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On his H. E. No. 823, for the 814 NW4, Nl4 SW4, Sec. 22, T. 35 Sa, R. 3 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and emittvation of said land, viz: Prannis Tungate, George Beall and Joseph Geoport, of Big Butte, Oregon, and Phillip R. Sjanley, of Medford, Oregon.

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In 1850 there were but 254 daily papers in the United States. In 1900 the number had increased to 1902 to 15.681.

The greatest depth of the sea recorded is in the waters of the there being 27,930 feet and nearly equalling the aititude of the highest mountain in the world.

The locomotives first used on

isbury in the house of lords is as | ing to locate it. follows: Edward the Seventh, by the grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of British Dominione Beyond the Sea, King, Defender of the Faith and Emperor of India."

It is told of a preacher that raising his eyes from his deak in the middle of his sermon, was paraly zed with amazement to see his little son in the gallery pelting the hearers below with horse chestnuts. But while the good man was preparing a frown of reproof, the young hopeful cried out: "You 'tend to your preaching daddy; I'll keep 'em awake.

An ingenious Austrian inventor has just patented a speaking clock, which he claims will be of the great est value to persons of forgetful and irregular habits. It consists of a clock phonograph comb.nation. In place of the usual striking attachment is a phonograph which can be set to speak a sentence at any time desired, thus becoming an unfailing reminder to its owner, of the duties of any hour.

The Detroit Medical Journal is authority for the statement that a new fruit promises to play an 1mportant part in the fruit trade. The fruit is called the Mangosteen. It is a native of the Moluccas and is cultivated extensively in the West Indies, Ceylon, Java and Jamaica. It is a little smaller than the orange, but a snow white flesh, and the flavor of its juice is a blending of the pine apple, nectarine and ble health, in age, is not high and attempting and the pine apple. ange, but a snow white flesh, and

strawberry.

The Japanese statistical report shows that the United States in 1893 exported products to Japan to the value of 6,000,000 yen. In 1900, the value of our exports to that country amounted to 60,000, 000 yen. In 1893 the United States are valued as the sixth learner of the value o States ranked as the sixth largest exporter of products to Japan, while in 1900 the United States was sec ond, being preceded only by Great

A Berlin newspaper publishes some curious details respecting the letter bags of the principal Eurothe first place, as he receives every day from 22,000 to 23,000 letters and newspapers. King Edward VII comes next, with 3000 newspapers and 1000 letters. The czar and the German emperor receive each from 600 to 700 letters, appeals, etc.; the king of Italy 500, and Queen Wilhelmina from 100 to 150.

The Missouri egg factory of Springfield handles about 50,000 dozen eggs a day, all of which are candled before entering the factory.

About three wagon loads of eggs

About three wagon loads of eggs engine.

are rejected each day and hauled outside of the city limits where they are dumped. A man living near the dumping ground has collected enough chickens hatched by the weather from eggs thus thrown away to stock a chicken farm. Every day for a month or more he has been carrying a number of chickens home from the dumping gound, where they had been hatched by the unprecedented heat.

### NEWS OF THE STAFE.

While being harded into camp for the night, near Athena, a band of sheep can into a big log. Those in the rear kept coming and piled up on the leaders, smothering 99 of them.

Some farmers around Rufus assert 2.200 The weekly press went from that the late frosts of this spring were quite providential, as otherwise they would have been compelled to ren land upon which to plie their grain.

Pacific, east of Japan, the depth Thursday that was carmarked with an "under-bit" on the right and a "swallow" fork on the left ear, says the Grass Valley Journal. We do not know whose brand this is.

We hear of the fortunes made in American railways weighed from mining but seldom of the losses. F. E. 10 to 15 tons. Today the passenger Cabell, a miner, of Granite, Grant engines in general use weigh about County, has filed a petition in bank-70 to 80 tons while the engines in ruptcy in the United States court at freight service weigh about 100 tone. with no assets. The Cabell mine was Portland. His Habilities are \$34,825 06, The title for the new King of one of the richest in the country at one England as proposed by Lord Salfortune was unsuccessfully spent in try-

### WASHINGTON NOTES

Rear-Admiral Howison has written a letter to the navy department denying that he ever said anything unfavorable in regard to Schley and the part he took in the battle of Santiago, and says he is ready to do his duty impartially, as a member of the court of inquiry.

