After the Cooling Process.

Don't cool off ton quickly after being in an everheated room. If you do, you will need St. Jacobs Oil to cure Lumbago, which sets in very often after the cooling recess. ter the cooling process. At relaxes the atiffened muscles.

Biggs—How is your daughter coming on with nex music?

Bogge—I don't know whether she is improving or whether I am getting used to it, but I can stay in the house now while she is practicing.—Puck.

## "Evil Dispositions Are Early Shown."

Just so evil in the blood comes out in shape of scrofula, pimples, etc., in children and young people. Taken in time it can be eradicated by using Hood's Sarsaparilla. In older people, the aftermath of irregular living shows itself in bilious conditions, a heavy head, a foul mouth, a general bad feeling.

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Blood Poison—"I lived in a bed of fire for years owing to blood poisoning that followed small pox. It broke out all over my body, itching intensely. Tried doctors and hospitals in vain. I tried Hood's Sarsaparilin. It helped. I kept at it and was entirely cured. I could go on the house-tops and shout about it."—Mrs. J. T. WILLIAMS, Carbondale, Pa.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Rice Cultivation in Bussia

While rice has long been grown in Persia and the Trans-Caucasus, it was almost unknown in the interior of Russia up to 1886, the supply being subjected to high duty, its use was naturally confined to the wealthier classes. Russia first commenced the cultivation of rice in the early 80s, and in 1888 the first steam rice-cleaning factory was opneed at Baku, and 1,612 tons were produced the first year. There has been a steady increase in the production of rice, and there are now five rice-cleaning factories in operation, and the annual product is more than 48,000 tons. The demand for rice has increased, and it is now generally used by the peasants throughout the empire. The quality of the native product is squal to that of the imported article. The residue is utilized, the broken grain being made into starch and the flour is given to hoga.—Scientific

A handy hitching post has a spring drum inserted in the top, on which is wound a cord with a snap hook at the outer end for attachment to the bridle, the spring nulling the rope into the nost when not in use.

Milan has a curiosity in a clock which is made entirely of bread. The maker is a native of India and he has devoted three years of his time to the construction of this curiosity. The well.

## AN OPERATION AVOIDED.

Mrs. Rosa Gaum Writes to Mrs. Pinkham About it. She Says:

DEAR MRS. PINEHAM:-I take pleasure in writing you a few lines to in-form you of the good your Vegetable Compound has done me. I cannot thank you enough for what your medi-cine has done for me; it has, indeed,

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me but to go under an operation.

In speaking with a friend of mine about it, she recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, say-ing she knewit would cure me. I then ent for your medicine, and after taking three bottles of it, the tumor disappeared. Oh! you do not know how much good your medicine has done me I shall recommend it to all sufferwomen -- Mrs. Rosa Gaum, 720

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### NEWS OF NORTHWEST

A Budget of General News Gathered in Several Pacific Coast

Abandoned by Their Guides.

Francis A. Holterman, who has arrived at Seattle from Copper river.
Alaska, tells a story of the fortunate reacts of himself and son by a missionary after they had been abandoned by Indians whom they had employed to guide them to the coast. Holterman, with his soo, Bernard, James Morris and Anglo Jenkins, were prospecting on the Altsek river. Their provisions were reduced to a six days supply, and they arranged with a party of Indians to guide them to Yakutat, about 50 miles down the coast. The Indians compelled them to leave their baggage behind. It was appropriated by the Indians. After taking Helterman and his party down the

Holterman and his party down the coast a short distance the Indian guides deserted them in the expectation that

Spain. It formerly flew from the mast of one of the Spanish vessels sunk in the harbor of Manila, on May I last by Admiral Dewey's fleet, and bears card with the inscription: "Compliments of the gunners of the United States flagship Olympia, May 1, 1848, to G. B. Lane, mayor, from T. P. Toohey." The pennant is 30 feet in length, and varies in width from half

