## **CONSTIPATIO**

Is called the "Father of Diseases." It is caused by a Torpid Liver, and is generally accompanied with LOSS OF APPETITE.

SICK HEADACHE.

BAD BREATH, Etc.

To treat constipation successfully



It is a mild laxative and a tonic to the digestive organs. By taking Simmons Liver Regulator you promote digestion, bring on a regular habit of body and prevent Billiousness and Indigestion.

"My wife was sorely distressed with Constipa-tion and coughing, followed with Bleeding Piles. After loar mouths use of Simmons Liver Regulator she is aimsoit entirely relieved, gaining strength and figsh,"—W. B. LEBFRE, Delaware, Ohio. 'I have used Simmons Liver Regulator for outlineation of my Bowels, caused by temporary interpretation of the Liver, and always with de-ded benefit."—Hirass Wasner, Late Chief

## OCCIDENTAL NEWS.

The Succor mine in Gold Hill (Nev.) district has discovered that the Justice mine has been taking ore from its ground, and a heavy suit for damages is likely to follow.

Rev. David S. Taylor, ex-minister of the First Congregational Church at Sau-salito, Cal., has brought suit against his former congregation for damages amount-ing to \$3,262.50.

The Olive Orchard Company at Sacra-

More complications are developed in the affairs of the failed City Bank at Los Angeles, and a complaint charging fraud has been entered against parties con-nected with the bank. At Victoria, B. C., the Printers' Union

has reduced the scale of newspaper work 10 per cent. Machine hands will get \$22 per week; hand compositors, night, 45 per 1,000; day, 40 cents.

William Young, who threw a lighted oil lamp at Irene Mansfield at Los Angeles, causing death from the frightful burning she received, has been found

The Washington National Bank at Tacoma has been placed in a receiver's hands. An attempt was being made to get it out of the Comptroller's hands when the latter checkmand the hands

The present progress of the Southern Pacific extension justifies the expectation that the road will reach San Luis Obispo in six months and make a through route to the East in six months after that time.

The negligent property owner is to be brought up with a round turn.

Sacramento has voted to use well water instead of water from the Sacramento. Nearly 3,000 votes were polled. The ter instead of water from the Sacramen-to. Nearly 3,000 votes were polled. The water comes from a subterranean stream,

it necessary to practice the most rigid economy in order to keep the institution open during the present financial stringency, and many of the employes have

An English land company, composed of some of the richest men in that government, is to operate in the northern half of the Lower California Peninsula, and extensive public works in the way of irrigation and seaport facilities are to be instituted at an early date. The con-cession comprises 18,000,000 acres, and

ing Tacoma was anti-Chinese, became frightened while being driven from the Portland train to a boat at the wharf at Tacoma at the sight of crowd assembled at a fire. Without waiting to consult the driver of the gurney they cut the straps on the doors and, breaking them open, ran back to the depot and hid. They left their baggage behind.

They left their baggage behind.

At Hot Creek, Nye county, Nev.,
Richard Gluyas, superintendent of the
Hot Creek and Rattlesnake Mining and
Milling Company, an Eastern corporation committed spicide. He went to tion, committed suicide. He went to the mill and set fire to thirty cords of wood, climbed onto it and shot himself.
He was entirely cremated, only two
small pieces of bone and the fragments
of a pistol being found. He left a will
disposing of his property.

In 1872 the exports of prunes from California amounted to nothing. So rapidly has the industry grown since that date that last year the exports of this fruit from California reached 30,-000,000 pounds. Numerous orchards are coming into bearing year by year, and still more are being planted. This as regards California. In conversation with fruitmen from Oregon we find that or-chardists in certain sections of that State have caught the fever and are planting prune trees by tens of thousands. So with Idaho horticulturists. Right and left these same fruit trees are being set out, and as in all these localities named

rescue the steam collier San Pedro, which went ashore near Victoria nearly two years ago. This time the Moran Bros. of Scattle have taken the Moran Bros. of Seattle have taken the matter in charge, and if they find that it will be dro, they will make one final effort to do his years. uthern Pacific Railroad Company, which is the owner of the San Pedro, has, it is said, been in correspond-ence with the Moran Bros, for some time. The company is anxious that the San Pedro shall be saved. She cost nearly If you suffer any loss to

If you suffer and wish to be cur semedy, and if he has not got rummond Medicine Co., Lane, New York, Age,

himns Tabules : for sour stomach.

