EUGENE CITY, OREGON.

Want the Time in Which to

Register Extended.

Trunt Husband Found-The Court Decides Against a Receiver.

SEATTLE.—The example set by Judge Caldwell of the United States Circuit Court in restoring the wages of the Union Pacific employes, which had been arbitrarily cut by receivers without notice to or consent of the employes them- in New York and eloped with the wife selves, has been followed by Judge Lang- of August Hockman Mrs. Anna Friedley of the Superior Court in restoring crike Wolfenstein has found the guilty the wages of conductors and motormen on the Rainier-avenue electric line, which had been summarily cut from 20 cents to 18 cents per hour by Receiver W. J. Grambs. This action by Grambs had been taken after a conference between him and other street railway managers. the Union Trunk line, the Consoli dated Street railway lines and the Thirdall arose from the investments made here by her husband of the money he hore by her husband of the money he took with him when he deserted her, and under the law of this State the wife is summarily. In these last two cases the employes also intend protesting in court against the reduction. The court said that all evidence showed that 20 cents as how we was cold for components and the state of the components of the court said that all evidence showed that 20 cents as how was considered. an hour was only fair compensation, and if the question of wages had been first presented to the court, he would have prohibited it. He commended the spirit of the men in appealing to the court in-stead of striking, and said if the men had a higher appreciation of the justice of the courts, there would be fewer strikes. The prayer of petitioners should have as yet filed no application to register. The Chinese claim that the time they were when the receiver took charge has been insufficient and the method of of the property.

INTERSTATE FAIR.

Work to be Commenced on the Ground and Buildings at Once.

TACOMA.-The trustees of the Interstate Fair have ordered work to be com menced at once. Ten thousand prospec tuses will be issued and sent throughout the East. Invitations will be sent to the tiovernors of the various States to participate, asking each State to appoint commission to meet at facoma in May expenses to be paid by the fair. The 150,000 needed, in addition to a capital of 1200,000 already invested in land and buildings, has been subscribed, and work will begin very soon. A clearing becomprising 2,000 men of all occupations will be employed to remove the brust from the site overlooking l'uget Sound Washington, Oregon, Idano, British Co lumbia and Alaska will be represented The fair will open August 15 and con tinue ten weeks. The fair aims to pretinue ten weeks. The lair aims to present a complete exhibition of the varie resources of the great Northwest for the benefit of Eastern investors and intend ing settlers and to bring the people the Northwest together for an inte change of ideas regarding the develop ment of the North Pacific coast regio

AN ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

Southern Pacific Conductors Stand is With the Scalpers.

San Francisco.—Another sensation is brewing for conductors on the Los Angeles division of the Southern Pacific. The first intimation of the trouble was during the preliminary examination of J. H. Andress and J. A. Whiteside, two clerks, who are being jointly tried with A. B. and M. Greenwald, ticket brokers. A. B. Greenwald, who was on the witness stand in his own behalf, dropped a hint which leads the company to be-lieve that conspiracy to defrand extends to the conductors. Under cross-examination Greenwald said he told Whiteside and Andross they were perfectly safe in selling tickets to him, for both he and his brother made a practice to clip the corner off all t-ckets sold by them, so that conductors would know at a glance that the ticket came from their office and would say nothing. An investiga tion is now in progress upon the theory that a conspiracy exists between Green-wald and the conductors. Thus far up-ward of \$15,000 worth of fraudulent tickets have been accounted for, and th investigation has only begun.

A MURDERER CONFESSES.

He Clears His Father and Sister of the

Charge. SPOKANE.-There was a dramatic scene in court the other day in the Wilson murder trial. Charles Wilson and his son and daughter, Benton and Nellie, were on trial for the murder of the latter's husband, J. W. Johnson, near Chattaroy. The court had overruled a mo-tion for dismissal, when Judge Clagett for the defense announced that he had a revelation to make—that Benton Wilson killed Johnson; that it was done partly in self-defense, but more particularly in defense of his sister, and that the others were innocent. Later the Wilsons went on the stand, and Benton told the story of the tragedy. He walked along the road with Johnson, trying to get from him a check for his sister's trunk. Johnson frothed with rage. Suddenly he turned with a threat to go back and kill his wife, and as he did so threw his hand ek to his recoiver pocket. Then young Wilson struck him in the back of bead with a knotty club, crushing in his skull. He dragged the body into the brush, and that night buried it.

timber. The Otympia office finds that Redman has acted in good faith, and dismissed the case.