Invalld Warrant Indebte-Recently the local city officials and property-owners of Cheney, Wash., were greatly stirred up over threats were greatly stirred up over threats made by owners of Cheney warrants to ask that a receiver be appointed for the city. Attorney F. C Robertson, of Spokane, has been engaged to furnish an opinion concerning the validity of the city's obligations. His report was made to the city officials. He contends that the \$10,000 bonded debt and about \$5,000 of the \$34,000 warrant debt is valid. He further asserts that under the constitution of the state the under the constituton of the state the \$29,000 invalid warrant indebtedness cannot be validated at a special elec-tion, as it would be beyond the consti-

Some years ago, says the Walla Walla Statesman, the raising of Fife wheat was all the rage among farmers, and many carloads were imported from Dakots, as No. 1 Fife always held the top price in the market, as it contained a larger percentage of gluten than our wheat. But of late years millers do not care for it, and winter Fife is quoted I cent below club or bluestem; still it is a good winter wheat, as there is little danger of its freezing out. Scotch Fife is still used as a mixture for export.

Pacoma, Wash., Baptists are making preparations to receive the returning delegates to the San Francisco meeting in May. A reception committee has been named and an effort is to be made to induce a large portion of the Eastern lelegations to receive the returning straights, \$3.25; California brands, \$3.25; buckwheat flour, \$3.50; graham, per barrel, \$3.60; whole wheat flour \$3.75; rye flour. delegations to return by way of Ta-coma. E. E. Rosling and Rev. William E. Randall, who are named on the reception committee, will go to San Prancisco and will endeavor to induce the delegates to come home by way of the Sound. It is believed many of them will do so.

Close Season on the Columbia. Fish Commissioner McGuire, of Oremissioner Little, of Washington, stating that he had reconsidered his intention not to aid in enforcing the closed season law on the Columbia river, and would use every possible means to see that the provisions of the law were carried out. This undoubtedly means that he will put a patrol-boat on the river. It not, Mr. McGuire, whose authority under the decisions of the courts extends from shore to shore, will enforce the law on both sides of the river.

L. Harding, of Colfax, Wash., in-ventor of the Harding differential rolls system, has been successful in interestng the big machinery firm of Edward P. Allis Company in his patent. A 2,000-barrel mill is being manufactured seing these rolls, for which a good roayity is paid. The system has had a thorough and successful test in the Colfax mills, of which Mr. Harding is head miller, and the prospects are bright for the success of the process,

Last Note Paid.

The last of many long-standing promisory notes against the First Methodist church of Spokane, has been settled. Within 15 minutes during a Sunday morning service, recently, \$200 was collected with which to meet the obligation. With the exception of the church mortgage and a few triffing current accounts the church is now entirely out of debt.

Klamath's Means of Transportation. Klamath county, Or., has three steamboats and one naptha launch and no railroad, except a logging road.

The Tacoma registrations book show a total registration of 4,354, a notable lecrease over the total for 1898 and 1897. A year ago there were 5,454 voters registered for the spring election, and at the councilmanic election two years ago, the total vote was 4,559.

A mountain lion was killed recently four miles from Prairie City, Grant county, Or., the savage beast measur-ing 7% feet from the nose to tip of the

It is annouced that a small smelter soon to be erected on the Uncle Sam mine, near Boseburg, Wash. This smelter is to be built by the capitalists owning and operating the mine, and probably will cost between \$15,000 and ley, \$12@18; alfalfa, \$11@12 per ton; \$20,000. The smelter will be of sufficient capacity to handle 100 tons per day. It is suggested by the owners that the day is coming when every mine will have a smelter.

\$20,000. The smelter will be of sufficient, 40@70c per bale.

Potatoes—Early Rose, \$1.00@1.10;

Oregon Burkanks, \$1@\$1.80; river Burbanks, 75c@\$1; Salinas Burbanks, will have a smelter.

A license to marry was issued to David Holl and Mrs. Ella Young, at Oolfax. Mr. Hull is a farmer, and has undoubtedly passed "three score years and tea." He created much amusement among the clerks in the auditor's office when told that he would have to have a witness to testify

would have to have a witness to testify to his age, and that of the prospective bride, by declaring: "They didn't have to do that 50 years ago." When called upon to pay \$3 for the license he kicked and declared; "They only cost \$2.50 years ago."