### BUSINESS BREVITIES.

Over 100 kinds of wine are made i An aluminium bridge over Gibraltan s proposed.

There are 37,000 lady telegraphers in the United States.

New South Wales has over 5,000,000 cres of tin-ore fields. Belgium has 150,000 ouses and 5,000 schools.

Europe has 5,345,000 acres in beets roducing 40,400,000 tons.

Wine clariflers in France use morthan 80,000,000 eggs a year. More than 3,000,000,000 cigarettes were sold in this country last year.

The soldering of glass and porcelair with metals is a novel French process. The average wages paid in the Clyde ship yards are reported at 7 cents per

The State of North Carolina has mined nearly \$10,000,000 worth of gold since

American cotton goods are gradually taking the place of the English product in Hayti.

It costs but 25 cents to transport a ton of coal by water from Buffalo to Duluth, 1,000 miles. The weight of the rail used on the

American roads has been increasing steadily during the last twenty years. Sixty million dollars' worth of leather is required every year to provide boots and shoes for the inhabitants of Great

sent the work of 1,000,000,000 men, or more than double the working population of the earth.

The three Northern States of New England will receive government boun-ties amounting to \$70,000 on this year's maple sugar crop.

The cigarette smokers are doing their best to keep the government in funds. They dropped \$2,000,000 into Uncle Sam's strong box last year.

Chili is the most prosperous agricultural country of South America. There are 7,010,000 acres under cultivation, of which 1,100,000 are irrigated.

The Olive Orchard Company at Sacramento is going in the business on a large scale. A contract to place 11,000 trees on the ground the coming season has been entered into.

In the opinion of the Portland Oregonian this is a good time to pay small debts, as "\$100 will pay \$1,000 of debts in one day if kept moving actively."

The total product of the Mexican silver mines from their opening by the Spaniards to the independence of the country in 1821 was \$2,368,952,000. By the tenth census 23,010,000 inhabitants of the United States were supported by agriculture, 11,520,000 by manufactures and 15,620,000 by com-

earn 8 per cent of the total earnings of the nation, and their farms and stock represent 7 per cent of the national wealth.

Chamberlain, S. D., has the largest artesian well in the world. The flow is 8,000 gallons a minute. The well is eight

Pasadena by popular vote has conferred upon the City Council the right to enforce the planting of shade trees, the proper trimming of hedges and the eradication of weeds from the streets.

A new dredge, said to be the largest in the world, has been put into operation on the Mersey at Liverpool. It is 320 feet in length, and it is calculated that it will raise 24,000 tons of matter daily from the bar at the mouth of the river.

The countries relatively richest in

sheep, Belgium; in hogs, Greece. water comes from a subterranean stream, the source of which apparently is some mountain lake, and is known to have carried live trout in it as far as the wells east of the city.

The bills of the Stanford University are being paid, and back salaries are only remembrances. Mrs. Stanford finds it is a practice, the most rigid

The most important engineering operations now being carried on in the world are the building of the Manchester ship canal, upon which already almost \$50,000,000 have been expended, and the opening of the Iron Gates of the Danube, which will cost when done from \$15,000,000 to \$20,000 for

\$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000. The French government, controlling the pearl islands of the Pacific, has re-cently prohibited the use of diving apparatus by pearl hunters. This is bethe speedy colonization of that rich country will follow.

Seven San Francisco Chinamen, know-little while apparently there would be

## PURELY PERSONAL.

The Belgian King hates music, and whenever a piano is opened he vanishes

Little Queen Wilhelmins of Holland is credited with the possession of a par-ticularly intractable temper, which she

inherits from her disreputable old papa.

Peter Rossegger, the bard of Styria, as Austria's most popular poet is called, and who had a public or rather popular celebration of his 50th birthday recently, is the son of the poorest of peasants Miss Emily Faithful, the well-known English apostle of woman's work, lives in the dreariest part of Manchester. She

is an inveterate smoker of cigars, which alone relieve the asthma from which

Mrs. Lucie C. Carnegie of Pittsburg, sister-in-law of Andrew Carnegie, has given an order to the Maryland Steel Company of Baltimore for a steel steam yacht, which she will use in cruising in

left these same fruit trees are being set out, and as in all these localities named this fruit thrives and yields abundantly, one can imagine the condition of this industry in coming years. Here is something for planters of new orchards to consider.