Strike a Gold Mine. TACOMA.-Some excitement exists in this vicinity over recent gold discoveries. Joseph and Edward de Langevin have filed mineral claims on twenty acres of the city, claiming gold is to be found covered with blood. Randolph was a there in paying quantities. The De native of New York, and leaves a brother Langevine claim they discovered the and two sisters in California. S. A. gold two years ago while digging a well st their home, and that when they pump the gold comes up is fine and that when they pump rested on suspicion. the gold comes up in fine sand from the bottom of the well. They have also discovered gold in a guich back of their

anywhere along the streams west of the Cascades. The question is whether the quantity is sufficient to pay for the work.

Just What Immigrants Want OLYMPIA, - Secretary of State Price is empiling a book, soon to be published, which will be a work descriptive of the State by counties and is designed to meet CUNNING CHINESE a growing demand for information co a growing demand for information con-cerning this State on the part of pres-pective immigrants. It is impossible for the various State officers to answer the correspondence of this character re-ceived every day. For the purpose of securing reliable information and statis-tics Secretary Price addressed a circular letter to Boards of Trade as well as com-ty officials, requesting that such matter ty officials, requesting that such matter be furnished immediately for publication BENTON WILSON CONFESSES. in this book. The counties generally throughout the State have responded and considerable matter is now ready for compilation. However, the three prin-Work on the Interstate Fair Begun-A cipal counties of the State have not bee heard from, neither King, Spokane nor Pierce having as yet contributed to this work, which, if published, will be a source of great good to the State.

Truant Husband Discovered.

SEATTLE.-After a search of fourteen years for the husband who deserted her to recover a portion of the wealth which her husband and the woman he has been living with have accumulated. Most the property is in the name of the wom-an, but Mrs. Wolfenstein alleges that it all arose from the investments made here by her husband of the money he took with him when he descried her, and under the law of this State the wife is

Chinese Registration. SAN FRANCISCO.-The registration of Chinese in San Francisco under the Mc-Creary act has not been as active as was expected at the time of its passing, and registration inadequate, and are said to have sent an appeal to Washington for more time. The last day is May 3. It is claimed that the preparations of the visions were not completed until Jan-uary 2, when the bureau in this city was opened for business. Consequently there cas a long period of time in which the Chinese who wanted to register were de nied the opportunity. The appeal sent to Washington aska a considerable ex ension of time, but it is believed the Chinese will be satisfied if given two months additional.

Founderest in the Breakers. San Francisco.-News has been eived of the loss of the fishing schooner Dauntless and the drowning of four mer et the month of Klamath river on the North California coast early on the morn ng of the 12th. The schooner was com-pletely wrecked. All on board perished The drowned are Captain Marques, tw eamen named Thompson and Brown and Avery Edson, a youth, whose par nts live at Crescent City. The bodie d Captain Marquez, Avery Edson and und one of the sailors have been cast pon the beach. The disaster resulted brough an attempt to put to sea from the Klamath river during a gale. The schooner foundered in the breakers on

An Attorney Suspended.

SALEM.—The Supreme Court has ma the following order: In the matter of the charges against C. H. Finn, an atforney of this court, of willful misconluct in his profession, the defendant his proceeding having been suspended from practicing in the courts of this State by the Circuit Court of Wasco county until the first of this term, and the matter having been regularly brought before this court, after hearing the arguments of the respective attorneys the court finds the charges supported by the evidence, and orders the further suspension of the defendant.

Transplanted Oysters.

SOUTH BEND.-The discovery has been made that Eastern oysters will propagate in Willapa Bay. An oysterman put out some Eastern plants three years ago. and recently while tonging native oys-ters on his beds brought up Eastern oyster spawn. The discovery is a most im portant one to the oystermen, as it will revolutionize the business. Not until the South Bend harbor-line case is settled will the oystermen engage in the cultivation of Eastern oysters, as until then they can secure no title to their oyster grounds. At present they have barely more than a squatter's right to

After Five Minutes' Deliberation. Sax Francisco,-William Fredericks was found guilty of the murder of Cashier Herrick after five minutes' deliberation by the jury. Fredericks' trial was prosecuted with great expedition. No testimony was introduced by the defense, but Fredericks' attorney attempted in his argument to show that Herrick was accidentally shot by Assistant Cashier Melvin during the fasilade which fol-lowed Fredericks' attempted raid of the bank. Fredericks was unmoved when the verdict was announced.

A Contest Dismined. OLYMPIA.-The local land office has dismissed the case of Matthew Murphy of Seattle vs. John D. Redman of Olym pia. Redman entered 160 acres three miles from Olympia, but Murphy con-tested on the ground that Redman had offered to dispose of the claim before making final proof and was selling the

A Horrible Murder. SALT LAKE .- A special from Hailey, Idaho, to the Tribune says: S. R. Randolph, a farmer living on Silver creek, Logan county, was murdered in bed the other night. valuable land in the residence part of the city, claiming gold is to be found covered with blood. Randolph was a all indebtedness, amounted to \$400,000.

