PORTLAND MARKET FOREIGN NEWS. Possibilities of Irrigation in the Sect EASTERN ITEMS. THE PACIFIC COAST. west-Opening the Ancient Canala EUGENE CITY GUARD. Were ever such beautiful triplets born? Rosy and sweet and glad as the morn; Never a hearthstone far and wide Bo happy as where these three abide. Though it has long been known that WHEAT-The market continues dull WHEAT-The market continues dull and weak. Snippers' present wants are well supplied, and there is little demand for export. Offerings are small. Open quotations are \$1.17½ for Walla Walla and \$1.22½ for Valley. FLOUR-Quote: Standard, \$3.90@4.00; Walla Walla, \$3.00@3.80 per barrel. Oars-Onote: 44@48c per bushel. the tribes of aborigines who once eristed in the states and territories of the south I. L. CAMPBELL. . . Proprietor If the angels sent but one to me. Which would I choose of the lovely three? O, of the trio, Love is best; A Fine Vein of Coal Discovered Milwaukee's Public School Princi- The Italian Police Ordered to Raid west had a system of agriculture which permitted them to subsist in towns of EUGENE CITY, OREGON. considerable size, we have not realized until recently the extent of their re-sources and the ability they displayed a Catholic Nunneries. pals About to Strike. Love immortal, is loveliest. --Mrs. George W. Swift in Woman Near Coquille City. OATS-Quote: 44@48c per bashel. MILLSTUFFS-Quote: Bran, \$17.50@18; Shorts, \$23.50@24; Ground Barley, \$32.50; Chop Feed, \$25 per ton. Hay-Onder 51000 ON LIFE'S THRESHOLD. Railroads of Indian Territory. engineers. The Hemenway expelition has examined ancient lines of canals in Incendiaries Destroy by Fire the Trestle The Widow of Colonel Mulligan, the Hero A Rumor That Germany Contemplates Ex-There are 20,000 Cherokees, 5,000 Young Tommy, a Goat, a Hose and southwestern Arizona in the valley of Pretty Grave. Choctaws, 5,000 Chickasaws, and from tending the Pork Restrictions to the Gila and its chief tributary the A dear, benevolent old gentleman gave to \$32.50; Chop Feed, \$25 per ton. HAY-Quote: \$16@18 per ton. VEGETABLES - The market is firm. Quote: Cabbage, \$1.50@1.75 per cental; Cauliflower, \$1.25 per dozen; Onions, 2e per pound; Cncumbers, 10c per dozen; 2,000 to 3,000 Seminoles in the territory. of the Battle of Lexington, Re-Bridge Over Putah Creek, Near the Gila and its chief thought he Saloda, rivers which pour their waten finally into the Gulf of California, its an enfant terrible a fine goat. This was a few The Creeks number 8,000 to 10,000 sonis, American Beef. days ago. The youngster was naturally de lighted with his pet. His gave A vaguely ceives a Nomination. but it is thought about half of these are Davisville, Cal. negroes. Owing to prejudice among the their northerly neighbor, the Colonda to his friends and enemies that he was training an animal which would be a terror to the Between the Salado and the Gila, when Cherokees and Choctaws there are fewer there is now only a growth of such negroes in those nations. The territory Carrots, \$1 per sack ; Beets, \$1.50 per sack ; Turnips, \$1.25 per sack ; Tomatoes, 50c per box; Potatoes, 80c@\$1 per cental; Sweet Potatoes, 2c per pound. Faur-Quote: Tahiti Oranges, \$4.50 per box; Sicily Lomons \$8 * 0 (9 per case; neighborhood. Doubtless the goat would Railway accidents have been unusually has more railroads than any who have not studied the subject would believe. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe route plants as endure a torrid climate Georgia has 300 life-time prisoners in have proved a very disturbing element in society if its youthful owner had not trained The Gentiles of Utah have nominated Judge C. C. Goodwin of the Salt Lake without rain for the greater part of frequent in Germany of late. the penitentiary. There is no revolution in Hayti. The the year, the ancient people had the it a trifle too fine. Tribune for Delegate to Congress. A Mormon colony is trying to buy land It came about in this wise; towns and cities. Some of the communa country is reported to be prosperous. runs a line from Arkansas City to The American ship Eclipse has arrived from Mexico on the frontier per box ; Sicily Lemons, \$8.' . 19 per case ; Gainesville straight through the middle houses were several hundred feet square The goat-and of this there is no doubt-A number of Armenians have been at Portland with 30,000 cases of ten for the East and Canada and 155,000 brick. stood badly in need of a washing. Tommy, as its owner may be called for the occasion, The Mississippi Constitutional Con-Pears, 114c per pound; apples, 60@85c per box; Grapes,75c@\$1.20 per box; Pineof the territory. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas, part of Gould's Missouri Paand three or four stories high. One cay killed and crops destroyed at Alashgerd. vention still has a month's work ahead was traced for three or four miles and A new Russian frigate, named the apples, \$3.50@4.00 per dozen; Bananas, \$4 per bunch; double, \$6; Peacnes, 90c@ \$1.25 per box; Watermelons, \$1.50@2 per dozen; Cantaloupes, \$1.50@2 per dozen; California Quinces, \$1; Oregon, George C. Foster, Tax Collector of Tucson, committed suicide by taking poison. He was a hard drinker, and was is not generally overfond of washing, but as cific line, runs through the northeast corcontained between forty and fifty d regarding goats he was an ardent lover of Twelve Apostles, has been launched at ner, through the Cherokee, Creek, Choc-The Chinese gamblers in New York these large structures, which were imp-ularly placed after the fashion of Indian cleanliness. So he got a garden hose and attached it to a hydrant. Then he tied up Nicolaieff. taw, and