarck says that all he cares for now is to remain at home with his fam-ily. He rarely visits Berlin, because he has no house there, and he dislikes un-familiar beds and hotel accommodations.

Religious riots have broken out in Amoy. Many native Christians have been tortured, and a few have been killed. An English missionary was attacked by a mob of fanatics, and barely saved his life by flight.

The Corinth canal, which is now approaching completion and is to be opened on April 23 next, was formally commenced on March 27, 1882. The canal is over 3½ miles in length, 68 feet wide on the bottom, 80 feet at the water line and 86 feet deep. The battle of Santa Lucia in Honduras

The battle of Santa Lucia in Honduras is stated to have been the bloodiest one which has taken place during the revolution. One hundred and fifty men were killed on the field, of whom 100 belonged to Villeia's array. General Bonilla has occupied Juticalpa, meeting no resistance. He also captured 500 rifles. The commission at St. Petersburg, appointed to define the term "territorial waters" as used in the Behring Sea case, has decided that the term applies to all waters within thirty leagues of the coast line. Even at St. Petersburg there is little expectation that this decision will be accepted by any foreign power except perhaps the United States.

## PORTLAND MARKET.

Produce. Frait. Rec.
Wheat—Valley, \$1.12½; Walla Walla, \$1.05 per cental.
FLOUR—Standard, \$3.30; Walla Walla, \$3.50; Graham, \$2.90; Superfine, \$2.50 per barrel.
Oars—Choice, 43@45c per bushel; fair, 40c; rolled, in bags, \$6.25@6.50; barrels, \$6.50@6.75; cases, \$3.75.
HAY—Best, \$11@13.50 per ton; common, \$9.00@10.00.
Milleture—Bran, \$16@17; shorts, \$19 20; ground barley, \$23@24; chop feed, \$18 per ton; whole feed barley, \$0@85c per cental; middlings, \$23@24 per ton; brewing barley, \$0@95c per cental; middlings, \$23@24 per ton; brewing barley, \$0@95c per cental; chicken wheat, \$1.10 per cental.
BUTTEZ—Oregon fancy creamery, 27½@30c; fancy dairy, 22½@25c; fair to good, 17½@30c; common, 12½@15c per pound; pickle roll butter, 30@35c per roll; California, 40@45c per roll.
CHESSE—Oregon, 16c per dozen.
POULTEY—Chickens, mixed coops, \$4.00 4.50; old hens, \$5.00@5.50; old roosters, \$4.00@4.50; dressed chickens, 16@18c per pound; ducks, \$6.50@7.50; geses, \$10.00@11.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 16@17c; dressed, 18@19c per pound.
Vegetablez—Cabbage, \$1.50@1.65 per cental; onions, \$1.75@2.0); cut onions, 75@90c; potatoes, \$1.00 for Garnet Chuis; \$1.25 for Burbanks; Oregon turnips, 75@90c per sack; sweet potatoes, \$2.50@4.00 per cental; cauiiflower, 90c per per dozen, \$2.75 per cate; celery, 90c per dozen; artichokee, 85c per dozen; lettuce, 40c per dozen; saparagus, 20c per pound; paranips, 85c per sack; beets, \$1.25 per sack; radishes, 25c per dozen; lettuce, 40c per dozen; saparagus, 20c per pound; paranips, 85c per sack; beets, \$1.25 per sack; radishes, 25c per dozen; lettuce, 40c per dozen; saparagus, 20c per pound; paranips, 85c per sack; beets, \$1.25 per sack; radishes, 25c per dozen; lettuce, 40c per dozen, \$6.00@5; bananas, \$2.50@4.00 per bunch; oranges, seedlings, \$2.00@2.75 per box; naveis, \$3.00@3.50; cranberries, \$12.50 per barrel; applies, \$1.50@20; per box.

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Honey Oregon 16@20c

Staple Grocertes.

Honex — Choice comb, 15@17c per pound; new Oregon, 16@20c,

SALT—Liverpool, 200s, \$25.50; 100s, \$16.50; 50s, \$17.50; stock, \$10.50@11.50. Darso Faurra—Petite prunes, 10@12c; silver.11@14c; Italian,12@14c; German, 10@11c; plums, old, 5@6c; new, 7@9c; appies, 6@11c; evaporated apricots, 15@16c; pesches, 12@16c; pears, 7@11c per pound. per pound. Rics—Island, \$4.75@5.00; Japan, \$4.75

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COPFEE—Costa Rica, 22c; Rio, 22c; Saivador, 21½c; Mocha, 26½@30c; Java, 24½@30c; Arbuckle's, Midland, Mokaska and Lion, 100-pound cases, 25 35-100c per pound; Columbia, same, 24 85-100c.

Brans—Small white, 3½c; pink, 3c; bayos, 3½c; butter, 3½c; limas, 3½@4c per pound.