Acceler attempt way yet be made to

Prince Victor Napoleon, who lives ouietly in Brussels, is a great student of works on the army, military tactics, con-stitutional government and French his-tory during the consulate and the two Emperors. The Prince is now 31 years old, and his demeanor is grave beyond

The Princess Maud, who has always been the favorite of her father, the Prince of Wales, has blossomed out into quite a beauty this season, the foreign correspondents state. The Princess Vic-toria is the useful member of the fam-ily, and plays the part of the peace-

## EASTERN MELANGE.

Huge Hailstones Fall in the State of New York.

RADICAL METHOD FOR RELIEF.

Amount and Mileage of Railroads in the Hands of Receivers at the Present Time.

Grasshoppers are doing great damage to crops in lowa.

A conference of Anarchists is held in Chicago September 15. A Kansas editor boasts of being graduate of the Keeley Institute.

The rate of taxation just fixed in New York is the lowest in thirty years. Active measures are being taken enforce the health laws of Kansas. Another gas well with powerful flow has been struck at Stronghurst, Ill.

R. D. Kathrens, Secretary of a large oil company, says that the supply of pe-troleum in Wyoming is inexhaustible. Railroad Commissioners of Kansas have not yet been able to secure seed wheat for the western part of the State.

There is an organized kick all over Kansas about the celerity with which criminals,
Secretary Hoke Smith has declined to

The Javanese village in Midway Plaisance at the Chicago Fair is unable to meet the exactions of the management of the fair, and will close.

The city of Cleveland has filed a clair to land on the lake front occupied by the Pennsylvania, Lake Shore and Big Four ailroads and worth \$2,000,000.

Rome, N. Y., reports a fall of hail stones weighing one quarter of a pound. Every exposed window was broken and roofs damaged. Rain fell in torrents. The New York Sun has been making

a study of the debts of the various States, and finels that in the last ten years there has been a total decrease of \$10,000,000. W. W. Ogilvie, the milling king of Canada, estimates the yield in wheat in Manitoba and Northwest Canada this year at about twenty bushels per acre, or a total yield of about 19,000,000 bush-

A movement is on foot in South Caro-lina to have John C. Calhoun's body, with the sarcophagus erected over it by the State Legislature some years ago, removed from St. Philip's neglected graveyard in Charleston to Fort Hill, where was his home and where the col-lege he wished for has lately been estab-lished.

Typographical Union No. 16 of Chi ago, including all the large English pa-pers of that city, adopted a radical method for the relief of the unemployed in the shape of a rule, to hold good for five weeks, that none of the regularly employed shall work more than four days each week, putting on "subs" the other three.

The Cherokee Strip will be opened for

The man R. W. Parker, or Wilbur The man R. W. Parker, or Wilbur Prescott Koockogey, who committed suicide at the Grand Hotel, San Francisco, according to a Philadelphia dispatch figured in many scandals in the East. He was convicted of bigamy and sent to the penitentiary for the offense. His mother is wealthy, but was forced to go to France to live, owing to her son's misconduct. He was well known in Philadelphia as "The Count."

## CHICAGO EXPOSITION.

In the Oregon display is an exhibit that attracts much attention. It in-cludes a working model of a gold placer mining outfit. A large amount of gold-bearing dirt is at hand for demonstratput into operation. This exhibit is not surrounded with glass, and it is an amus-ing sight to see people hunting over the sand and dirt for particles or appear-

ances of gold.

Near the north end of the forestry building are shown cross sections of trees from Oregon. There is a yellow fir log six feet in diameter. The yellow fir grows all over the Northwest Coast Range Mountains. It is of superior excellence for ship-building and spars. It ranges from two to ten feet in diameter. A cross section of a trunk of tide-land spruce is shown. It is nine feet nine inches in diameter. The butt was sixteen feet in diameter, the tree being 305 feet high and 300 years old. Great slabs of noble fir, spruce, lovely fir and yellow fir are shown.

Brazil, and S. Suwa, Secretary of the Jap-anese Commission, have through O. S. Whitmore, editor of Hardwood, offered forestry exhibits at the World's Fair to Another gas well with powerful flow has been struck at Stronghurst, Ill.
Governor Turney of Tennessee is out in a proclamation denouncing lynching.
About 12,000 men who were idle in Pittsburg two weeks ago are at work again.