part of the Chickasaw nations. are taxed \$1,000 a week for police proshort in his accounts. The influenza is said to have again ap-peared in Ireland at Belfast and in Ber-There is a fifty mile bit of road from towns. Each large house is supposed by the goat securely and played upon it till the animal's hair was as clean as the streets of The report of the Pittsburg police de-partment shows a remarkable decrease Mr. Cushing, the ethnologist of the party, The deciduous fruit shipments over Fort Smith, Ark., to Moskogee, in the the Southern Pacific lines for the season up to October 7 amounted to 2,450 cars-\$1.25 per box. Creek nation, entirely traversing the who has made the Pueblo Indians a line Pittsburg will be at the millennium. lin, Germany. CHEESE-Quote: Oregon, 11@12%c Cherokee country. The Atlantic and long study, to have held the members of Then Tommy fell to communing with him-It is rumored that Germany contem-California, 9%@10c; Young America, 14 in crime. Pacific road has got the right of way, about 100,000 pounds of fruit. one chan. The walls were sometimes of plates extending the pork restrictions to Captain Pabst of Milwaukee is to put @15c per pound. and has made its survey straight across the territory. A branch of the Rock adobe bricks, and sometimes they were "If," reasoned he, "the goat was so dirty Washington's State Board of Equali-zation has raised Walla Walla county's assessment \$2,000,000, and the county's BUTTER-The market is firm. Quote: upon the lakes a fleet of handsome pas-Amercan b. ef. outside, he must be very far from clean in-Oregon fancy creamery, 371/2c; tancy dairy 321/2c; good to fair, 271/2@30c; common, 221/2@25c; choice California, 28@30c per strengthened with posts and wattle senger boats. The factional war over the Territorial seat of the Oklahoma government grows Dom Pedro is reported to be looking unhappy and broken down. His mind is thought to be weakening. mid " Island system crosses the territory, and Each town has a separate larger min This seemed conclusive to Tommy's coma branch of the Southern Kansas taxpayers are obliged to stand it. route surrounded by a strong wall so as to panions, and they consented to hold the goat while he effected the internal purification. form a yard. Here Mr. Cushing locates the abode of the chief ruler or prist, the runs across the northeast corner. Diag-Ernest B. Muffly, for several months pound. past the agent of the Chicago, St. Paul and Kansas City railroad at Tacoma, has in bitterness. Severe sentences have been passed on Eggs-Quote: Quote: Oregon, 25c onally across the state is projected the Dennison and Wachita Valley road, part Tommy inserted the nozzle of the hose into sixteen German soldiers stationed at per dozen. stores of the town and the citadel in case It is said that the "docking" of our the goat's mouth POULTRY-Quote: Old Chickens, \$4.50; new steel cruisers will cost nearly \$1,-Oldenburg for mutinous conduct. of the 'Frisco system.-New York Sun. of an attack. It is estimated that the It is a painful subject. gone to Canada. He is said to be short young, 12.50@3.50; old Ducks, 16@6.50; large young, 17@7.50; Geese, \$9 per dozen; Turkeys, 14@15c per pound. two valleys of the Gila and Salado sup-Grand Duke Nicholas, the uncle of the But the goat has a very pretty grave at in his accounts. 000,000 a year. The cog-wheel railway to the summit of Pike's Peak has been completed, and The History of One. ported at one period no less than 200,000 the end of the lawn between two laurel Czar, is in a critical condition. A can-Among the new banks authorized to "Five or six years ago that woman was a great belle," said my neighbor, as cerous affection has attacked his brain. bushes .- Pittaburg Dispatch. commence business are the American National bank of Salt Lake City, capital \$250,000, and the Merchants' National Milwaukee's publ souls. NUTS-Quote: Walnuts, 13c; Peanuts, This could only have been accom-General distress, but no famine, is looked for in the sections of Ireland green, 12c; Almonds, 17c; Filberts, 14 plished by irrigation. It appears that the water from the Salado was ran the door closed on the shocking example Reasoning from Analogy. Milwaukee's public-school principals have given notice that, if they do not get increased salaries, they will strike. @15c ; Brazils, 13@14c per pound ; Cocoa-A4-year-old miss lately created a good deal bank of Great Falls, Mont., capital \$100,where a failure of the potato crop is renuts, \$1 per dozen. HONEY-Fancy White, 1-pound car of resurfacing. across the flat land between it and the asternation, not unmixed with amuse-"She came here for the first time the 000 ported. ment, in a small social circle uptown. She morning after the great — ball. She looked tired, and I didn't wonder. My Gila for a distance of from fifteen to twenty miles. The new settlers have oons, 18c per pound. NAILS-Base quotations: Iron, \$3.20; Members of the Tacoma Chamber of A large shortage in the cranberry crop is announced by A. Rider, Secretary of the American Cranberry-Growers' Asso-The appointment of General von Kat-tenborn Strachan as Minister of War, succeeding General Verdy du Vernow, is had been on a visit to her grandfather, and Commerce have organized the Tacoma while there was in the habit of playing with Steel, \$3.30; Wire, \$3.90 per keg. Hops—The market is firm, with nomi already begun to use the ditches con-Commerce have organized the facoma Development Company, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, for the purpose of encouraging the establishment of manu-factories and wholesale houses. brother, who was out late the night behim as he lay, half asleep, on