Over four inches and under twelve inches. Over twelve inches

NAMING THE BABY.

Lawsuit to Decide Whether the Right

Belongs to the Father or Mother. The question as to whether the naming of the baby belongs, as a matter of right, to the baby's father or to the baby's mother is raised in a queer lawsuit-originating in Eastkill, in the heart of the Catskill mountains, reeran minister of the same place, and the pleadings set forth the following state of facts: Mr. and Mrs. Halverson have a son of tender years. The former desired that the boy should be called Oscar, after the present monarch of Mr. Halverson's fatherland. Mrs. Halverson's fathe eran minister of the same place, and the

serious disappointment, loss of authorings, etc., for which he prays damages. The clergyman's defense is that he christened the child in accordance with the wishes of the mother, whose rights in the premises he considered para-The case brings up a novel question in jurisprudence, the decision of which will be regarded with interest in thousands of families throughout

IN LAMPPOST LETTER BOXES. Not Many Things of Value Found

There-Dead Mice Dropped In. "Ever find things in the boxes?" was asked of a post office collector who was taking the letters from a lamppost let-

"Some, but not such an everlasting lot, would not be found upon his person nor along the line of his flight; but watches are not commonly found in lamppost letter boxes.

"Once when I came up to a letter box may be found in the boxes shall be turned in at the post office; the loser must apply for it there. If I had found any money in this box I should have been compelled to turn it in. But there

"As a matter of fact not many things of value are dropped into lamppost letter boxes. Uptown you find a dead mouse in a box occasionally, but that's about all. Children put the mice in the box-they find a dead mouse in the street and think it's funny to put it in a lamppost letter box."

CAN SEW UP HEART WOUNDS. They Are Not the Kind Made by a

Maiden's Glances, Either. Can prompt surgical aid save the life of a man stabbed through the heart? It has always been held that any attempt to operate directly upon heart was worse than foolish, and that to sew up a lesion in the heart proper without killing the patient would be an absolute impossibility, says an ex-

Yet Dr. Rehe, of Frankfort, Germany, at a meeting of the surgical congress in Berlin recently, reported a successful operation of the kind-the first in

side of the heart. He was conveyed with great haste to a hospital and taken directly to the operating room. The surgeon laid bare the heart in a few secarresting hemorrhage. The heart tively cares piles, or no pay required worked violently during the operation, but the commotion of the organ gradwound healed and the patient recovered.

Beware of Cinments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

whole system when entering it through 1897. the mucous surfaces. Such articles

tions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and nucous surfaces of the system. In boying itall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by Druggists.

The Longest Vessel Ever on the River.

The colors of the big Glenlochy, which held the record as the longest vessel that ever came to Portland, were lowed that ever came to Portland, were lowed and Monday when the China Mutual Steam Navigation Company's big freighter Hyson steamed into port, and took up the entire four hundred-foot frontage on Columbia No. 2 dock, and then had thirty feet to lap over on the dock below. The Hyson, which has a new ageing and to prove the surface of the sale of cartain lots telonging to Dalles City, I will, on Saturday, the 15th day of May, 1897, sell at public anction, to the highest bidder, all the following lots and parts of lots in Gates addition to Dalles City, Wasco county. Oregon, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10 jointly in block 14; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 21, known as butte; lots 10, 11 and 12, in block 27; lot 9 in block 34; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 35; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10 and 11, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, in block 45.

The reasonable value of sac 1 lots, for less than which they with not re sold, has been fixed and determined by the Common Council of Dalles City as followed. damage they will do is ten fold to the

. 1 00 The Longest Vessel Ever on the River.

ports the Albany Law Journal. The dock below. The Hyson, which has a Common Council of Dalles City as folplaintiff is Ole Halverson, a Swede, who cultivates a small farm on the mountain side. He has sued for damages Rev. J. G. Remerton, a German Lutheran minister of the same place, and the gran minister of the same place and the gran minister of the gran minister of

quarter of a century and is guaranteed \$125 ity in his household, laceration of feel- to cure, or money returned. No household should be without this good angel. It is pleasant to take and a safe and sure remedy for old and young. Free bottles at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store. 2

A NEW WESTERN IDEA.