To Guard National Parks. At the request of the secretary of the interior, the secretary of war has directed General Shafter, commanding the department of California, to send one troop of cavalry to the Yosem one troop of cavalry to the Yosemite park and one to the Sequola and General Grant parks in California, to protect from destruction or injury by preventing trespassing either by cattle or sheep herders or timber thieves. Two troops of the Fourth cavalry, now at the Presidie, San Francisco, have been selected for this duty.

The Spanish battle-flag and pennant presented to Olympia, Wash., by the United States cruiser Olympia have at length arrived at Washington's capital city. The flag is made of heavy bunting, and is 1027 feet in dimensiona. In the center is the coat-of-arms of Spain. It formerly flaw from the mant United States. It is stated that evidences of the original Russian boundary line inscribed on a series of old mounds, which, if established, will place the Klondike country within the United States. It is stated that United States Consul McCook, at Dawson, will communicate with the Washington authorities regarding the matter.

Fruit and Hope All Right. Fruit inspector A. H. Brown, of Washington, has returned to Seattle from a tour made in various parts of the county. He reports aplendid pros-pects for fruit and hops. So far, noth-ing has been hurt by frosts, and the

Senttle Markets. Onions, 80c@\$1.10 per 100 peun Potatoes, \$28@30. Beets, per szck, \$1. Turnips, per sack, 50@75c. Carrots, per sack, 40@60c. Parsnips, per sack, 75@85c. Cauliflower, 90c@\$1.00 per dos. Celory, 85@40c.

Cabbage, native and California \$2 per 100 pounds. Apples, 60c@\$1 per box. Pears, 50c@\$1.50 per box.
Prunes, 50c per box.
Butter—Creamery, 26c per pound;
dairy and ranch, 15@20c per pound.

Eggs, 15c.
Cheese—Native, 12 1/2 @18c.
Poultry—Old hens, 14c per pound;
spring chickens 14c; turkeye, 16c.
Fresh meats—Choice dressed beef
steers, prime, 8 1/2 c; cows; prime,
8c; mutton, 9c; pork, 7c; vesl, 6 @8c.
Wheat—Feed wheat, \$20.
Outs—Choice, per ton, \$25.

Oata—Choice, per ton, \$25. Hay—Puget Sound mixed, \$7.00 @ 8; choice Eastern Washington timothy, \$12.00.

Corn-Whole, \$28.50; cracked, \$24; feed meal, \$28.50.

shorts, per ton, \$16.
Feed—Chopped feed, \$21@32 per ton; middlings, per ton, \$17; oil cake meal, per ton, \$35.

gray, 41@42c per bushel. Barley—Feed barley, \$22.50; brow-ing, \$24.00 per ton, Millstoffs—Bran, \$17 per ton; mid-

dlings, \$22; shorts, \$18; chop, \$16.00

Hay—Timothy, \$8@9; ctover, \$7 @8; Oregon wild hay, \$6 per ton. Butter—Fancy creamery, 50@55c; seconds, 45@50c; dairy, 40@45c store, 25@30c. Cheese-Oregon full cream, 12 1/0;

Young America, 15c; new cheese, 10c per pound. Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$3@4

per dozen; hens, \$4.00@5.00; springs, \$1.25@3; geese, \$5.00@7.00 far old, \$4.50@5 for young; ducks, \$5.00@5.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 15@ 16c per pound.

Potatoes-\$1@1.25 per sack; sweets,

Vegetables-Beets, 90c; turnips, 75 per sack; garlic, 7e per pound; cab-bage, \$1@1.25 per 100 pounds; cauliflower, 750 per dozen; parenips, 750 per sack; beans, 3c per pound; celery, 70@75c per dozen; cucumbers, 80c per

Onions—Oregon, 50@12c; mohair,

See per bound.

Onions—Oregon, 50@70c per sack.

Hops—8@14c; 1897 crop, 4c.

Wool—Valley, 10@12c per pound;

Eastern Oregon, 8@12c; mohair,

Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 4c; dressed mutton, 71/c; epring lambs, 7 ½c per lb.

Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, \$4.25;
light and feeders, \$2.50@8.00; dressed,

\$5.00@5.50 per 100 pounds. 5@6%c per pound.

San Francisco Market. Wool—Spring—Nevada, 10@12c per pound; Oregon, Eastern, 10@12c; Val-ley, 15@17c; Northern, 9@11c. Millstuffs-Middlings, \$21@28.00;

bran, \$20.00@21.00 per ton. Onions—Silverskin, 50@90c per sack, Butter — Fancy creamery, 21@22c; do seconds, 20@21c; fancy dairy, 19c; do esconds, 16@17c per pound. Eggs — Store, 14c; fancy ranch

Hope-1898 crop, 15@160. Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencis, \$2 @2.50; Mexican limes, \$5.50@6; Cali-

fornia lemons, 75c@\$1.25; do choice,

They are Asked to Trust the United States.

HOME RULE PROMISED THEM

Protection of the United States Is Not to Be Exercised in a Spirit of Tyranny-America's Obligations.

New York, March 24 .- The Journal's Manila correspondent cables today that the address to the natives of the Philippine islands, drafted by the Ameri-can commission, in behalf of the Unit-ed States government, and embodying the views of the president, has been made public. After being translated into all the native dialects, it is to be disseminated throughout the archi-

The address assures the Filipines of the intention of the Americans to de velop powers of self-government in the people. It explains that the Ameri-cans have assumed international obliga-tions which would make them respons-ible to the whole civilized world for the stable government of the Philip-

The commission, it is explained, i The commission, it is explained, is to interpret to the natives the purposes and intentions of the president toward them, and also suggests the establishment of such government as shall suit the capacity and requirements of the Filipinos and be consistent with the interests of the United States. The protection of the United States is not to be exercised in any spirit of tyranny or vengeance; but, having destroyed lateness of the season makes it pretty sure that no damage will result from this cause.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Pacific Warkste. place their trust in the government that emancipated them from the op-

pression of Spain.

The majority of the commissioners incline toward giving the Filipines a sort of tribal or provincial local auton-omy, under a central government, which shall be military until a purely aivil system is proved to be feasil

NEWS OF HAVANA.

Cuban Assembly Will Probably Dis-

Havana, March 24 .- The military assembly, owing to the absence of a quorum, held no meeting today. The feeling is now that, as it is clearly im-possible for the assembly to raise funds for the use of the army, the most logical course, all things considered, would be to disband the army and dissolve. A motion to this effect will undoubtedly be made soon, and will provoke a hot contest. The Cuban generals, Diaz, Monteaguedo, Robau, Nodarse, Betancourt and Peraza, held another ecret meeting tonight. It is suppose that, having consulted their commands, they are now ready to take the side of General Gomez against the assembly.

to confiscate all revolvers carried by civilians, and already the results are a large collection of miscellaneous arms. At 8 o'clock this afternoon the tem perature in Havana was 81 degrees.

General Weyler's decree suspending executions upon judgments will expire with the present month, and the situation, especially regarding mortgages, is somewhat complicated. Creditors and debtors alike, in anticipation of the meal, per ton, \$36.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 57c; Valley, 59c; Bluestem, 60c per bushel.

Flour—Best grades, \$3.20; graham, \$2.65; superfine, \$2.15 per barrel.

Oats—Choice white, 43@44c; choice issued on or before March \$1.

POWDER WORKS BLEW UP.

Three Men Killed and Several Hurt at

Penn Grove, N. J., March 24 .- Over 8,000 pounds of smokeless powder ex-ploded today at the E. I. Dupont pow-der works, instantly killing three workmen and injuring a number of others slightly.

The shock from the explosion shook the country for miles around, and in this town heavy panes of glass were broken in many houses. The drying house and the storehouse were demolished, and other small buildings about the works damaged. Francis Dupont and his nephew were at work in the laboratory at the time of the explosion and were elightly injured by pieces of glass, but personally directed the care of the other injured and the recovery of the dead. The works have been running on large government orders for amokeless powder. The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

Fate of the Spanish Erisoners. New York, March 24.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: Major-General Otis and the other members of the Philippine commission will decide whether or not the ransom of the Spanish prisoners held by Aguin-aldo is to be permitted. As a result of representation by Ambassador Cambon and the National Red Cross Society, showing the deplorable condition of the prisoners, General Otis will be Beef-Gross, top steers, 8.50@\$3.75; the prisoners, General Otis will be cows, \$2.50@3.00; dressed beef, given power to act after advising with ociates on the commission.