the sofa. One fore, told me that he heard a gentleman trived by the extinct population. The day, as her chubby fingers glided caressingly officially announced at Berlin. Hops—The market is frin, with Bonn nal prices. Quote: 30@33c per pound. Hings—The market is weak. Quota-tions: Dry Hides, selected prime, 8@ 9c, 3/c less for culls; green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c; under 55 pounds, 3c; the polar distance weak and selected. call her by name as he handed her into a ciation. canals were dug in terrace outline, filled over the old gentleman's scant locks, he mur-The breaking of 'cycling records con-tinues in England, mainly owing to the It seems to be definitely settled that carriage after a little supper at the close with brush and then burned out in order mured drowsily, in reply to some infantile the San Francisco will be assigned to the Asiatic station as Rear-Admiral Belof an evening at the theatre. It was to solidify the bottom and sides. "Mr. remark: "Yes, I'm your poor old bald headed The recent prairie fires in North Da-Cushing," says The American Natura-ist, "is of the opinion that they use rafts made of reeds for navigating these midnight and she was just going home grandfather." kota were the most destructive ever known west of the Missouri river, and built with the pneumatic tire. knap's flag ship. to dress for the ball. You can guess the One evening not long afterwards, a young Sheep Pelts, short wool, 30@50c; mepace she was keeping. She bought noth-in ; but a little violet powder to whiten The widow of Colonel Mulligan, the hero of the battle of Lexington, Mo., old bachelor was making a call on the family, There are rumors that the Guatemadium, 60@80c; long, 90c@\$1.25; shear-lings, 10@20c; Tallow, good to choice, 3 the losses will aggregate several hundred thousand dollars. The Riverside Ranch towards a certain member of which, only 18 lans and Salvadorians have had a fight canals, and this seems more probable and decidedly pretty, he inclined with very has been nominated for Superintendent from the heavy materials that have been on the frontier, which act will precipithe great dark circles under her eyes. Company lost 300 head of stock. tender feelings. Into the pleasant circle where the bachelor sat flashing bright noth-@316c. tate war between the two countries. Next season she was a regular customer of School at Chicago. Wool-Quote: Eastern Oregon, 106 brought from a distance. It seems or A double wedding took place at the exposition in Portland last week in the 16c; Valley, 16@18c per pound. CEANBERRIES — Quote: Wis \$9.50; Cape Cod, \$12 per barrel. for rose leaf wafers of one kind and an-The Kansas Legislature will have to tain that they floated the pine timber The central telegraph office at Berlin ings of society talk, entered the 4-year-old. other to rub a little bloom on her cheeks. used in their building operations down presence of over 19,000 spectators. The contracting parties were Miss Helena Sturny and Wilhelm Becker and Miss Lou I, Shanahan and L. S. Wright, all The pearl fisheries of pass a new prohibitory enactment to make the Wilson original-package law Wisconsin, has discontinued the use of batteries, Unseen by the gentleman she sa After that it was paint, and now look at and will in future obtain the power rethe Salt and Gila rivers from the distant around the room inspecting him, and gazed with especial interest on his polished scalp her. Sometimes her face breaks out in mountains," quired from an accumulator supplied by The Merchandise Market. the Berlin electric-light works. blotches and she has terrible work to These people burned their dead as a which gleamed in the light of the chandelier The pearl fisheries of the Miami river SUGARS-Quote: Golden C, 51gc; extra general rule, collecting the ashes into an cure them."-Eliza Putnam Heaton. Suddenly, with a burst of ingenuous socia-bility, she threw herself at his knees and exof Portland. It is stated that arrests of Armenians C, 5%c; dry granulated, 6%c; cube crushed and powdered, 6%c per pound. DRIED FRUITS-The market is firm. still continue to be profitable. The pearl hunters have been busy all summer, and urn, which was commonly broken, in at Constantinople continue, and that John T. Carey, who recently resigned his position as District Attorney for the Northern District of California, gives as claimed: "Whose poor old bald headed grand-father are you?"-Philadelphia Times. sign of death; but the expedition found Ruined by the Musk Rats. sixty of the prisoners have already en-dured torture for the purpose of extort-ing evidence from them favorable to the some of them have been very successful. Every old East Indian officer knows so many skeletons buried within the Quote: Italian Prunes, 121/2@14c; Pe-The President has appointed Charles larger buildings mentioned, just beneath tite and German Prunes, 10c per pound that when a musk rat runs over the bothis reasons that the office is not suffi-K. Dougherty of Pennsylvania as Secre-tary of Legation in Mexico and H. Rem-sen Whitehouse as Secretary of Lega-The Pocket in His Night Shirt. Raisins, \$2.75 per box: Plummer-dried Pears, 11@ 124; sun-dried and factory tles in your cellar you might as well the floor, that it appears to have been ciently remunerative, and that he has difficulty in securing back pay due him Turkish cause. The precocity of eight-year-old boys has the custom to bury chiefs and prists. A food vessel and highly decorated water throw the contents away. They will have the smell and the taste of the musk, from the government. tion in Italy. jar were buried with the corpse, and At a consultation of the representa