During this year 714,636 silver Treasury notes have been redeemed in silver dollars.

Senator John Sherman has decided to say very little at present upon the money question.

A sea turtle, weighing 1,000 pounds, was captured near Portland, Me., the other day.

Frick, the Carnegie manager at Pittsburg, has had his salary of \$50,000 a year reduced to \$35,000.

Senator Peffer has asked that the salaries of all government officers above \$1,000 a year be reduced.

Atlanta is about to celebrate her fiftieth anniversary. Her population is in close neighborhood of 120,000.

Much dissatisfaction is found with the registration requirement by intending settlers in the Cherokee Strip.

The counties of Western New York report a plague of grasshoppers that is doing much harm to the crops.

Last year the total valuation of the railroads of Kansas was \$50,000,000.

R. D. Kathrens, Secretary of a large oil company, says that the supply of petroleum in Wyoming is inexhaustible.

Pailesed Commissioners ditor of Hardwood, offered for the lectivy of Chicago for a permanent museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other in the tothe city of Chicago for a permanent museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other to the city of Chicago for a permanent museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other to the city of Chicago for a permanent museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other museum. Said Mr. Whitmore the other the subrement be intending the former being one of the large, the former being one of the large and exceptionally well arranged and perfectly classified. Dr. Niederle

# FROM WASHINGTON CITY.

A brief prepared by Judge Advocate-Secretary Hoke Smith has declined to execute asphaltum mining leases on the Indian reservation in Utah. He says it is sliegal.

General Lemiy of the Asy on the Fermi Secretary Hoke Smith has declined to execute asphaltum mining leases on the Indian reservation in Utah. He says it is said the brief contains evidence additional transfer of the recent royal wedding it had a least state base of the recent royal wedding it had a Railroads with a mileage of over 16,000 miles and capital of \$1,000,000,000
a court-martial of the officers connected have gone into receivers' hands in this with the vessel will be ordered by Mr.

Mexicans and citizens of the United States, owing to a change in the course of the river, has taken a serious aspect. The War Department has received a telegram from General Wheaton, commanding the Department of Texas, say

All the members of the administration the Treasury Department official an-nouncement of the several votes as soon as they were flashed across the wires When the first vote was received, which The recent "hunger riots" in New Showed that free coinage at a ratio of 16 York had their comical side. One of the loudest clamorers for bread, who was taken into custody by the police, was searched, and was found to have \$35 in his pockets.

When the first vote was received, which showed that free coinage at a ratio of 16 to 1 was beaten by 102 majority, he said the majority was greater than he had anticipated, and that he would have been satisfied with sixty majority. At the conclusion of all the votes Secretary Carliele stated that he was very much New York's Dock Commissioners have built on several different piers people's pavilions. In these structures iron pillars support the roof, the building being dence. He expressed the hope that the value of the confidence of the c

Dr. Warner's corset factory at Bridgeport, Conn., employs 1,600 women. It
so now is running only part of the time,
but for all of the workwomen who do
not make enough to pay their living expenses Dr. Warner furnishes the meals
until the factory shall be running full
time again.

A movement is on formal would take speedy action on the
silver question. The Secretary added
that the present stringency was not due
to want of money, but to hoarding it
and withdrawing it from business on account of this lack of confidence.

It has been decided impracticable to
let the tariff question go over to the regular session by adjourning Community
time again. the tariff question go over to the regular session by adjourning Congress as soon as the silver question is settled; so work on the tariff bill will soon begin. Chairman Wilson of the Ways and Means Committee hopes to have the bill selection of the ways and almost as described in the forces at Madras, amounted the she is bringing home with her baggage the head and tail of the ferocious Indian tigress that killed her husband.

Naval people in England are beginning to ask whether the ram may not be almost as described. Means Committee hopes to have the bill ready for consideration by the House by November. Another urgent question may have to be considered before this may have to be considered before this. The monetary stringency has caused such a falling off in receipts from internal revenue, customs and other sources that the daily receipts of the government are now falling \$300,000 short of the compulsory expenditures for pensions and the ordinary expenditures of the government. Already there is a deficiency of \$10,000,000 to \$11,000,000 in sight. The \$10,000,000 to \$11,000,000 in sight. The situation cannot be met by economy, as these expenses are obligatory under the law. The alternatives before Congress to meet the situation are limited to three

The Cherokee Strip will be opened for settlers at 12 m. on Saturday, September 16. There are altogether 6,000,000 acres of land to be opened. One-third, or 2,000,000 acres, is arid land, unfit for settlement, leaving 4,000,000 available for homestead purposes. There will be land enough for about 22,000 persons to make selections, and with the town lot squatters, altogether not exceeding 25,000.