OLYMPIA.-Superintendent of Public house. They propose to form a stock company and begin mining operations.

Within a few days several gold placer in four cases of appeals from decisions of the County Superintendent of Lincoln Bates from New York to Washington. creek, one mile from Sumner and nine county. These were the cases where applicants for teachers' certificates were

AS A PEACEMAKER.

Uncle Sam Uses His Influence in Behalf of Clemency.

THE DENVER AND GULF ROAD.

The Report of the House Committee or Navat Affairs Does Not Recommend a New Battle Ship.

WASHINGTON,-The present and prosstates in comparison with that of foreign powers is set forth in the report of the House Committee on Naval Affairs pre- shall apply. sented by Chairman Cummings. The the construction of a new battle ship be-cause of the depleted condition of the treasury. It is agreed, however, that navy. England proposes, says the re-port, to begin seven battle ships of the first class, six cruisers of the second class and two sloops. Italy with a depleted treasury is preparing to build three first-class battle ships, three cruisers, twelve torpedo boats and four transports. Germany, France and Russia are going to even greater lengths to secure the invented for the secure that the secure that the secure the invented for the secure that the secure that the secure the invented for the secure that the secure that the secure the invented for the secure that the

In view of this fact it certainly would not be safe for the United States to build no more battle ships. With increasing mit their continued vexatious existence prosperity the work should go on till the American navy is strong enough to stand all exigencies. The slight increase proby the committee will certainly not burden the country with taxation during the coming year, and with renewed prosperity the work can be con-tinued in the future without overburdening the nation. The total loss of the Kearsarge leaves the Hartford, Admiral Farragut's flag ship, the only vessel in the new navy aside from the irigate Constitution around which historical mem-

ries cluster." The committee in accordance with the wishes of the Navy Department has recnumended liberal appropriations for her preservation, believing public sentiment

THE DENVER AND GULF. Ex-Governor Evans Against

the Election. DEXVER .- Wells, Taylor & Taylor, atorneys for ex-tiovernor John Evans, nave filed a petition with the United States Cou t asking to have the recent lection of directors of the Union Pacific, Denver and Gulf road set aside. petition recites the protests made by overnor Evans at the time of the elecion, April 10, against voting of the Union Pacific interest, goes ver the story of the acquisition of fulf road by the Union Pacific and the illeged intentional mismanagement or he tiulf by the controlling corporat on, ells the facts of the recent election of reviously arranged at Omaha, and recats the protest made by Governor ivans against including the Gulf in the roposed reorganization of the Union nion l'acific is planning to take adantage of the poverty-stricken condinismanagement of the controlling corporation, to cause a foreclosure and sale and that the Union Pacific desires to my up the property and make it a part of the larger system, thus doing away with a formidable competitor.

WASHINGTON,-The feeling among the taken concerning the Breckinridge scanlal, although one of the best lawyers in the House said the constitution gave ample authority. Precedents cited, however, deal almost exclusively with of-fenses of a personal nature committed on the floor of the House, as for instance the case of Brooks, who was expelled for assaulting Charles Sumner with a cane. There appears to be a lack of precedents for offenses committed outside of Congress. Some members interviewed declared no action can be taken on the numerous petitions, which are said to be on the way to the House, demanding the bers affirming Breckinridge is only answerable to his constituents; but the burden of Congressional opinion is against this view, though it is pretty titions will be taken further than allowing them to be read.

Uncle Sam a Peacemaker.

WASHINGTON. - For the clemency shown and the general amnesty extended by President Peixoto the Brazilian rebels have thanked the United States. for it was through the efforts of Secre tary Gresham that the expediency and propriety of this humane course was arged upon the Brazilian government, although we have declined to act in conjunction with other nations, notally lady and Portugal, in making a join representation to this end. Our govern-ment made no formal proposition, nor anything that could be construed into a demand to yield, which would have stung the pride of the great neighboring Re public, but in an unofficial way through Minister Mendonca it has been made clear to Peixoto that he would add to the glory of his triumph and sooner reod feeling at home and retain the respect of other powers by kind and hu-mane treatment of the defeated rebels.

New Youk .- John Anderson bas be gun suit in the United States Circuit Court before Judge Chapman against John W. Mackay of the Commercial Caole Company for \$100,000, alleged to be due him for services to the Commercial Telegram Company, of which he was nager and Treasurer from March, 1885. to March, 1890. Anderson's contract was nade with Edward S. Stokes, who transferred his stock in the company to Mackay lanuary 1, 1889, one of the conditions of the transfer being that this contract should be assumed by Mackay. It is harged in the complaint that the value beaten in of the stock in the Commercial Telegram

Changes in the Pay Corps.