often been the theme for newspaper com-ment, but I think I know of one who is entitled to particular distinction for his brightness. The other day he importuned his mamma for a night shirt "just like papa's," with a pocket in it. His mother made him one, and the first night he wore it he went to bed in high glee. In the morning, when his mother took the robe off, she found in the one pocket a couple of seed cakes, three matches, a toothpick, a small silver watch, several pieces of cough candy and the boy's pocket handkerchief. When the little fellow was questioned as to the reason for the varied assortment he replied: "Well, I thought if I got hungry in the night time I would need the seed cakes, and of course I'd want the toothpick afterward. If I wanted to see what time it was by my watch I would have to have a match, and I was afraid of cough-

ing, so I put the candy there." His excuses were equal to his preparations at any rate.-

New Mexico has voted on the State

chises have been granted.

Companies were all destroyed.

January.

tives of the coal supply and the coal-mining companies held in Tacoma it was estimated that the supply this winter will fall 25 or 30 per cent, below the demand. The effect of the shortage will begin to be felt about the 1st of next Almost all Western roads have been lealing with scalpers, and it is said in Chicago that almost any point in the West, competitive or not, could be reached by a cut rate of from 25 to 40 The Central street railway at Sacramento, Cal., has been purchased by J. H. Henry of San Jose. The road is about per cent. four miles in length. Henry will at once In the opinion of real-estate men the recent cyclone of South Lawrence, Mass.,

has had the effect of improving the district nearly 10 per cent. in value by rea-son of building improvements which followed.

About 2,500 miners are on a strike at

Ishpeming, Mich., for increased wages. The agitation may extend to other points. There are 35,000 miners employed in the Lake Superior region.

introduce an overhead electric motor power. He will also extend and equip tracks on other streets, for which fran-

According to the law of New York a

Members of the police force at Naples have been ordered to make raids on all South Italian numerics that are closed to the public. This is owing to discov-eries in an establishment known as the "Nunnery of the Buried Alive."

Dispatches from Pondicherry, the capital of the French settlement in India, state that a serious election conflict took place there between a mob and the police. Several were wounded on both sides. The military were ordered out.

The French Minister of War has decided in case of war that the men employed in the coal mines shall be dispensed from military service for a period of forty days in order that a sufficient stock of coal may be secured to insure proper railway service during the whole of the campaign. String Beans, \$1 per dozen. Fish: Salmon, \$1.25; sardines, 80c@\$1.40; lob-

of the campaign. Madame Bonnet, in wh "HEALTHI LOVE! WORK!"

and nothing that you can do will cure it. I know it is a story that you won't believe, because you haven't seen it your-self, but you can cork a hottle of ale, say, as securely as yos like, seal it and put it away, and if the rats get a chance are a few copper ornaments, shell carto play about it you will find it wholly undrinkable. I don't know how the smell gets into the liquor, but there it is. tribes. The pottery is of many colors I have seen bottles washed and scrubbed and rubbed with sand, then opened and found to be ruined. There is no animal that the old school Indian will kill with such a thorough consciousness of doing a to whom Mr. Cushing is guide, philoso good work as the rat. -- Chicago News.

