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The Milk Supply Can is low
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**A LITTLE
OF EVERYTHING**
A carload of hogs, averaging 140
pound, were sold in South Omaha,
January 12, at \$6.70 per hundred
pounds.
In Liverpool, January 18, Calif-
ornia Newtowns were selling at 8 to
8s 6d per box; Oregon Newtowns at
10s 6d to 11s per box, and Canadian
and Maine apples at 11s to 14s per
barrel.
Although California buyers are
complaining a good deal of deteri-
oration of Oregon potatoes, our
potatoes continue to bring higher
prices in California than any other
except the Salinas. There is no
doubt, however, that Oregon potato
growers will have to pay more at-
tention to keeping up the quality of
their product.
According to the latest statistical
report received at Washington, the
able bodied force of the United
States, including the regular army,
with the organized and unorganized
militia, foots up nearly twelve mil-
lions. This does not include the
Hawaiian or Philippine Islands in
the count.
There are in the United States
army 100 brigadier generals on the
retired list, each drawing \$4,125 a
year. When we speak of what it
costs to maintain our standing
army, we evidently do not take into
consideration those who have been
able to go wavy back and take a
seat.
The suit of the government
against the Mountain Copper Com-
pany, Ltd., will be called to trial
soon, says the Pacific Coast Miner.
It has been claimed that there has
been damage amounting to \$50,000
on timber on government land, ow-
ing to the destructive effects of
sulphurous acid gas, produced in
large quantities from the roast-piles
and furnaces at the Keswick. Sev-
eral suits against the corporation
have been won recently by private
individuals. The destruction of
vegetation seems, and probably is,
inseparable from copper smelting
plants.

Klamath County Items.
From the Klamath Falls Republican.
It is suspected that Judge Geo.
T. Baldwin, of this place, is in the
Democratic congressional incubator
and that he is apt to be pitted against
the Republican victor in the forth-
coming contest.
Dr. G. W. Stevenson, of Wallawa,
Oregon, arrived here last week to
locate and practice his profession.
His family will join him at this
place later on. He formerly prac-
ticed at Medford and also at Lake-
view and comes here well recom-
mended.
Local efforts are being put forth
to persuade the state legislature to
permit fishing in Klamath County
the year around, under proper re-
strictions. People are now pre-
vented from catching fish at the
time of year when they are the best
to eat. Our streams do not run
through other counties of the state,
and so no other county should be
interested in telling us when or
how long we should fish.
Si. Doten, one of the well known
pioneers of this county, died at his
home in Keno Sunday night, being
aged about seventy five years. The
remains were taken to Yreka, where
the funeral was conducted under
the auspices of the Masonic lodge,
of which he was a member. He
leaves five grown sons and daugh-
ters. Mr. Doten was for many
years engaged in ranching and
cattle-raising in partnership with
John Fairchild and was very pros-
perous. He laid out the town of
Keno nearly twenty years ago and
has lived there since then. He had
many friends, who remember him
with highest respect.

From the Klamath Falls Express.
Ed. Burriss returned Sunday
evening from his initiatory trip
with a band of beef cattle to San
Francisco. Floyd Baldwin, who
accompanied him, went on over to
Williams, Jackson County, to visit
with relatives for awhile.
Harry Langell, of Jacksonville,
was an arrival at Klamath Falls
Friday morning. He left on Mon-
day's stage for Bonanza, where he
will visit with his brother, A. T.
Langell.
Tuesday morning about 5:30 the
citizens of Merrill were aroused
from their slumbers by the cry of
fire. A building, the property of
G. T. Conner and formerly occupied
by M. E. Hutchinson, who con-
ducted a saloon and hotel there,
was ablaze and when discovered
the fire had made such headway
that it was impossible to save the
property. The wind was favorable,
or otherwise almost the entire town
would have been laid in ashes. The
fire is supposed to have started in
the second story, but the cause is
unknown, as the building was un-
occupied at the time. It was quite
a large building, covering consider-
able area, and we understand the
loss is estimated at \$2000. It was
insured for \$600.
Tendency of the Times.
The tendency of medical science is
toward preventive measures. The best
thought of the world is being given to
the subject. It is easier and better to
prevent than to cure. It has been fully
demonstrated that pneumonia, one of
the most dangerous diseases that med-
ical men have to contend with, can be
prevented by the use of Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always
results from a cold or from an attack of
influenza (grip), and it has been ob-
served that this remedy counteracts any
tendency of these diseases toward
pneumonia. This has been fully proven
in many thousands of cases in which
this remedy has been used during the
great prevalence of colds and grip in
recent years, and can be relied upon
with implicit confidence. Pneumonia
often results from a slight cold when
no danger is apprehended until it is
suddenly discovered that there is fever
and difficulty in breathing and pains in
the chest, then it is announced that
the patient has pneumonia. Be on the
safe side and take Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is
contracted. It always cures. For sale
by Chas. Strang.

