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### Boers Defeated.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—It is announced in a cable dispatch from Cape Town, dated Sunday, November 5, that the British have been victorious in an engagement at Ladysmith and that the Boer loss was very heavy, including 2000 prisoners.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

"The keenest military writers who analyze the situation lay stress upon the fact that the Dutch allies are wasting their resources by attacking the British at too many points, instead of concentrating their efforts upon one or two points. This is true. Whatever advan-

tage the Boers have won has been from the recklessness of the enemy.

"The Boers have made graver tactical mistakes than the English staff, although its record is not particularly brilliant in defensive work, and they have allowed three weeks to slip by without winning a decisive success by virtue of overwhelming superiority of numbers."

LONDON, Nov. 7.—An official dispatch from Ladysmith, dated Monday, says: "There has been a cessation of hostilities since Friday. Only one Kaffir was killed by the Boer bombardment."

### Hannatism Indorsed.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 8.—The returns at hand show that Judge George K. Nash, republican, is elected governor by a plurality of from 50,000 to 60,000.

### Goebel Downed.

LOUISVILLE, Nov. 7.—By the combined efforts of the republicans and anti Goebelites, Attorney General W. S. Taylor, republican, has been elected governor of Kentucky by a majority variously estimated at from 7000 to 15,000 over Goebel, democrat. Returns received also indicate the election of the entire republican ticket, while the complexion of the legislature is in doubt.

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## NEWS OF THE WEEK

### STATE.

Albany has no smallpox.

The A. O. U. W. hall at Albany was dedicated Thursday night.

There is an active demand for cattle in Southern Oregon.

Baker City will have free mail delivery beginning today. Carriers have been appointed.

Help is scarce on the Siuslaw.

Another lot of horses have arrived at the Linnton cannery.

Fifty Bonanza miners are on a strike in Eastern Oregon.

Half a hundred rattlesnakes were killed at a Umatilla county spring.

Coquille City is to have a match factory.

Seagulls are said to destroy the clam spawn on Olatsop beach.

Little interest in Baker City election, only 361 votes being cast.

A company has been organized to build a railroad from Klamath Falls to the Southern Pacific a few miles over the California line, 60 miles.

### PACIFIC COAST.

Consul McCook, at Dawson, says that 20,000 people will be at Cape Nome next year.

Conspiracy to interfere with United States mails is the only charge maintained against the Wardner, Idaho, rioters.

An oversight of the last Washington legislature leaves the state without money with which to pay interest.

An Ellensburg burglar got ten years within 50 hours after his crime.

Three hundred shingle mills in Washington will close down for 60 days.

General Miles will participate in the reception of Washington volunteers at Seattle.

The Northern Pacific has made a claim for property worth millions of dollars in Spokane.

Ten of the Coeur d'Alene rioters were convicted of conspiracy against the United States.

Work will soon commence on harbor defenses at Tacoma.

The validity of the government contracts made by swindler Captain Carter will be tested.

Wisconsin lumber dealers have just bought 1,000,000 acres of timber land on the Pacific coast for \$6,000,000.

### GENERAL.

Richard Croker was on the stand before the Mazet committee in New York.

Five hundred pounds of dynamite exploded at Etna, Ind., killing two people.

Dewey is in New York.

Ex-President Harrison has arrived in New York.

Half a million dollar fire in Kansas City Sunday night.

Marconi was not successful in making a contract with the navy for the use of his wireless telegraphy.

Many frauds are charged at the ballot box in Ohio.

Schley attracted a big crowd at Birmingham, Ala., Monday.

Indianapolis ministers have started an anti-Roberts crusade. It would be a good thing if clergymen throughout the country would do the same thing—and put it into practice.

Amos T. Allen is elected in the first Maine congressional district to succeed Thomas B. Reed.

Admiral Dewey and Mrs. Hazen attracted great attention on a shopping tour in New York.

Two Filipinos who have just arrived at Philadelphia pronounce Aguinaldo a tyrant and say the war will soon be ended.

### FOREIGN.

The Boers moved south from Ladysmith to cut off White's retreat.

The British are constructing earth works around the town of Ladysmith.

Chase's troop of the Third cavalry has captured Bongabon, in Luzon.

The municipal council of Paris passed resolutions of sympathy for the Boers.

Andrade, of Venezuela, has gone to San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Thirty-five persons were drowned in a ferry accident at Antwerp.

The Boers' shelling of Mafeking is said to have been harmless. Other reports say their shells caused fires.

Boers are said to be waiting for guns at Ladysmith.

The Peruvian insurgents are said to have been dealt a death blow.

Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, has been surrendered to General Castro.

Reports that General White has capitulated at Ladysmith are persistent.

Boers say that England will have a sorry time ruling the Transvaal after the war.

Autonomous government has been established in Negros. Native officers are being sworn in.

Boers are said to have received a crushing defeat in an engagement at Ladysmith Saturday.