Consolation.

ing a look of Bostonian refinement and re-serve, got on a Chicago train bound for Den-is not impossible that the Colorado, rus-

quois ornaments were found. Tools and weapons are generally of stone, and then ings, inlaid with turquois, and other decorations common to semi-savage and carries a fine glaze. They had smelting furnaces in the mountains, and appear to have stood upon much the same plane of cultivation as those Zunis

sometimes arrow and spear heads. In

one grave a large stone knife and tur-

RECLAIMING THE DESERT.

pher and friend. The opening up of these old canals is the first step to cause the deserts now A lady dressed in deep mourning and hav- covered with mesquite to support a fair

cause the more you separate the streams

and rills the more you expose the water

body to surface evaporation. In lands

like Arizona and New Mexico the Persian

system of underground streams, broken

at intervals by wells, ought to be

tried. A system of covered canals would be the best in a climate like

that of New Mexico, for the evapora-

Whether this country will ever be re-

claimed to do the work it can undera

thorough system of irrigation is a que-

tion. Perhaps it were best left to init-

vidual or municipal, to corporate or

state enterprise. National schemes d

the kind are too prolific of jobbery and

corruption. It is a matter, however,

that will repay the study of those having

large amounts to invest for slow but sure

returns, dependent for success on the

financial prudence and sound engines-

ing which have caused Hotland to be

come the richest country of its size in the

Military Bailoons in Use.

The actual practice of military bal-

looning is now being carried on by

Italian forces in the Soudan to a consil-

erable extent, and this question of ob

taining the gas for the balloons has caused not a little trouble. The hydro-

gen required has been manufactured a

Naples and taken to the seat of war in

steel tubes, each of which is about 558

inches in diameter by 4 feet 7 1-2 inches

long, the walls being about 5 5-8 inches

thick. The hydrogen is produced by at

tion on iron turnings with dilute sulphr-

ric acid, and is pumped into these takes at a pressure of 1,019 pounds per square

inch. Forty of the tubes are needed in

inflating a single balloon.-New Orleans

Picayune.

world .- New York Times

tion upward would be at a minin

Plums, 10@11c; evaporated Peaches, 24c; Smyrna Figs, 14@16c; California Figs, 9c per pound.

BEARS-The market is firm. Quote: Small Whites, 3¹4@3³4c; Pink, 3³4c; Bayos, 4¹5c; Butter, 3¹5c; Limas, 5¹5c per pound. CANNED GOODS-Market is firm. Quote :

CANNED GOODE—Market is firm. Quote: Table fruits, \$2.25, 2½\$; Peaches, \$2.50; Bartlett Pears, \$2.25; Plums, \$1.65; Strawberries, \$2.50; Cherries, \$2; Black-berries, \$2; Raspberries, \$2.55; Pineap-ples, \$2.75; Apricots, \$1.85. Pie fruit: Assorted, \$3.75 per dozen; Peaches, \$1.40; Plums, \$1.25; Blackberries, \$1.65 per dozen. Vegetables: Corn, \$1.12½ (al.40) according to quality: Tomatores @1.40, according to quality; Tomatoes, \$1.20@3.50; Sugar Peas, \$1.40@1.60;

sters, \$2@3; oysters, \$2@2.75 per dozen

Minneapolis Tribune,

Better to Receive Than Give In a St. Albans church on a recent Sunday a little lad looked on with surprise as the contribution boxes were passed around. He had an idea that the cash was being distributed gratis, and so, just as the box was leaving the pew in which he sat, he put his chubby little hand in among the change and brought out a fistful, and was quite disgusted when his mamma made him disgorge.-St. Albans Messenger.

A Question About Phillips Brooks.

When Phillips Brooks rose last Sunday to give out his text, "I was in prison, and ye came unto me," a little fellow, 5 or 6 years old, looked up anxiously into his gran face, as he exclaimed in a boarse whisper, plainly audible to those in the adjacent seats. Grandma, was Mr. Brooks ever really in prison P-Boston Gazetta



This represents the prevailing amuse in village circles just at present. The young | the Oregon train, which has a very acavy gentleman in the center is a recently graduated cadet from Annapolis and is being welcomed home.-Judge

Terie.

The following notice was posted on the Branswick and Western balletin board Friday morning by the agent to keep from answering the thousand and one questions about the train: "All trains delayed on account of fire at Tifton. Tift's planing mill burned. This is all we know." A mischievous chap came along and read it, and forthwith began to study up some way to catch the agent, so poked his head in at the door and said: "Mister, when did this thing curf" Forthwith another line was added to \$1,000,000 representing the value tin: "Happened last night."-Brunswick (Ga.) Advertiser. and \$2,000,000 worth of gold bullion.

Too Much Learning.

Gus De Smith-What did you do with that letter that was on my table! Colored Boy-I tuck it to de pos'offis, sah, and put it into de hoia.