> Conference at Rome Rome, March 24 .- The Chinese ambassador, Sir Chih Telien, had a pro-longed interview today with Admiral Canevaro, minister of foreign affairs, presumably regarding the Italian demand for a concession at San Mun bay.

Rome, March \$4.-It is understood that the Chinese minister has informed the Italian government that China ab-solutely refuses to grant the demands of Italy for concessions at San Mun

Berlin, March 24.—A petition was received at the foreign office here today, signed by all the Germans in Samoa, protesting vehemently against the rethe further maintenance of the Berlin reaty, which is characterized as onger bearable.

Chicago, March 24.-A special comwill have a smelter.

Smallpox has made its appearance a Spokans, but it is thought that the lieuses can be held in check.

Burbanks, 75c@\$1; Salinas Burbanks, mittee appointed to confer with the Great Northern leaves for St. Paul tomorrow. The result, it is said, will largely determine the question of peace or war in transcontinental and Western pound. mittee appointed to confer with the Great Northern leaves for St. Paul to-

Many must have noticed that in winter time the sky seems to lack the
roominess and lofty arching of summer. It appears only cloudy, or partiafly cloudy, days to be nearer the
earth than is the case on similar days
during the summer months. That
this appearance is no figurent of the
imagination is shown by recent inventigations made at the Upania obervatory on the elevation of clouds. It
is found that all varities of clouds float
at a much greater altitude in summer
than in winetr. The months of great
elevation, at least in Sweden, are
June and July.—Youth's Companion.

"Was Beatrice weeping because her husband had appendicitie?" "No, she wept because he didn't get it antil it was out of style."—Chicago Evening News.

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Little Courtestes.

There is something luminous about a child's definition. Every American will agree with the little lad in a board stion on Scripture subjects, gave an original answer to the question: "What can you tell me about Moses!"

"Please, sir, he was a gentleman," "Please, sir, when the daughters of Jethro went to the well to draw water, the abepherds came and drove them away, and Moses helped the daughters of Jethro, and said to the shephords, "Ladies first, please, gentlemen."

Judging the Man.

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Judging the Man. "They say Jobson has inherited \$10,-

"That must be a mistake."

"What makes you think so?"
"I saw him less than an hour ago
and he was perfectly sober."—Chicago
Evening News.

In Doubt. Ethel—Did Will seem to be nervous onghi to shave off your goates before you ever eat another soft-boiled egg.

Somehow the world seemed dark and dreary to him after that.—Chicago Evening News.



TRADE MARK.) Swanson Rhemmatic Cure Co., Chicage, Gentlemen:—I thought that I would write you a statement and tell you how I have got along since I have used your "o DitOre." I must say that I am unitely well once more, thanks to your wonderful remedy. It has accomplished more good from the sample bottle and the dollar bottle than the thirty dollars' worth of medicine I have used of other manufacturers. I tried all kinds of medicine I saw shrerised for Shlemmatism but could not get any relief from the draudful suffering till I got a sample bottle of your "o DROPS," and after taking the same for a few days I begin to have less of those severe pains recting through my body. After I got the sample bottle most used up I could begin to rest some every night; after I had used about half the dollar bottle them all my pains left use. Ohi, what a counfort it was when I could sleep again at night without any more suffering. I am to thankful to you and your "o DROPS" that I cannot flad words enough in praise of your wonderful remedy for the cure of Rhemmatism, and I can safely recommend it to all suffering humanity and say that they cannot purchase any n anfely recommend it to all suffering humanity and sy that her cannot purman a random "B D&OP" for all their ids. Thanking you, gentlemen, for all your kindness in, forever, your friend, "B. M. LiFS, Purterfield, Wis., Feb. 18, 1998.

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