Washington,-Secretary Lamont has made an important change in the Setail of the officers of the pay corps of the army. W. F. Tucker has been relieved and Major F. A. Tower from Santa Fe to New York. Captain W. L. Pitcher has been relieved from duty at army headmiles east of accounts. A marking params for trace of the company and are making are prospecting there, and are making up to the relieved as not coming up to the regiment so the examination, and who quarters here and ordered to join his nates discretionary powers conferred on quarters here and ordered to join his nates discretionary powers conferred on the visiting engineers in the original bill.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NEWS.

Senator Palmer has introduced a bill repealing the State bank tax, but pro-hibiting the issuing of money by State banking institutions or other corporaons except national banks.

Speaker Crisp has authorized Sergean Snow to make public the new form overtificate by which the old law in disuse or thirty years is revived and the pay of members is "docked" for absenterism. The member certifies to the number of days he was absent during the month, and the Speaker certifies to the amount due him.

Senator Call from the Committee on Public Lands has reported his bill set-ting apart 1,000,000 acres for each of the arid-land States and Territories to be repective naval strength of the United claimed in small tracts by means of it rigation. Kansas, Montana and Okla-homa are added to the States and Territories to which the provisions of the bill

The Navy Department has just report states that the committee has re-lished the reprimand in the case of Cap-luctantly concluded not to recommend tain E. M. Shepard, who was convicted

crease of their navies. The report then that Chili would agree to such a proposition. It is understood the Chilian gov Superintendent Stump of the immigration bureau with the approval of Sec-

retary Carlisle has issued an important circular of instructions to commissioners immigration, collectors of custom and immigration inspectors, which ex-tends all the prohibitive and inspection stores of the present regulations relating to transoceanic immigration to perwater from Canada, Newfoundland and Legislation is probable during the

present Congress looking to the abolition of the office of Collector of Customs at a number of smaller ports, transferring the business to larger offices. Among the places named are Humboldt and Eureka, Cal., and Coos Bay and Yaquina, Or. Secretary Hamblin concurs in the proposed changes. The Assistant Secretary favors a more comprehensive measure consolidating some districts in the interest of economy.

Mallory has reported from the Committee on Commerce a bill to place on waiting orders or permanently remove from the active list officers of the revnue cutter service who become incapacitated by reason of infirmities, age or physical or mental disability to jently perform duties of their office. Varancies in the active list occasioned by regular incapacitated officers will be ited by promotion in order of seniority after a written examination as to profes cional qualifications.

The modifications which have been noxious to our government, and the British Columbian newspapers last fall, and it would be a difficult task for the owners and masters of any scaling crait to convince an inpartial Judge that they were not aware of the provisions of lish such ignorance their vessels and her and put her into service as a freight argoes are no longer free from forfeit and passenger boat between California The opportunities to plead ignor- ports. ance are expected to be very few, as it is onite 300 tons, and for some time eported that the customs officers at not been rated as first-class. She was leading members of the House of Rep-victoria notified all of the sealers clear-in command of Cantain George Leland. award, and warned their masters of the the shore, have long been a menace danger of seizure.

Another international monetary con ference, this time perhaps to be held in the City of Mexico, is among the probabilities. The government through its diplomatic representatives is quietly pressing upon the attention of the powers the feasibility of again undertaking an adjustment of the monetary question, and the time is believed ripe for further efforts in that direction. Minister Romero has already suggested the matter to our government in a way that does not at the moment require a direct response, and the President is considering carefully, for undoubtedly the of the undertaking will depend in a large ence almost of 100 others variously en-measure upon the support of the United gaged in and about the county court-ton is of first too, is of first importance, and the report that she will limit her representatives to that of India hardly realizes the iopes of the projectors, though it may

not defeat the meeting. Census officials are confident that a sus reports are being doctored are ab-surd. The reports are being brought not be definitely determined until the sus have been in any way suppressed or eral persons in various portions of the changed. As the Superintendent origithat declaration.

Senator Morgan, Chairman of the Senthe Secretary of the Treasury is to issue f4,500,000 of bonds of the company, guaranteer by the United States. The new bill strikes out the Flovision forbidding government directors to be stockally government directors to be stockally in the company, and also eliminated by the company and the boundary of the building. This entrance is rarely used. The window by which the would be assessed in supposed to have made his escape opens from the rear of all its flush with the roof of a shed, from the company and the company and the company and the company are considered by the company and the company are considered by the company and the company and the company and the company are considered by the company and the company and the company are considered by the company are considered by the company and the company are considered by the compan

LOS ANGELES SUNK

Upon the Rocks, and Sank in Ten Minutes-A Complete Wreck.