Gus De Smith-Did you not see there no address on the envelopef

Colored Boy-I saw dar was no writin' on de 'velope, but l 'lowed yer did dat ar on purpose, so i couldn't tell who yer was e-writin' to Ise an eddicated niggab, I is, I'so an eddicated niggab, I is,

and I s'posed you knowed hit .- Texas Sift-Enough to Mix Any Oue Up. "Start to-marrow on your vacation, ah!

Where are you going?" "Oh just down to Booky Beach." "Aha! How do you go to get there?" "Blamed if t know! I thought I did, bus I have been studying a railroad guide to make sure, and 1 can't tell anything about

-Lowell Citizen

Gladstone, writing in support of the Liberal candidate at Eccles, declares that every one voting for the Conserva-tive candidate will be responsible for the employment of bullets and hatons against legal and peaceful meetings in reland, a course which would not be lared or tolerated in England,

constitution. The American cities and towns gave good majorities, but the Mex-barrel of potatoes contains 172 and a population voted almost solidly bushel of potatoes 60 pounds respectiveagainst it, being opposed on account of ly. An effort is being made to have all the provisions for public schools. It is fruit and vegetables sold in that State man spy, was sentenced to five years thought that the constitution has been by weight. carried by a small majority.

The United States dynamite cruiser Vesuvius has made two trial runs over a Three thousand men are employed on measured mile course at full speed with a forced drait and all her boilers workthe branch of the Union Pacific railroad between Portland and Seattle, and 2,000 ing, and has made twenty knots an hour more are wanted. Agents are now in under these conditions.

Kansas looking for men, Every effort will be made to get the road finished across the low lands along the Columbia The New York Mail and Express has a Washington special saying: It is stated on good authority that President Harribefore high water next spring. son will not call an extra session of Congress November 11 to consider and pass A fine vein of coal has been discovered

the Federal election bill. on Iowa slough near Coquille City, and blacksmiths who have tested it say it is Lieutenant-Colonel Henry C. Corbin superior to that imported for their use. The vein is a large one, and can be easily has been relieved from duty at head-quarters, Division of the Missouri, and worked. There is talk of chartering a schooner and loading it for San Franordered to the Department of Arizona, where, it is understood, he will act as cisco in order to interest capital in the Assistant Adjutant-General. development of the mine. Health Commissioner Wickersham at

Chicago has given orders that no more In denving a recount of Oregon's popuvaccinations on the leg will be permitted lation Secretary Noble says the grounds presented by Senators Mitchell and in the public-health office. If girls perbeing vaccinated in that way. sist in Dolph and Representative Hermann they will have to go to some private phy were not sufficient to warrant a recount sician.

Barbers on the French steamers arriving at New York are said to have regular patrons among their compatriots, who visit the steamers upon their arrival, bent upon having their beards kept ek. trimmed in the ultra fashion of the bou-Was The

levards. ems John Schmidt, the counterfeiter cently arrested at Louisville, Ky., has the Czar regards in the most gracious iereconf fsed to the police that he has coun-terfeited \$2 certificates, having made travel. The burned bridge was over 800 \$4,000 worth. He claims to have been ever, fears that a visit to that city might assisted by Miles Ogle, known as "The at the present time give rise to a delicate feet long. Telegraphic communication was badly interrupted, as both the wires of the Western Union and Pacific Postal King of Counterfeiters.

Miss Mary Franz of New York has Lyman E. Knapp, Governor of Alaska, in his annual report to the Secretary of the Interior states that during the year case to a beneficial society, of which she was desirous of becoming a member. Several doctors have certified that her about 100,000 full-sized sealskins were taken by the Alaska Commercial Comhealth is good, and it is expected that pany under the contract with the govthe suit will develop interesting legal points.

ernment, and that probably half as many more were captured at sea and stolen by poaching vessels. The value of the ex-In regard to the construction of one of the coast-line battle ships Irving M. orts last year was nearly \$10,000,000. Scott, President of the Union Iron Works Of this amount among other items was Company, who is now in Washington, has intimated to the Navy Department whalebone, \$2,000,000 worth of seal fur that he will undertake the contract on the terms proposed by the department.

The probability of a scarcity of coa Among the articles of incorporation on Puget sound this winter is denied authoritatively by many dealers. A man interested in the Rostyn mines states last week were those of the Mount Carmel Aernautic Navigation Company of that, while there has been a scarcity of Mount Carmel for the construction and cars, the demand has been supplied without trouble. He claimed that the operation of air vessels for the transportation of passengers and freight, with a capital stock of \$20,000,000. Roslyn mine alone could supply the

needs of the State, or 3,000 tons a day it called upon. The Franklyn mine had The Chicago Times says articles have been signed there for a match between Jack McAuliffe and Billy Meyer for \$2,seen shut down recently because of the large amount of coal on hand. While some of the mines are not getting out much, new claims are being opened and the supply is almost inexhaustible. The supply is almost inexhaustible. The supply is almost inexhaustible. The supply is almost inexhaustible and a purse of \$5,000 a side of reads of \$5,000 a side of \$5,

