The pecduct of wool in the United States, from a very small beginning early in the present century, has reached about 200,000,000 pounds of unscentred wool, an average of about four pounds to the fleece, the yield being mostly from Merino sheep, of which none at all are bred in Great Britain. California produces about one fourth this quantity, and the Pacific slope almost one third. The interior of the continent is favorably adapted for sheep raising of the Spanish Merinos, that do not require so much care as the British long wools.

The total wool clip of the world in 1877 was estimated at about 1.497,500, 000 pounds, worth \$160,000,000. This when scoured would yield about 852 -600,000 pounds of clean wool. The fleece of the Merino sheep, the breed most raised in the United States, is of various qualities, according to its location on the body of the animal, and is adapted to very widely different pur poses. Those persons whose business it is to sort out the various sorts of wool in the fleece, are known in the trade as staplers. These men pull the fleece to pieces and sort it out in the following proportions for several different qualities of wools: (1) Super, for coarse flannel, blankets, etc , 1 ez ; (2) livey, for coase army, navy and prison cloth, 1 oz; (3) gray tegg, for hats and heavy cloths, 21/2 cz; (4 prime white, for cloths generally and shawle, 51/4 oz.; (5) pick tegg, for fine tweeds, shawls, blankets, 1th 7 cz; (6) super tegg friuge, for hosierv, yarns and crewels, etc., 614 oz.; (7) long tegg, for fringes, shawls, etc., 31bs 8 oz.; tetal, 51bs 151/4 oz. These products come from a tegg fleece weighing 6 lbs 1 oz.

Multiplying Strawberry Plants. would increase these sufficiently to Afghanistan, amounting to tens of make a productive bed as soon as may thousands of half civilized men, he is be. Ordinarily, the runners are left to day the ablest soldier of Asia. Destake care of themselves, and it some perate from a knowledge of the studied times happens that many fail to strike diplomatic chicanery of the represenroot; when the soil is too dry, or the tatives of the Empress of India, with plants are in a bleak place, and whom for fear of treachery, he refuses whipped about by strong winds, there to treat, and as well as the Ameer, will be many failures. With scarce bribed with millions of Russian roub kinds it will pay to seenre a plant from les, he will lead the armies of the fol each runner, or rather from each bud lowers of the Prophet to victory or to on every runner, which may be done death. by fastening them in place with a bent or forked twig, or by laying a clod of earth on the runner. Where the failure is from drouth, the soil should be mulched with cut straw, and watered picked off the buds-or young plants for years! without roots-at the ends of the run- What does this mean sir? I de ners, and packed them in damp moss. manded feerely.

of the lacerated flesh together, and not to be removed till healed, without cleanliness requires it. Then put annot allowing exposure to the air any more than impossible to prevent.

have milk, a convenient way to use up is all you will ever git with your kind old bread is, to make it into pancakes. | nv money." This is a good way to use sour bread also, as a trifle more soda than the sour milk requires to pentralize it will sweeten the sour bread too Soak the bread crumbs, (a quart or less) for a few hours in as little sweet milk as will answer. Then mash them with a four tined fork, or otherwise reduce them to treats when he should retreat. an even consistency. Add a teacnpfull of sour milk, a half teaspoonful of soda dissolved in tepid water, and flour thick and hard. Try a little on your Becessary to make light good whole- the truth. - Disraeli. some pancakes of this kind, but when Good thoughts, like rose-leaves, give three, or four eggs, as you can spare of memory. - Spurgeon.

tea leaves moistened in hot water, are one, destroyed by relic-hunters. first stages of burns and scalds. Or he is "out of polities." Parnum wants take raw onions, and pound or mash as him. He is the only man of the sort in fine as possible, and apply at once; It the great state of Ohio. will give immediate relief.

graph line. From Berlin these lines door keys on Thanksgiving Day. radiate to Cologne, Frankfort and Strausburg. When underground tel egraphic communication is completed If when of age, the junior wants to add WE WILL CONTINUE TO PURCHASE WHEAT Harburg, Bremen, Oldenburg, Emden. Coblenz, Trier and Metz, will be added to the system as fast as the weather during the winter will permit.

about fifty miles north of Los Angelos. It appears to be a snow white, resinous sabs ance, softer and lighter than for a letter of recommendation of a chalk, and burns with great brilliancy bill utterly consumed, leaving no ashes. sold him. The customer wrote: "I The discoverer states that there is a have tried all sorts of insect poison, and Thole mountain of this strange sob- find none equal to your old Cabinet stance, and fears that some wretch may whisky." set it on fire and burn up the range. Specimens have been shown in Los Angelos, and have excited great curi-

may be seen every afternoon driving in make addresses of welcome and after the Cer al Park, N. Y.

A PENNSYLVANIAN IN COMMAND OF THE

[Pitteburg Telegram.]