MONTEREY, Cal.-The Pacific Coast

and way ports to San Francisco, ran on the rocks at Point Sur lighthouse, thirty miles south of Monterey, between 9 and ported, 30@32c; domestic, 16@18c per and way ports to San Francisco, ran on 10 o'clock Sunday night. The passengers and crew took to the boats, and the boatloads reached the shore at Point Sur. | pound; dressed, 16@17c. there must be no halt in building up the partment thereon in general orders to be. The first news of the disaster was brought here by messenger. Two boats and a raft containing the other passengers and members of the crew were met by the steamer Eureka. The Eureka rescued for seed, 80@90c; onlons (buying price), \$2.25@2.75 per sack; sweet potatoes. about 9 r. u. The captain, who had re-tired, had given orders to the third mate to call him when a certain number of er, \$2.75 per crate, \$1.00 per dozen; pars-revolutions of the wheel had been noted. ley, 25c per dozen; string beans, 30c per ernment is anxions to promptly settle the remaining claims rather than to per- went upon the rocks at 9:15, and in ten minutes she sank. The captain instantordered out the lifeboats and a raft. Two of the boats, containing about fifty men, succeeded in reaching the shore. Two others and the raft kept out to sea. hief Engineer Wallace in charge of one of the boats saw the steamer Eureka, and succeeded in getting within hailing distance. The steamer lay to, and sent out boats to search for the other party. They soon found the raft with seven per sons, and the next morning about 7 o'clock picked up the other boat, containing fourteen more. They sent boats to those on shore, and offered to take to those on shore, and offered to take them aboard the steamer: but, owing to the roughness of the surf, they declined to attempt to board the boats. Four dead bodies have been recovered, and Captain Leland of the Los Angeles is reported in a critical condition by his brother, Captain James Leland of the Eureka. The two brothers have been sailing this coast about twenty-five years.

1.50; strawberries, \$2.25@2.45; cherries, \$1.85@2.00; iaspberries, \$2.25@2.40; pineappies, \$2.25@2.40; pineappies, \$2.25@2.80; apricots, \$1.65. Pie fruits, assorted, \$1.20; plackberries, \$1.25@1.40 per dozen. Pie fruits, gallons, assorted, \$3.15@3.50; peaches, \$3.50@4.00; apricots, \$3.50@4.00; plums, \$2.75@3.00; blackberries, \$4.25@4.50; tomatoes, \$1.10. sailing this coast about twenty-five years. All the ladies and children were saved and brought up on the Eureka.

The passengers who effected a landing at Point Sur after the wreck and arrived re are the following: Charles Rott J. J. Webster, Thomas Sanford, E. S. Toynsin, E. H. Jacobs and two orphan boys named Martinez from Los Angeles, Frank and George Ey of Santa Ana, Y. Holcomb of Hueneme, S. D. Nichols and George Hobart of San Luis Obispo John Lateli of Cavneos, F. Conwav and Quong Jack of Santa Barbara, J. Im perti of San Simon and Charles Pendenit and V. A. Simpson of Ventura.

The steamer is a complete wreck. Th bottom is all punched out, and nothing made in the Behring Sea bill have robbed can now be seen of the popular Los Anthat measure of the features which were g-les except the tops of her masts. She g-les except the tops of her masts. She apricots, 15@16c; peaches, 12@14c sank in about six fathoms of water, and pears, 7@11c per pound. it is believed that if the act is thorough- it will be impossible to save anything by administered there will be little op- from her, for the spot where she lies is ortunity for pelagic sealing in the closed | the most rocky and dangerous on the

he award, and until they could established foodall, Perkins & Co. purchased year of the provisions of the ter of ugly spars about a mile out from navigation on the southern route. In 1875 the Entura, a handsome steamer which was at that time the largest yessel in the service of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, was lost on these

SHOT AND ROBBED.

score of deputies were busily engaged in

the collection of taxes, within the pres-

Boldest Crime Ever Committed in Port land-Treasurer's Office Looted.

in the office of his father, County Treasurer Malarkey, was shot down by a mur derous assailant, the vault robbed of all its valuable contents, and two hours fore the atrocious act was dicovered the thief and would-be murderer had escaped. It is the holdest robbery ever committed thoroughly satisfactory adjustment of in the city, and when it became known the work of the eleventh census will rethe work of the eleventh census will re-sult in the carrying into effect of the the identity of the robber-assassin is enbill, which has just passed Congress, veloped in mystery, but the detectives providing for an extension of time for attached to the central police station, the completion of work till March next keenly alive to the situation, are hard at Superintendent of Census Wright says: work on various clews with a promise of 'The extension of time is for the purpose of allowing proof-reading to be wound is not considered fatal, and at last est familiar with cen- accounts he was resting easily. sus volumes the statements that the cen- amount stolen by the robber is variously out in all the integrity of Mr. Porter's books are gone over. As near as can be plans. Wherever matter has been or ascertained the robbery and shooting ocwill be eliminated it is or will be because in accordance with his approved ideas. No facts collected for the eleventh cennally declared officially that it was to be a purely statistical census, the present where. One or two persons had enough administration is trying to conform to curiosity to look around for the cause of the noise, but, finding everything quiet, returned to their duties without com-Senator Morgan, Chairman of the Sen-ate Committee on Foreign Relations, has reported favorably a bill intended as a 3:20 o'clock, that the crime was discovcommittee substitute for the Nicaragua ered. It was he who first entered the canal bill heretofore introduced by him.