The ship Merom has just arrived at San Francisco from Kodiak with 23,955 ounce gloves, to take place in New Orleans during the early part of February. ses of salmon. Reports brought from

the canning districts in Alaska indicate The annual report of Pension Comthat thus far in the season the pack has missioner Raum shows there were at the end of the last fiscal year 537,944 pen-sioners upon the rolls, classified as folbeen larger than last year. The run of fish at Kodiak, which was alarmingly light at the commencement of the year, improved as time went on, and the relows: Army invalid pensioners, 392,-809; army widows, 104,456; navy invalid turns of the Merom are considered high-ly satisfactory. During this season pensioners, 5,274; navy widows, invy invand pensioners, 5,274; navy widows, minor children and dependent relatives, 3,460; survivors of the war of 1812, 413; wid-ows of soldiers of the war of 1812, 8,610; twenty-three vessels have arrived from Alaska canneries, bringing in aggregate 344.674 cases of salmon, from July 15 to survivors of the Mexican war, 17,158; widows of soldiers of the Mexican war, 9,764. date. During the same time last year the pack was 261,801.

was found plans of the defense of Nancy, man spy, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment and a fine of 5,000 francs.

Upon the expiration of the term of imisonment she will be exiled from France for ten years.

The London Times says: "There is no reason to quarrel with the United States over the McKinley bill, but the less said about friendliness and kinship between the two countries the better. The article urges Canada to adopt free trade, as she will then be able to practically exclude America from competition.

Russia has recently adopted more liberal and vigorous policy than heretofore in respect to encouraging the development of the mineral resources of the empire. Numerous special grants and bonuses to work coal mines are being issued to companies, most of which are principally composed of foreign capital-

ists.

The movement for universal suffrage is attaining tremendous strength in Belgium, and much indignation has been aroused by the announcement that the Ministry did not intend to submit to the Belgian Parliament a proposition em-bodying that reform It was a result of this feeling that Minister of Public Works De Bruyn was mobbed and nearly killed at Modines while taking official part in a civic ceremony.

It is reported that the Turkish Minis ter, Houssein Pasha, has been informed spirit the invitation to the Czarowitz to

visit Constantinople. The Czar, how-ever, fears that a visit to that city might Vhen I like to pound on my drum I forget and embarrassing situation, owing to the unsettled condition of Greek patriarchal neighbor should be put in shail if he plays on

atfairs. It is said that fears of cholera brought suit against a physician for most strongly operate against the pro making an unfavorable report on her posed visit.

> Horrible accounts come from the Red Sea Coast of the condition of cholera victims. Arabs and strangers in that up some shop to shteal my apples or carry off region are dying by scores. Persons are my front gate. eized with cholera and die within an

> hour, with clenched teeth and their bodies terribly drawn up. Birds and dogs feed on the corpses, which people yet he remembers only dot once. are afraid to touch. From the interior of Arabia the accounts are fully as heart-gone to der bad. Den it vhas we hear aferyrending, and the victims are said to be numbered among the thousands.

The newspaper Le Matin and Le Jour, Among the articles of incorporation filed with the Illinois Secretary of State tablished by M. Laurent, are out with accusations against M. Rouvier, Minister of Finance, whom they charge with making use of his position in the government to conduct successful speculations on the Bourse. M. Rouvier has not yet replied to these accusations, but

the general impression among the pub-lic is that a repetition of the Wilson scandals, which wrecked the Grevy re-

Brigands on the Lower Epirus recently carried off an Italian gentleman. A ransom of \$1,000 was demanded for his release, and after cutting off a portion of one of his ears he was set at liberty for \$500.

The Italian Premier's speech is appar-ently regarded in most of the continental capitals as an election manifesto. The emphasis with which Signor Crispi dwelt on the value to Italy of a dreibund has provoked the hostility of the Parisian

\$6 per case

COFFEE-Quote: Costa Rica, 22%c; Rio, 25%c; Arbuckle's, roasted, 26%c per pound.

T-A-Quote: 20@45c per pound. PICKLES-Quote: \$1.15c 3s; \$1.25 5s. SALT-Quote: Liverpool, \$17, \$18, \$19; stock, \$11@12 per ton in carload lots. COAL OIL-Quote: \$2.23 per case. Rice-Quote: 5% per pound.

The Meat Market.

The meat market is firm. Quote: Beef-Live, 2¼@3c; dressed, 6c. Mutton-Live, 3@3¼c; dressed, 6c. Hogs-Live, 4¼@5½c; dressed, 6c. Veal-5@8c per pound, Spring Lambs-\$2.50 each.

SMOKED MEATS AND LARD.

The market is firm. Quotations: Eastern Hams, 13@14c; Breakfast Ba-con, 13@131/2c; Sides, 9@10c; Lard, 81/2@ 1014c per pound.