## FOREIGN FLASHES.

ing the whole process of panning out the gold, and at stated intervals the plant is

Baron de Marajs, Commissio

Francis Murphy, the well-known temperance advocate, claims that the excessive use of intoxicants is on the decrease.

But 1,000 men are now employed in the Santa Fe shops at Topeka, Kan.
Last year at this time 2,000 men were at work.

There is an organized kick all over Kansas about the selective with which

over the attempt of Mexican officers to drive a flock of sheep from a tract of land on the Rio Grande, claimed by both ing that two troops of the Fifth Cavalry would leave Fort Ringgold for the scene of trouble to support twenty men under Captain Forburt, who have the Mexican officers and sheep in charge.

ook the greatest interest in the vote on

—a new issue of government bonds, an income tax or some such new impost, or an increase of the rate in some of the

partment possesses from \$80,000,000 to \$80,000,000 in gold bullion, which is part of the gold reserve of \$100,000,000. Gold bars cannot be used as currency; so it has been decided in the present need to coin the bullion on hand. The bullion will be sized in \$10,000,000. will be coined into \$10, \$5 and \$2½ gold pieces, preference being given to the was convicted of bigamy and sent to the penitentiary for the offense. His mother is easted, will be between \$5,000,000 and the was convicted of bigamy and sent to the penitentiary for the offense. His mother is wealthy, but was forced to go to France to live, owing to her son's misconduct. He was well known in Philadelphia as "The Count."

Horace Johnson, the Middletown (Conn.) weather prophet, who predicted the recent big storm, says there is another of still greater severity to come between September 5 and 10. He predicted that Miss Braddon at September 5 and 10. He predicted tha

Birmingham, England, has been suc

Trade Greatly Demoralized in British India.

France's Vineyards in a Healthy State-Czar Turns His At-

The reduction in price of the rupee below 1 shilling and 4 pence has greatly demoralized trade in India.

om. Mr. est attention to the making of the railway between Moscow, St. Petersburg
and Siberia.

An Englishman, whose will has just been probated, left \$50,000 to various charities and the remainder of his estate—\$375,000—to Sir Henry Thompson,

The newest fashion among the ladies at St. Petersburg is to arm themselves with long canes when they go abroad. Some of these canes measure six or seven feet in length.

The diadem of the Russian Empress contains 2,538 large diamonds and a single ruby valued at \$400,000. The private te example of the Empress of Austria are levels of the Empre The newest fashion among the ladies

completely recovered from the phyllox-era, and this year's grape crop is report-ed to be the finest that has been gath-ered in thirty-five years.

Lastern, in barrels, 40@55c;
In barrels, 42@57c;
See per gallon; \$2.25 per keg; California, in barrels, 22@50c per gallon; \$1.75 per keg.

The Queen of Italy is taking her usual annual holiday among the Alps. She is attended only by two of her ladies in waiting, and with them she proposes to make an ascent of Monte Rosa. The Italian government is likely to order the suspension of the Catholic pil-grimage to Rome in the event of the cholera in France, Hungary and other countries continuing next month.

Miss Thornton, Queen Victoria's oldest servant, who has been state house-keeper at Buckingham Palace, has just resigned at the age of 80 years. She has been forty years in her Majesty's service. The occurence of two cases of cholera at Northafen, on the canal fed by the Spree, leaves little doubt that the river is infected. The Garrier

is infected. The German government has ordered the closing of all river baths. At Montpelier, France, during mass an elderly lady entered the pew of Jean Jouissant, a prominent lawyer, and shot him four times, killing him. She claimed he had refused to return a sum of money

An agricultural writer reckons the los An agricultural writer recent the loss this year to the English farmer at £2 an acre, which means that the farmers have upward of £70,000,000 less to spend than they would have had if the crops had been up to the average.

Lady Dormer, the widow of the popular General lately in command of the British forces at Madras, announces that

almost as dangerous to the ship which bears it as to the ship rammed. It is most certainly a less trustworthy weapon than most persons have been led to sup-

In London some thousands of women and girls belong to what are called drink clubs, a small sum being paid by each member weekly in order that several times yearly all may meet at some pub-lic house and drink what has been con-tributed.