The bill differs in some respects from the his son beside the looted vanit. He at original measure. It contemplates full once raised the alarm. The word was re-operation on the part of the United passed from mouth to mouth, and in a original measure. It contemplates full co-operation on the part of the United States in the work of the Nicaragua Mercantile Company. All stocks, bonds and bond obligations and liabilities of the company are to be canceled to sattle company are to be canceled to satisfy delux and enable the company to of the building and just across the hall take care of its stocks and bond obliga-tions. An issue of \$10,000,000 of non-rooms, each about twenty feet square, tions. An issue of \$10,000,000 of non-assessable stock at par is to be issued, The Secretary of the Treasury is to control the retirement of obligations and that the shooting occurred. The entrance the sale of the new stock. The bill orige to the front office is directly across the inally introduced provided for the im-mediate issuance of only \$1,000,000 of isonis, which the new bill increases to

THE PORTLAND MARKET.

WHEAT-Valley, 85c; Walla Walls, 75c

The Vessel Goes Down, and
Four Are Drowned.

Flows—Portland, \$2.55; Salem, \$2.55; Cascadia, \$2.55; Dayton, \$2.55; Walis Walla, \$2.90; Snowflake, \$2.65; Corvalis, \$2.65; Pendleton, \$2.65; Graham, \$2.40; superfine, \$2.25 per barrel, OATS — White, \$2.65; Dayton, \$2.55; Graham, \$2.40; superfine, \$2.25; per barrel, \$2.50; per barrel, \$2.60; per barrel, \$2.60

Milletures — Bran, \$16@18; shorts, \$16@18; ground barley, \$19@20; chop-feed, \$15@16 per ton; whole feed barley, \$16 per ton; whole feed barley, \$16 per ton; middlings, \$23@28 per ton; Upon the Books, and Sank in Ten chicken wheat, 65c@\$1.15 per cental. HAY-Good, \$10@12 per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCE. MONTEREY, Cal.—The Pacific Coast Steams-hip Company's steamer Los An- 22)uc; fancy dairy, 15@175uc; fair to geler, bound north from Newport, Cal., good, 123-2414c; common, 10c per pound; Californi, 30@40c per roll.

> Eggs-Oregon, 10e per dozen. POULTRY-Chickens, mixed, quoted at

steamer rank within a few minutes. So \$4,00@4.50 per dozen; ducks, \$5.00; far as known four lives were lost. Two geese, \$8.00; turkeys, live, 14@14c per VEGETABLES AND PRUIT. VEGETABLES-California cabbage, 1140

them, and brought them to Monterey. From them it was learned that the Loss Ange'es reached the Point Sur light ery, 85@90c; artichokes, 50c per dozen; California lettuce, 25c per dozen; Oregon hothouse lettuce, 356450c; cauliflow ley, 25c per dozen; string beans, 30c per pound; asparagus, \$1.40 1.65 per box rhubarb, 3@4c per pound; peas, 5@6c; cucumbers, \$1.50 per dozen.

Faurrs-California fancy lemons, \$3.25 5.50 per box; bananas, \$1.75@2.50 per bunch : Honolulu, \$3.00@3.50 : California navel oranges, \$2.50ei3.25 per box; seedlings, \$1.75@2.00; Rose, \$2.75@3.25; Malta blood, \$3.00; apples (buying price), green, \$1.00@1.25; red, \$1.25@1.75 per

CANNED GOODS CANNED GOODS-Table fruits, assorted, \$1.75@2.00; peaches, \$1.75@2.00; Bartlett pears, \$1.75@2.00; plums, \$1.37)@@1.50; strawberries, \$2.25@2.45; cherries, MEATS—Corned beef, 1s, \$1.50; 2s, \$2.25; chipped, \$2.40; lunch tongue, 1s, \$3.50; 2s, \$6.75@7.00; deviled ham, \$1.50

(a 2.75 per dozen; roast beef, 1s, \$1.50 2s, \$2.25. Fini—Sardines, \(\lambda_8, \) 75c@\$2.25; \\ \lambda_8, \) \$2.15@\$4.50; lobsters, \\$2.30@3.50; salmon, tin 1-lb talls, \\$1.25@1.50; flats, \\$1.75; 2-lbs, \\$2.25@2.50; \\ \lambda_0\)-barrel, \\$5.50.