Some General Observations

If I whas to live my life oafer again I oxsect I do no petter ash pefore. Nopody knows how to live until he vhas about ready to die. In trying to get something for nothing in

dis world we cheerfully buy \$2 worth of cigars fer der man who gifs us a teecket to a fifty cent show.

I doan' see some loafers around midout 1 wonder dot nature vhas so foolish. She could shust ash well haf used oop dot material to grow fence rails und hitching posts.

If you find me some man who vhas satis-fied mit der weather und der peoples und der world, I show you somebody who vhas

dot 1 haf some neighbors who may like to der piano. We like a man who shpeaks der truth by

us, und yet shust so soon ash he tells us some-

thing unpleasant we vhas mad at him. Vhen I hear a boy whistle I feel safe. I know dot so long as he whistles he doan' put If you take a man's bad luck und trace it

back you vhill discover dot he vhas to blame

pody say how shmart und talented dey vhas all der time.

Sometimes it seems to me dot der world whas too wicked to stand much longer, and dot it whas hard to find one honest, upright man. I take some liver medicine, und lot der next day der world vhas good enough und all men vhas all right.

I haf seen a funeral procession a mile long, und two weeks later I haf asked who vhas buried dot day, and nopody could remember. Vhen a man gets through mit der world der world vhas through mit him -Carl Dunder In Detroit Free Press.

Taken to Himself.

-How delightful this little Parshley! Young Brockelsby (complast mtly)-I al- Journal wars try to be entertaining. Mrs. Parshler.

Condensed milk : Eagle brand, \$8.25; serve, got on a Chicago train bound for Den-Crown, \$7; Highland, \$6.75; Champion, ver one day last week. Away out in Kansas, ing along the bottom of an enormous near Deadwood creek, there boarded the cleft in the earth, down which Maj train a native of the soil in the shape of a Powell made his venturesome trip years woman in a green delaine dress, a blue and ago, should spread its fertilizing waters red shawl and a yellow nubia. She dropped over portions of the Yuma and Mohave easily and gracefully into the seat in front deserts instead of losing them in the sits waves of the Gulf. The climate is adof the lady in black, turned round, stared hard for a moment and then said: verse to irrigation in some respects, be-

"Widder?" "I-I-did you speak to me!" asked the lady in surprise

"Yes'm-widder?" "Yes." "Thought so. Quite recent, ch?" "Yes." "What ailed him?" "Consumption." "Linger a good while?" "I-I-yes." "Much ag'ny?" "Yes, indeed."

"Coughed a sight, hey?" "Oh, yes; but

"I know what'd cure him in less'n a month, Never knowed it to fail, an' I've seed it tried in cases where they'd been give up by five doctors. Yes'm. But it ain't no use talkin' "bout that now. Any childrenf"

"Yes, three." "His folks got 'em " "No; but really, I"-"Two boys an' a girl, or two girls an' bovr

"Two girls " "Oh! D'd you get your thirds out an' out

"Really, madam, I"-"Or did he leave a will!"

"Excuse me, but"-"The law gives a woman her thirds, but

tain't often she gits 'em out 'n' out. I think she'd ort to have half, don't you?" "I-I-really, I don't know."

"Well, I do, Was you made gardeen of the children ?" "No-that is"-

"Well, I bet I'd be gardeen of my own young uns if my man was to die. These gar-deens git the prop'ty half the time. Did he have money in bankf"

"I beg your pardon, but"-"You ort to made him put it in your name. It makes it lots easier when the man dies to settle things up. His kin try to break the will!

"Excuse me"-

"A man cayn't die nowadays 'thout a pack o' his folks tryin' to break the will, no matter how many wives and children he has. You goin' to wear crape all the time or only a year/

"Pardon me, but"___ "It's becomin' to you, but kinder expensive

for common wear. But dear me, you ain't more'n 36 or 37, are you?"

No reply. "I don't know how you feel 'bout second arriages, but I"---"Oh, madam, please"-

"You'll marry agin, now I'll bet you do. Oh, I know how you feel now. My sister Cindy felt and talked jist so, an' she married agin in six months, an' done well, too. I'd wait a year, if I was you. It looks better, shows respect and all that; but if I was young as you an' had only three children Pdn.

But the lady in black had fled to the next car, and her consoler turned to the man on her right and said:

"Talk bout her not marryin' agin! I've an idee she's goin' west a purpose to see if the kin do well there, and I don't blame her." -Detroit Free Press

The Bazor for Business.

The Cincinnati Enquirer compiles statistics to prove that the razor is a surer and better weapon for attack and defense than the much vaunted bowie knife, and it adds that the man who displays one is generally more feared than the one who handles a six shooter.

Likely

A roll of butter was recently found in a well on Long Island. Probably the landlady who owned it forgot to lock it up the night before it ran away .- New York Morning



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Mrs. Parshley (as the boat pitches a triffe