The comptroller of the treasury has rendered a decision regarding the question of a duplicate tax on bank dividends. In this case a certain bank from several other banks. These banks had paid the tax on the dividends de-clared by them and the execution in-volved was whether Cross ginal bank should be required to pay a tax on that part of its income which it had received in dividends from the other banks. The comptroller holds that it was not the intention of congress to assess a dupli

cate tax upon the same income or profits. Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes, in au amendment to a recen circular relative to articles of merchan-dise brought from Porto Rico, states that such articles as are subject to a internal revenue tax when brought to the United States for consumption may be reshipped to a foreign port without the payment of the tax.

The secretary of the interior has received from Lieutenant Bertholf of the revenue cutter service a report of purchases of reindeer made in Siberia for shipment to Alaska during the present summer. He says he has secured 450 young does and 50 bucks, all of the large Tunsus breed, and that he thinks that a contract can be made for 1,500 reindeer for next summer. The deer purchased cost 13 rubles per head in Orla, but the additional expense in keeping, shipping, etc., brings the total cost of the anima's landed in Alaska to about \$30 each.

### For Old Age.

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An Automatle Stoker.

If the experiments that are about to be made by-the Chicago and Alton and the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroads are successful the status of locomotive firemen may be greatly changed. Each of these lines is equipping the engine with an automatic stoker or firing machine. The device practically letter bags of the principal Euro-pean sovereigns. The pape holds ing coal into the fireboxes and distributthe first place, as he receives every ingit. These automatic firing machines are the invention of a practical railroad

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### Noted Hangman insane

It is stated that Amos Lunt, the famous San Quentin hangman, who went mad as a result of his grewsome duties, is dying in the stateasylum for the insane at Napa, California.

The career of Lunt as a bangmara was a remarkable one, and a full history of his life at the prison would read like a ghastly romance. For even years he filled the office of state executioner, and nineteen murderers were hanged by him. It was Lunt wno threw the noose Jack Hickson shot a jack rabbit on about the neck of Theodore Durrant, hastening an execution already unduly prolonged, whilethe murderer from the scaffold was making his protestations of innocence. On this occasion Lunt was reported as being the coolest manin the room, with the possible exception of the condemned man himself.

On other occasions Lunt showed. nerve of iron.

In one morning he hanged threemen and then sauntered from the execution room smoking a cigarette. But despite his apparent utter indifference concerning his work as a man-killer it was known by many of his intimate friends that in secret he brooded over it. Therefore it caused little surprise when on falling into a small fortune about two years ago he promptly resigned bis position.

Some months later he returned o the position and resumed his duties as hangman, although the prospect of arranging the rope on another man seemed to appall him-

He constantly talked about it, and suddenly one morning the iron ne ve snapped and he became a hopeless madman. He was sent to the Napa Insane Asylum, but with a darkening of his brain came a wasting of his body, and it is feared' that only a few days remain before Lunt, the hangman, will face the same hereafter to which he sent so many before nature's appointed

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The Franco-Turkish Difficulty.

By the failure of the Porte to comply with certain demands made by France, strained relations have in consequence existed between the two countries for some time. The Paris Mutin of Aug. 30 says the sultan's first recaliation against France is the publication of an irade withdrawing the concessions and tax exemptions from the French religious Beyrout. The French communities at Jerusalem are also taxed

It is understood that the French government will take no active measures to coerce the sultan until after the exar's visit to France, in order that nothing may occur to mar the festiviplanned in honor of the anniversary of the accession of Abdul Hamid II, which it was intended to give at the Turkish embassy at Paris, was canceled. The minister of war, General Audre, with drew the permission enabling a military orchestra to participate in the celebra-

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