COFFEE-Costa Rica, 23e; Rio, 22@23e Salvador, 22c; Mocha, 2614@28c; Arbuckle's, Columbia and Lion, 100-pound DRIED FAUITS - 1893 pack, Petite runes, 6628c; silver, 106212c; Italian,

8@10c; German, 6@8c; plums, 6@10c;

STAPLE GROCERIES.

evaporated apples, 8@10c; evaporated Salt — Liverpool, 200s, \$15.50; 100s, \$16.00; 50s, \$16.50; stock, \$8.50es9.50. -Eastern, in barrels, 40@55c in half barrels, 42@57c; in cases, 356c

80c per gallon; \$2.25 per keg; California, in barrels, 20@40c per gallon; \$1.75 per SUGAR-D, 4%c; Golden C, 5c; extra 5,54c; confectioners' A,554c; dry gran-ulated, 554c; cube, crushed and pow-dered, 656c per pound; 54c per pound discount on all grades for prompt cash;

maple sugar, 15@16c per pound, Rice—No. 1 Sandwich Island, \$4.50@ 4.75; Japan, \$5.00@15.25. BEANS-Small white, No. 1, 3 c: No. 2, 3c; large white, 34c; pea beans, 34c; pink, 3c; bayou, 34c; butter, 34c;

Pickles-Barrels, No. 1, 28@30c per gallon; No. 2, 26@28e; kegs, 5s, 85e per keg; half gallons, \$2.75 per dozen; quarter gallons, \$1.75 per dozen. SPICES-Whole-Allspice, 18@20c per pound; cassia, 16@18c; cinnamon, 22@ 40e; cloves, 18@30e; black pepper, 15@

221c; white pepper, 20@25c; nutmeg, 75@80c. Raisins-London layers, boxes, \$1.75. @2.00; halves, \$2.00@2.25; quarters, \$2.25@2.75; eighths, \$2.50@3.00. Loose Muscatels, boxes, \$1.50; fancy faced, PORTLAND.—Within twenty feet of the \$1.75; bags, 3 crown, 4)4665c per pound; as the lar Sheriff's office, where that official and a crown, boxes, \$1 \$1.75@2.00; bags, 6@8c per

pound. LIVE AND DRESSED MEATS. BEEF-Top steers, \$2.50@2.75; fair to good steers, \$2.00@2.25; cows, \$1.75@ 2.25; dressed beef, 4@5c per pound. MUTTON - Best sheep, \$2.25; ewes,

Hoos-Choice heavy, \$4.00; light and feeders, \$3.75; dressed, 6@7c per pound. Veat.—Small choice, 5c; large, 3@4c

EASTERN SHOKED MEATS AND LARD-Hams, medium, 12@12\c per pound; hams, large, 11\c @12\c; hams, picnic, 11@12c; breakfast bacon, 13@15c; short clear sides, 95@11c; dry salt sides, 9@10c; dried beef hams, 125@13c; lard, compound, in tins, 85@10c per pound; pure, in tins, 1014@1114c; pigs leet, 80s, \$5.50; pigs' feet, 40s, \$3.25 kits, \$1.25.

Hors, wood AND HIDES. Hors—'93s, choice, 12½@13½c per pound; medium, 10@12c; poor, neg-Woot-Valley, 106t1016e per pound;

Umpqua, 10@10%c; Eastern Oregon, 4 67c, according to quality and shrinkage. Hinks—Dry selected prime, 5c; green, salted, 60 pounds and over, 3½c; under 60 pounds, 2@3c; sheep pelts, shearlings, 10@15c; medium, 20@35c; long wool, 30@60c; tallow, good to choice, 3@3½c per pound. CORDAGE.

Manilla rope, 114 in. cir. and up, 10c; manilla rope, 12-thread, 1/2 diam., 10%c manilla rope, 6 and 9-thread, 14 and 5-16 diam., He; manilla bail rope, in coils or on reeis, Ide; manilla lath yarn, tarred, se; manilla hawser-laid rope wellboring, etc., 13c; manilla transmission-Sige; sisal lath yarn, tarred, 71ge; hopvine twine, tarred, 7c; sisal paper twine,

Friend-Why don't you give up this business for something that is semi-re-

spectable? Bunco Man-I'm going to. I intend to study law as soon as I get a little

She (thinking of ante-matrimonial days)-What does this coffee remind

He (tasting it critically)-It reminds me of coffee, but that is all.-West FOWL FECUNDITY

The Opinion of a Prominent Breeder Given

OF INTEREST TO POULTRYMEN

Black-Plumaged Birds Lay the Greatest Number of Eggs in a Given Length of Time-Agricultural Notes.