Nearly forty years ago in South Huntingdon township, Westmoreland, lie generally, that he is still to be found at Penn., lived John Hinton. He was an this orphan boy, rude and uneducated, and had wandered there from the neighof these the United States has about of these the United States has about borhood of Masontown, Fayette Co. where he is ready at any time, and on all 36,000,000, and Great Britain the same With no known relatives, he was occasions to set before them the best the kicked about from one family to anoth er till manhood. Enlisting then in the regular army, he served in the Florida war. At its close he helped to escort the Cherokess beyond the Mississippi. From Indian Territory he went to New Orleans, and shipped as a common sailor on a vessel bound for the East Indies. At the city of Madras, on the western shores of the bay of Bengal, he deserted and enlisted in a British regiment. He served many years, and during the memorable Sepoy rebellion was noted for his daring bravery. At his discharge he was pre sented with a gold medal by the Governor General himself. He was next make his guests comfortable and happy. heard of traveling in a caravan from Delhi westward across the Indus river through Afganistan and Persia to Tur key and back. In time, from trading, he become immensely rich and was the owner of five caravans, containing over 13,000 horses and camels and fifty ele phants. In 1864 he visited Cabul, the capital of Atghanistan, for copper, great quantities of which are there mined and smelted. His magnificent retinue attracted the attention of the Ameer, and he was invited to an audi ence-an honor never before received by a Christian. A present of a hun dred of his best horses and a three tusked elephant made the Ameer his eternal friend. When, yearly, it was tollowed by similar presents, besides camels and merchandise. John Hinton had the monopoly of trade from the Hindoo Koosh mountains to the confines of Beloochistan, and in real power was second only to the Ameer himself. About 1870 he was made mili tary commander of the district of Herat, and in 1876 suppressed a local re bellion to the great satisfaction of his sovereign. Trained in the arts of war among the savages of North America With a new and rare variety of straw and among the superstitious natices of berry, it is desirable to multiply it as India, where he became thoroughly rapidly as possible. Not only does the acquainted with British soldiers and nurseryman wish to do this, as a mgt- resources, together with his years of ter of profit, but the smeteur who has service as the idelized commander or invested in a few high-priced plants the Mohammedan tribal armies of

Fiat Whiskey,

From Nasby s last letter in the Toledo Blade.] Baseum hed been takin our fiat after the runners have been fastened money for some days, and hed bin to down. Cut straw is more convenient Louisville for lickker. He got out the GEORGE NURSE, than long, for this use, as it may be bottle with a sardonic grin that boded more readily worked in among the old us no good. We each poured out the and young plants. Our old hortical lickker, however, and placed the tural friend. Sam'l Miller, the origina- glasses to our respective lips. Immetor of the 'Martha' and other grapes, jitly ever man spitted the likwid out writes us from Sedalia, Mo., that ow upon the floor. I turned sick, for I ing to an excessive drouth last summer hed incawshusly swallered a little uv his runners could not take root; he it. It was water! The first I hed tasted

shaded for a time, and they made a me.

satisfactory growth. When the Agri Like it! Like it! Why it's waculturalist Strawberry first came out, a cultivator of our acquaintance followed a similar plan. When cold weather came, his few plants had many runminit you say it is whisky? The minit you say it is whisky it is whisky. You say the paper you want to pay me would be lost, if left as they were, so in is a dollar, and why in bloody thunhe gathered them and set them out in der can't you make whisky out uv waa cold-frame; the next spring they were | ter by just savin it's whisky. Gentle well rooted plants ready for sale or men, that is fiat whisky, and it's the only kind I can get with fiat money. When you to get to payin the comfort-To HEAL A CUT.-Without waiting able old greenback or the modest for it to stop bleeding, press the edges nickel, all rite. I'll give you the regular old bowel scorcher. But the lickspply immediately a plaster made of ker is going to assimlate to the money.

soot and cream, binding it firmly on, I learned that word at Louisville. Ef you want to pay in fiat money you are going to get flat lickker. Ef you kin other of the same on, without delay, imaging a peece uv paper with your stamp onto et is a dollar, you must likewise imaging this flooid to be good BREAD PANCAKES. - For those who lickker, and vice vessy. Parson, this

Clippings.

Aim high; but not so high as not to be able to hit anything.

The man lacks moral courage who N vices are so incurable as those

which men are apt to glory in. enough to make a batter just right to The Chinese say there is a well of bake the cakes light without being too wisdom at the root of every gray hair.

hot buttered griddle if you I always know something unpleasant are in doubt about it. Eggs are not is coming when men are anxious to tell the citizens.

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excellent system of subterrancian tele. wrote home that the Americans all eat Mrs. Ida Greely Smith's son is to be named and known as Horace Greely, Jr

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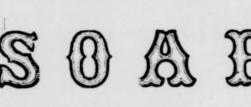
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