When Miss Sybil Sanderson was sing

ng at Paris the other day she noticed

child imitating her. As her song died away she listened to the echo of the child's voice, and was so fascinated by its sweetness that she decided to educate The Infanta Eulalia's spun-glass dress The Infanta Eulalia's spun-glass dress, of which an American manufacturing company made her a present while she was the nation's guest, has aroused great curiosity among the ladies of the Spanish Court, who very properly regard it as something very remarkable in the way of feminine attire.

London is to have a tobacco show from September 17 to October 7, a dahlia and giadiola exhibition for three days in the beginning of September, three chrysanthemum shows, one in October and the

PORTLAND MARKET.

WHEAT-Valley, 921/2c; Walla Walla, 821/2c per cental.

HOPS, WOOL AND HIDES.
HOPS—'928, 10@16c per pound, according to quality; new crop, '93s, 15@17c, Wool—Umpqua valley, 14@15c; fall clip, 13@14c; Willamette valley, 10@12c, according to quality; Eastern Oregon, 6@14c per pound, according to condition. WOMAN MURDERS AN ATTORNEY

condition.

HIDES—Dry hides, selected prime, 5@6c; green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c; under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short wool, 30@50c; medium, 60@80c; long, 90c@\$1.25; shearlings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 3@5c per pound.

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FLOUR. FEED, ETC.

FLOUR—Standard, \$3.25; Walla Walla, \$3.25; graham, \$2.75; superfine, \$2.50 per barrel.

OATS—Old white, 40c per bushel; old gray, 36c; new white, 3 c; new gray, 33 (35c; rolled, in bags, \$6.25@6.50; barrels, \$6.50@6.75; cases, \$6.25@6.50; barrels, \$6.50@6.75; cases, \$7.50; shorts, \$20.00; ground barley, \$22@23; chop feed, \$18 per ton; whole feed, barley, 80 (85c per cental; middings, \$23@28 per ton; chicken wheat, \$1.05 per cental.

The reduction in price of the rupes

cessfully operating a storage battery street railway system for over a year.

EGGS—15c per dozen.

FOULTRY—Chickens, old, \$4.50@5.00;
broilers, \$2.00@3.50; ducks, \$4.00@6.00;
geese, \$8.00 per dozen; turkeys, live, 14c
per pound; dressed, none in the market. A guay Exploded on the French cruiser Duguay Truin during target practice at Sydney, N. S. W., killing four men and injuring many.

DRIED FRUITS—Petite prunes, 10@11c; silver, 11@12c; Italian, 13½c; German, 10@11c; plums, 8@9c; evaporated apples, 10@11c; evaporated apricots, 12@15c; peaches, 10@12½c; pears, 7@11c per round.

new Oregon, 16@20c; extract, 9@10c.

Saltr — Liverpool, 100s, \$16.00; 50s, \$16.50; stock, \$8.50@9.50.

Rick—Island, \$4.75@5.00; Japan, ——; The London Times never prints pictures or uses scare heads, but on the day of the recent royal wedding it had a flowery border a quarter of an inch wide around each page.

New Orleans, \$4.50 per cental.

Brans—Small whites, 3%c; prints, 2%c; bayos, 3%c; butter, 4c; lima, 3%c per pound.

Syaur—Eastern, in barrels, 40@55c; butter, 4c; in cases, 35@

BAGS AND BAGGING.
Burlaps, 8-ounce, 40-inch, net cash, 6c; burlaps, 10½-ounce, 40-inch, net cash, 6½c; burlaps, 11½-ounce, 45-inch, 7½c; burlaps, 16-ounce, 60-inch, 11c; burlaps, 19-ounce, 76-inch, 14c; wheat bags Calcutta 23:36 and 8c. bags, Calcutta, 23x36, spot, 8c; 2-bushel oat bags, 73/c; No. 1 second-hand bags, 7c; Calcutta hop cloth, 24-MISCELLANEOUS.

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; terne plate, I. C., prime quality, \$6.50@7.00.

Nails—Base quotations: Iron, \$2.25; steel, \$2.35; wire, \$2.50 per keg.

steel, \$2.35; wire, \$2.50 per keg.

STERL—Per pound, 10\frac{1}{2}c;

LEAD—Per pound, 4\frac{1}{2}c; bar, 6\frac{1}{2}c.