This is a question that would bardly enter into the thoughts of the average poultryman, and if broached to him, he loubtless would treat the subject with contempt and derision. That the color of a bird should in any wise influence its prolificacy would upon the face of it seem ludicrous, to say the least. But I am not prepared to deny or affirm the truthfolness of the assertion.

My attention was first called to the fact by a breeder of considerable prominence. He had been asked which breed fowls he considered the best layers. His reply was that the question was a decidedly hard one to answer. Continning, he said: · Did you ever note the color of a bird

as bearing upon its egg-producing qualities? I have made the subject one of considerable thought and study, and such as I hate to state it, I must admit that birds possessing black plumage will lay the greatest number of ergs in a given length of time, all things being equal. My observation has been that party-colored birds, with the exception #4.00; common, \$2.00@3.00; Sicily, \$5.00 of those possessing a portion of white it the plumage, come next in order of prolifeacy, while those possessing much white or purely white plumage range lowest in the scale. I have also observed that black fowls beget a large percentage of chickens from eggs set and of a more igorous nature. I am free to say, though, that it goes against my grain to ad this, because on general principles I dislike dark-colored fowls. They almost invariably have black legs, which means a bluish-white skin, both of which are detestable to me. I love a rich yellow leg an I yellow skin every time. But, if eggs sere the sole object of my keeping fowls, I certainly would select some black or at least dark-plumaged fowl."

This is a subject worthy the earnest consideration of those who keep poultry

purely for eggs. Whether this gentleman is right or wrong is not for me to say. I give you his words just as they were given to me, and you must draw cour own conclusions. It is surely a very interesting theme, and those in a position to do so would do well to the correctness or incorrectness of this gentleman's observations

Finding Live Weight.

So natural is the desire to get at the ive weight of a beast and so rare the pportunity of getting to the scales, says orthwest Farmer, that the rule given below may be found handy. It would be well to check it by actual test. Of course, the quality of the previous feeding will always influence the result: To letermine the live weight of an animal antiply the girth in inches immediately tack of the shoulders by the length in inches from the square of the buttock to the point of the shoulder-blade, and divide the product by 144, which will give the number of superficial feet. If the animal has a girth of from 3 to 5 feet, multiply the number of superficial feet which will give the weight of the animal. If the girth is from 5 to 7 feet, multiply by 21, and if from 7 to 9 feet, multiply by 31. If less than 3 feet girth, as in case of small calves, hogs, sheep, etc., multiply by 11. The weight will be approximately correct.

FARM NOTES.

The cow that is left in the barnyard over night to pick the cornstalks for lar meal will give milk in proportion to de treatment received.

It is better to have one variety of fret that is satisfactory than to have seveni kinds, the unjority of which may possees no merit or quality.

The grape is propagated from cuttings, and a single vine will produce a large number of cuttings in one season. Early -pring is an excellent time for such work. Feeding all sizes of hogs together is an excellent method of overfeeding the larger ones and stinting the smaller ones.

The man who raises grain must have stock to feed it to in order to get the best price for it and keep the fertility on the land; but, if scrub stock will pay at all, improved breeds will yield much better returns.

as the larger ones will secure nearly all

The profit in butter-making depends on the cost of making and the selling price. Study how to make first-class outter at minimum price, and if the botter is first-class, there will be no trouble about the price. While a scrap book is regarded as a

great convenience, a book in which to record recipes and formulas is decidedly rofitable. The time in searching through the notion box is saved and consequent vexation avoided. Broad tires art as rollers. Narrow

tires cut the road into ditches. The advocates of wide tires for heavy loads upon our country roads claim that leams can draw from 25 to 30 per cent more load than when narrow tires are used. An Ohio man who fed twelve hogs on theat estimates that he got (67.20) for

fifty bushels of wheat by marketing it in the form of pork; whereas, if he had sold it, he would only have received (2). He advises buying hogs, even at a good price, to feed the wheat to. Helebore has been used for years as a protection to currents, and it has been

ound that a small proportion of white

helebore in a weak solution of kerosene emulsion, sprayed on pear trees and grape vines with a fine hose, will be sure leath to any slugs that may inlest them The early spring is the time to set out ries, strawberries and currants should be in every garden. The currents are more neglected and overlooked than they should be. The bushes thrive on land that is somewhat moist, but not on wet

soil. A partially shady place is not ob-

ectionable. They must be well ma-The best methods of using poultry droppings at this season is to apply them to the garden plot. As fast as they are umulate spread them on the ground. If the garden has been spaded during the warm spell, so much the better. Or they may be broadcasted over the land. The rains and frost will pulverize the droppings and carry the soluble portions into the coll

How much a horse may suffer from a harness that does not fit, or which ngh and painful to the animal, may be unknown, but one of the first duties on taking a horse out to work should be to examine the harness and also to care lly look for sores or galls. The harnest should be kept clean and well oiled in order to have every part soft, smooth