Girls Who Give Gold Models of Their Little Fingers to Their Betrothed. "Do girls here give gold models of their little fingers to their fiances?"

ite, reports the New York Sun. "Heavens, no!" answered the Gothamite. "It seems to me that that is rather a grewsome souvenir."

"Not at all," answered the western girl; "it is decidedly dainty, and I'm a little surprised that New York is so far behind the times. The fad started in either," was the reply, says the New York Sun. "A thief fleeing from of our big western politicians was six his pursuers once dropped a watch months old he had a model of her little in a lamppost letter box, so that it finger cast in gold. Around the little dimpled digit is a ring of turquoise, which is her birth stone, and it makes a lovely charm for her betrothed's watch chain. He valued it so much that it set other men to thinking, and the re-I found standing by it a policeman and | suit is that as soon as a girl wraps one a woman. The policeman said that the of these chaps around her own little woman had dropped a dollar bill into the box between some letters and she wanted to get it back. The rules of the post office require that anything that inal. It is a pretty conceit, and is being followed by every westerner who is in subjection to somebody's Ettle finger."

National Revenue.

The revenue of nations, raised mostwasn't any money there; the lady must ly by taxation, has trebled since 1850, have lost it or have left it somewhere increased over five times since 1810, and 45 times since 1680.

Toonsands are Trying It.

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Cash in Your Checks.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense to July 7, 1893, will be paid at my of smell and c mpletely derange the office. Interest ceases after Oct. 27th, C. L. PHILLIPS, County Tressurer.

should never be used except on prescrip- Try Schilling's Best tea and baking powder

NOTICE-SALE OF CITY LOTS.

son dislikes the name Oscar and was determined that the baby should not be burdened therewith. Mr. and Mrs. Halverson took the baby to the clergyman to be christened.

Mr. Halverson requested the minister to name the child Oscar, but Mrs. Halverson had already talked the reverend gentleman over, and to Mr. Halverson's surprise and indignation the boy was not christened Oscar, but something else, whereby Mr. Halverson suffered serious disappointment, loss of author-

Each of these lots will be sold upon the lot respectively, and none of them will be sold for a less sum than the value thereof, as above stated.

One-fourth of the price bid on any of said lots shall be paid in cash at the time of sale, and the remainder in three equal payments on or before, one, two and three years from the date of said sale, with interest on such deferred payments at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, payable annually; provided that the payment may be made in full asked the western girl of the Gothamat any time at the option of the pur

> The said sale will begin on the 15th day of May, 1897, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and will continue from time to time until all of said lots shall be sold.

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Zachary Taylor, Antelope.

Harry Cook, Ridgeway.

D. H. Roberts, The Dalles.

J. H. Sherar, Sherar's Bridge.

Frank Gabel, Wapinitia.

A. S. Romers.

A. S. Roserrs, Stock Inspector for Wasco Co., Box 507, The Dalles.

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ESTRAY NOTICE. Came to our place about August lat, Three Mile.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, THE DALLES, OR., October, 29, 1897.

Notice is hereby given the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of lits claim and commute and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on Wednesday, December 8, 1897, viz.: J. F. Baworth,

Homestead entry No. 5212 for the Eb 1824, and SW 14 SE 14, Sec 20, Tp 2 N, R 13 E, W. M.

He names the following witnesse to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Wm. Jordan, Charles Craig, Ernest Jensen, Geo, Landis, all of The Dalles, Or.

030-11 JAMES F. MOORE, Register,

' TAKEN UP.

Came to my place last spring, a roan pony, branded O on right hip. Owner can have the same by paying all charges.

S. A. Kinyon.

oct20 1m Tygh Valley, Or. NOTICE.

I have a stray horse, a roan, 9 years old, branded with a figure 2 on the right hip, at my place on three mile. The owner can have the same by paying the cost of this advertisement and proving property. SETH MORGAN. The Dalles.

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