NAVAL STORES—Oakum, \$4.50\infty5.00 per bale; resin, \$4.80\infty5.00 per 480 pounds; tar, Stockholm, \$13; Carolina, \$9 per barrel; pitch, \$6 per barrel; turpentine, 65c per gallon in car lots.

IRON—Bar, 2\frac{1}{2}c per pound; pig-iron, \$23\infty6.00 per ton, \$203\infty6.00 per ton.

BEST—Prime steers, \$2.50@2.75; fair to good steers, \$2.00@2.50; good to choice cows, \$1.50@2.00; dressed beef, \$3.50@ Murros—Choice mutton, \$2.00@2.50; dressed, \$4.00@4.50; lambs, \$2.00@2.50; dressed, \$6.00; shearlings, 2¾c, live

LIVE AND DRESSED MEAT.

weight.

Hoss-Choice heavy, \$5.00@5.50; medium, \$4.50@5.00; light and feeders, \$4.50@5.00; dressed, \$7.00.

Vaat.-\$4.00@6.00. PROVISIONS. EASTERN SMOKED MEAT AND LARD-Hams, medium, uncovered, 15@16c per pound; covered, 14½@15½c; breakfast bacon, uncovered, 16@17c; covered, 15½@6; ehort clear sides, 13@14c; dry salt sides, 11½@12½c; lard, compound, in tins, 10c per pound; pure, in tins, 13@14c; Oregon lard, 11½@12½c.

Lowering the Thermometer. the English government mainly responsible for the failure of the Brussels Monetary Conference, and charges that it willfully threw away an opportunity for promoting a settlement of the silver question affecting all parts of the world. The Russian Czarowitz has one good reason why he can never marry the Princess Victoria of Wales, with whose name the gossips have connected his. It is that they are first cousins, and the marriage of first cousins is strictly prohibited by the canons of the Greek Church.

# Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

## FARM AND GARDEN.

The Silo a Necessary Adjunct

to the Dairy.

SOME AGRICULTURAL POINTERS.

Something Concerning Specialty and General Farming-Lice and Ticks on Sheep.

For years past there has been a great deal said and written about specialty and general farming, and more especially during the last few years of discontent among the farmers, says a writer in the Ohio Farmer. The difference between specialty and general farming is not great if the advocates of both systems will put the same construction on the word specialty. Whatever the word may mean, I do not think its advocates use it to convey the idea that a man to be a specialist must confine his efforts to do only one crop or only one particular branch of agriculture, and yet the advocates of general farming seem determined that a specialist must confine himself.

If to be a specialty farmer means that

A gun exploded on the French cruiser Dugnay Truin during target practice at Sydney, N. S. W., killing four men and injuring many.

The first effect of closing Indian mints to free silver coinage was to cost English holders of Indian securities \$150,000,000 by their immediate fall.

The German Anti-Slavery Committee, which started on its career with a capital of 2,000,000 marks, has ended in total and irremediable collapse.

On many of the railways in Germany the practice of starting locomotive fires with gas instead of wood has been given the Iron Crown by the Emperor of Austria for his part in carrying out the Austro-Hungarian currency reform.

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In Salf-barrels, 42@57c; in cases, 35c 
Soe per gallon; \$2.25 per keg; California, in barrels, 20@40c per gallon; \$1.75 per keg.

SUGAR—D, 53gc; Golden C, 53gc; extra C, 57gc; confectioners' A, 61gc; dry gramulated, 63gc; cube, crushed and powdered, 73gc per pound; 1gc per pound discount on all grades for prompt cash; maple sugar, 15@16c per pound.

CANNED GOODS.

Practical dairymen are coming more and more to the conclusion that the silo is a necessary adjunct of the dairy. There have been strong objections urged against it, partly through prejudice, partly because the methods of caring for lodder in this way were not thoroughly understood. One hears and reads a good deal less in anywaition to the silo now understood. One hears and reads a good deal less in opposition to the silo now than two or three or even one year ago. It has been discovered that a silo need not be a costly affair, and the proper mode of filling it is much better understood than formerly, so that the ensilage is of very much better quality. One of the most careful dairymen in New England is reported to have said recently that a milk producer with all his capital and milk producer with all his capital and labor dependent upon a large flow of milk could not be subject to the whims of the season and lose a large proportion of his income because the usual quantity of rain happened to be withheld. He added that he must have a supply of enadded that he must have a supply of en-silage the year round as an insurance against drought and flood. This is the case in a nutshell. It is a question of dollars and cents. When the pastures dry up in August, as nowadays they are almost sure to do, the cows begin to shrink in milk, and at the same time up goes the price of butter, but the dairy-man who depends on pasture feeding is powerless to take advantage of the rise. It is then that the silo comes into play,

t is then that the silo comes into play and the dairyman who has one smiles to

think he is not dependent upon burnt-up pastures and a shrinking milk supply.