Book Nothing.
Mrs. Green (who thinks of hiring)—
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trusted?
Mrs. Brown (the girl's former mis-
tress)—You need not be in the least
alarmed. She is perfectly honest. All
the time she was with me I never
knew her to take a thing—not even my
advice as to how things should be
done.
Deep Sea Feelings.
Tomdix—Did you ever cross the
ocean?
Hojax—Yes; once.
Tomdix—What were your feelings?
Hojax—Oh, same as usual. I wanted
the earth.—Kansas City Independent.
Many a man's haste to get ahead to
the world results only in his getting a
headstone before it is due.—Chicago
News.
A Mother's Recommendation.
I have used Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy for a number of years and
have no hesitancy in saying that it is
the best remedy for coughs, colds and
croup I have ever used in my family.
I have no words to express my confi-
dence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A.
Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale by
Chas. Strang.
—This Mail has the news while it is
news.

**WAR AGAIN BREAKS OUT
AMONG SAN FRANCISCO TONGS.**
San Francisco, Feb. 9.—Lo Quong
Duck, a Hop Sing Tong man, was
murdered by an unidentified assassin
at about 10:30 last night. No one
heard the shot or saw the murderer,
except, perhaps, Chinamen, and they
will never tell.
The shooting is a result of the truce
of New Years being declared off a
few days ago by the rival Hop Sing
and Suey Sing Tong. The Hop Sings
seem to be getting the worst of the high-
binder war, which resulted in six
Chinamen being shot during the last
three weeks, one of which is dead.

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pains. Cures Cuts, heals Burns and
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depose and say that I am the Publisher
of THE MEDFORD MAIL, a weekly news-
paper published in the City of Medford,
Jackson County, Oregon; that the num-
ber of Medford Mails printed each
week is 2200, and that this number has
been printed each week for the past
eight months and over.
A. S. BLITON
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 21st day of July, 1902.
J. M. STEWART
Notary Public

**COST OF
THE CANAL**
If the United States finally enters
upon the construction of an inter-
ocean canal over the Panama route,
as now seems probable, it will first
pay to the Panama Canal Com-
pany the vast sum of \$40,000,000.
This payment represents more than
mere right of way of this company;
it represents the work already done
toward digging the vast ditch; the
Panama Railroad, the maps, draw-
ings and records, and a balance
thrown in by way of bonus, but it
is said that the latter item is com-
paratively small, for the ditch al-
ready constructed, according to
official estimates, represents an ex-
penditure of about \$27,000,000, and
the Panama Railroad stock at par
is worth almost \$7,000,000. The
French company will give to this
Government, among other things,
about 30,000 acres of land which,
with land belonging to the railroad
company, cover nearly all the
ground required for the actual
construction of the canal. Something
like 2300 building will fall into the
hands of this Government on con-
clusion of the bargain, among them
being offices, quarters, storehouses,
hospitals, shops, stables and mis-
cellaneous structures. There is an
immense amount of machinery,
consisting of a floating plant of
tugs, launches, dredges, a rolling
plant of locomotives and cars, to-
gether with excavators, cranes,
pumps, etc. In addition to all
this, there is a quantity of survey-
ing and other instruments and mis-
cellaneous supplies.
The official estimate of the time
required to complete the Panama
canal is 10 years, and the estimated
cost is \$184,000,000. The Walker
commission thought it would take
but eight years to build a canal at
Nicaragua. It is estimated that
millions will need to be spent by
the United States engineers in
making Colon, Panama and the
canal route sanitary before much
work can be done. The Panama
fever has cost 100,000 lives, and no
one can live there long under
present conditions. It is thought
that Chinese and negroes will need
to be imported for work in the
ditch, as the climate is too oppres-
sive to permit much labor by
Americans, and the natives will
not work.

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"In three weeks our chubby little
boy was changed by Pneumonia almost
to a skeleton," writes Mrs. W. Wat-
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doctor's treatment for several weeks,
grew worse every day. We then used
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How would you like to have a crab
like this squeezing your toe when you
go bathing? The gigantic Japanese
crab, measuring twelve feet, is prob-
ably the largest crustacean in the world.
The specimen is a type of the spider
crab, which inhabits the waters of the
group of islands forming the empire
of Japan. The body portion is the size
of a half bushel measure, while its
two great arms or "feelers" could easily
encircle the figure of a man. Its
eight arms or legs resemble huge
bamboo poles and are extremely elas-
tic, and if strung into one line they
would reach to the top of a four story
apartment building. One of the ex-
traordinary peculiarities of this crab
is the faculty of assuming a disguise
by affixing pieces of seaweed and
sponges to the body.

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