Boers did not destroy the bridge at Colenso. They shelled the city after it was evacuated.

### Tammany Rejoices.

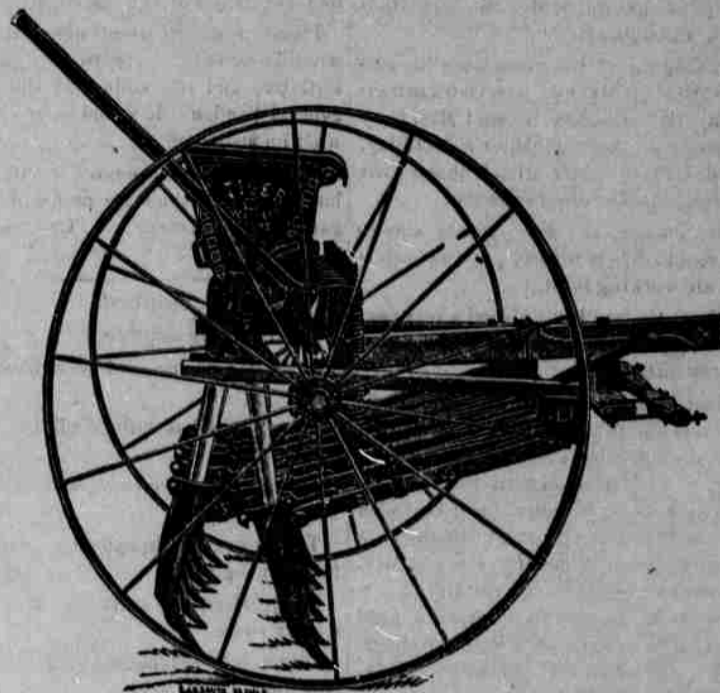
NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—The election in the four counties that make up the city of New York resulted in the election of every democratic candidate on every county ticket, except Gray, democratic candidate for register in Kings, who was beaten because of his refusal to put in an appearance before the Mazet investigating committee an answer charges made against him. Democratic majorities were abnormal, being, in New York county, over 50,000. In Kings county the democratic vote fell off from last year, when Van Wyck ran exceedingly strong in Brooklyn.

The Tammany exultation was not over the county tickets' victory, which has been expected, but over the defeat of Assemblyman Mazet, republican, which they had hoped, prayed and worked for. From Mr. Croker down, the Tammany men shouted over Mazet's downfall.

Senator Platt intimated late tonight that Mazet might be seated in the next assembly, in which the republicans have 32 majority. The Tammany democrats openly denounce ex-Senator Hill, whom they blame for the reverses up the state. The republicans in New York county elected only four assemblymen, one of them a member of the citizens' union.

The assembly will stand: Republicans, 91; democrats, 59; republican plurality, 32; republican gain, 14.

## Plows and Seeders



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### Weather Report.

The following data, covering a period of 27 years, have been compiled from the Weather Bureau records at Portland, Ore., for the month of November:

### TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal temperature, 46 deg. The warmest month was that of 1885, with an average of 49 degrees. The coldest month was that of 1896, with an average of 39 degrees. The highest temperature was 73 deg. on the 2nd, 1890. The lowest temperature was 11 deg. on the 29th, 1896.

Average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, Nov. 26. Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, Apr. 11.

### PRECIPITATION.

(Rain and melted snow.) Average for the month, 5.78 inches. Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 15. The greatest monthly precipitation was 15.77 inches in 1875.

The least monthly precipitation was .5 inches in 1890.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 3.62 inches on 26th and 27th, 1883. The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours, (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only), was 3 inches on the 19th, 1897.

### WEATHER.

Average number of clear days, 6; partly cloudy, 9; cloudy, 15.

### WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the south. The highest velocity of the wind was 52 miles from the south on the 18th, '97. B. S. PAGE, Forecast Official.

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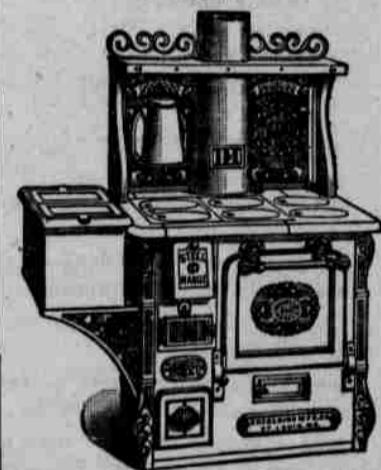
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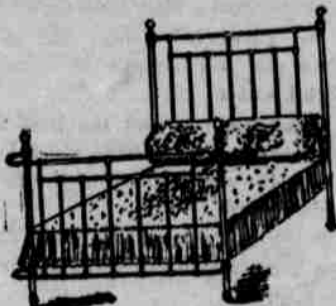
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- Brussels Carpet, per yard... 50c
- Ingrain Carpet, per yard... 25c
- Washable Jute Carpet, per yard... 35c
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