ABSOLUTELY PURE An expensive experiment was made by Prof. C. P. Gillette of the Colorado experiment station on the prevention of lice and ticks on sheep, which we give as follows: After shearing the sheep an emulsion, consisting of 8 per cent kerosene, is made. Perhaps this may be slightly weakened. During the treatment a man should stand in the vat and give each sheep a thorough drenching. The emulsion should be kept well stirred at all times. The cost of materials for dipping fifty-eight sheep was \$1.11. The scab parasite, ticks, lice and maggots all succumb to the destroying power of the kerosene. The dip does not remain permanently in the wool after drenching it; it should be renewed after each annual shearing. Too much kerosene is likely to take off the wool; hence it must be thoroughly emulsified. An emulsion made at the rate of two gallons of kerosene, half a pound of soap and one gallon of water churned together, and added to thirty or forty gallons of water after churning, will be strong enough to accomplish all that is desired.

How to the strong enough to feed any

It is not cheap feeding to feed any cheap crop that you may have handy. The only cheap feeding is to feed in such a manner as will secure the best growth in the least time. In order to do this you must have some knowledge of the relative feeding value of the various rations.

A Cruel Joke on a Married Couple. Lieutenant P. R. Brown, U. S. A., and bride, who were married on Mo bride, who were married on Monday as Phillipsburg, were the victims of a ludicrous practical joke at the hands of their friends. They boarded the Pittsburg day express, which reaches here about 6:30, and like most honeymooners tried to look and act like old married people.

Meanwhile their baggage was holding the property reception in the baggage.

an impromptu reception in the baggag car. There were three brand new trunks and upon one of them a huge card, care-fully painted, was tacked with large brass tacks, with the inscription:

HONEYMOON BAGGAGE "Bride's Trousseau."

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BANDLE WITH CARE "Just Married." And another huge white satin bow. The

thirty in his soil and stimulating it to its best efforts to produce potatoes. While he may raise other crops, they are only the means through which he expects to gain certain ends in view. Our speciatry is unter, yet we raise wheat, because it is the best who was a trifle larger and more conspicuous than the others.

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It is ungages agent thought the times to good to keep to himself, so he invited everybody in to enjoy the joke.

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couple were easily found, and they wondered, as the people smiled broadly
when they passed them, whether they
were more conspicuously married than
all the other young brides and grooms
that had lived and moved and had their
beings, or whether they were only sufbeings, or whether they were only suf-fering what thousands had done before

They never found out, and it is pre-aumed that the trunks thus belabeled rolled up to all prominent hotels and gave the baggage smashers a treat— Philadelphia Press.

An inventive genius of North Dakota has just patented a device for making a fire break to fight prairie fires with. It is a sheet iron contrivance five feet wide and seven feet long and about two feet high. On top of it are three circular reser-voirs for holding gasoline. Underneath is arranged a series of burners designed to set fire to the grass as the mi passes over it. The main part of the apin three sections, each five by seven feet.
While the first two of these are passing over the grass it is supposed to well consumed, and the final trailer is designed to extinguish every particle of fire. The invention is awakening much interest among the ranchmen, many of whom believe the machine will prove impracticable because it will not securely confine the fire and it will thereby cause serious confingrations. The inventor claims it will safely burn a strip five

one day. Four horses will be to draw the apparatus.-New York Tele gram.

feet wide and twenty-five miles long in

Dinah's Prayer.

Dinah is fond of good living, but, strange to say, has an intense dislike for clams, and did not hestate to make this fact known when called upon to ask a blessing. Dinah said:

"O Lord, bress all dese good vittles—all 'cept dem clams—you don't get any of dem inter me! Amen."—Harper's. Surveyors at work on the Gila river in New Mexico claim that they have dis-covered a mountain of pure alum a mile square at the base and 8,000 feet high.

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