Syrur—Eastern, in barrels, 40@55c; half-barrels, 42@57½c; in cases, 35@80c per gallon; \$2.25 per keg. California in barrels, 20@40c per gallon; \$1.75 per keg.

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SUGAR—Net prices: D, 4c; Golden C,
4½c; extra C, 4½c; Magnolia A, 4½c;
granulated, 5½c; cube crushed and powdered, 5%c; confectioners' A, 5½c per pound; maple sugar, 15@16c per pound.
CANNED Goods—Table fruits, assorted quoted \$1.75@2.00; peaches, \$1.85@2.10;
Bartlett pears, \$1.75@2.00; plums, \$1.37½
@1.50; strawberries, \$2.25@2.45; cherries, \$2.25 ž; raspberries, \$2.40; pineappies, \$2.25@ 2.90; apricots, \$1.65@2.00. Pie fruits: Assorted, \$1.20; peaches, \$1.25; plums, \$1.10@1.20; blackberries, \$1.25@1.40 per dozen. Pie fruits, gallons — Assorted, dozen. Pie fruits, gallons — Assorted, \$3.15@3.50; peaches, \$3.50@4.00; apricots, \$3.50@4.00; plums, \$2.75@3.00; blackberries, \$4.25@4.50. Vegetables; corn, \$1.50@1.75; tomatoes, \$1.10@1.15; sugar peas, \$1.00; string beans, 95c per dosen. Meats: Corned beef, 1s, \$1.50; 2s, \$2.40; chipped beef, \$2.55@4.00; lunch tongue, 1s, \$4.00; 2s, \$6.75; deviled ham, \$1.75@1.85 per dozen. Fish: Sardines, \$4.8, 75c@\$2.25; \$4.8, \$2.15@4.50; lobsters, \$2.30@3.50; salmon, tin 1-lb. talls, \$1.25@1.50; fiats, \$1.75; 2 lbs., \$2.25@2.50; \$4.60.

21bs., \$2.25@2.50; % bbl., \$5.50.

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Beef-Prime steers, \$3.85@4.25; choice steers, \$3.75@4.00; fair to good steern, \$3.00@3.50; good to choice cows, \$3.15@3.50; common to medium cows, \$2.50@2.75; dressed, \$4.50@2.00.

MUTTON—Choice, \$4.50@4.75; fair to good, \$4.00@4.50; dressed, \$8.00; lambs, \$4.00@4.50; dressed, \$8.00; lambs, \$4.00@4.50; dressed, \$8.00.

Hogs—Choice heavy, \$7.00@7.25; medium, \$8.50@6.75; light and feeders, \$6.25@6.50; dressed, \$7.00.

Vali—\$4.00@7.00.

Shoked Masars — Large ham, 17@17%c; medium ham, 17%@18%c; breakfast bacon, 17@18c; short clear sides, 14%@15%c; dry salt sides, 13%@14c per pound.

Land—Compound, in tins, 14%c; pure, in tins, 16@17%c; Oregon, 11%@12%c per pound.

Miscellaneous.

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NAILA—Base quotations: Iron, \$2.75; steel, \$2.75; wire, \$2.50.per keg.

IRON—Bar, 23/4c per pound; plg iron, \$23@25 per ton.

STREE.—10/4c per pound.

Tin—I. C. charcoal, 14x20, prime quality, \$8.50@9.00 per box; for crosses, \$2 extra per box; I. C. coke plates, 14x20, prime quality, \$7.50@8.00 per box; tern plate I. C., prime quality, \$6.88@7.00; 14x20, \$14.00.

Lana—43/c per pound; bar, 63/c.

14x20, \$14.00.

LEAD—43% per pound; bar, 63%c.

SHOT—\$1.80 per sack.

HORSSHOES—45.

NAVAL STORES—Oakum, \$4.50@5; bale; resin, \$4.80@5 per 480 pounds; t Stockholm, \$13.00; Carolina, \$9.00; barrel; pitch, \$6.00 per barrel; turpe tine, 65c per gallon in carload lots. Bare and Sugging Bars and Barging.

Burlaps, 7-os., 40-inch, net cash, 6c burlaps, 10-os., 40-inch, net cash, 7c burlaps, 12-os., 44-inch, 7%c; burlaps, 15-os., 60-inch, 11%c; burlaps, 20-os., 76 inch, 14c. Wheat bags, Calcutta, 28x36 spot, 6%c; two-bushel oat bags, 7c.

A horseshoe has been patented in Canada which is provided with removable calks. These calks are easily removable, and when they require sharponing calks may be put in in about five minutes. Two sets are kept on hand, one sharp and the other dall; this effects a gre saving. The shoe has tapered dovetail recesses, in which the tapered shank of the calk fits.—New York Telegram.

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