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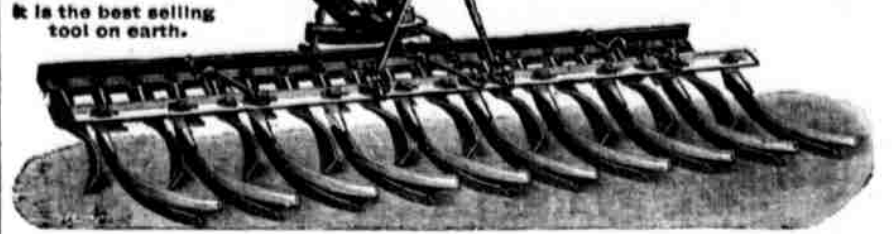
Telegraphic News.

Ingalls is reelected to the Senate from Kansas. No late news is received from General Stewart's army in Egypt. The Ohio Legislature favors the Nicaragua treaty and the canal. Liberty Bell was formally turned over to the New Orleans Managers, July 28. The French have won a hard battle and carried the Chinese works. Fears are felt of the loss of the Steamer San Pablo, bound for Yokohama and sixteen days over due. Mrs. Garfield is sued for \$25,000 by a woman who was run over by her carriage, in December. A maiden lady has died and left Fred Douglass the interest of her estate during her life. Chief Engineer Nulville thinks the time is now ripe to reach the north pole. He asks money to do it with. The Chicago Board of Trade favors a department of commerce and manufactures, with a cabinet position. The English police continually arrest people supposed to be dynamite plotters and then let them go again. The gold products for this country's mines for 1884 was \$30,807,169, nearly a million over the products of 1883. California and Oregon are the only states that have contributed no memorial stone to the Washington Monument. Another Socialist or Fenian meeting has been held in New York to rejoice over the blowing up of Parliament buildings. A House Committee reports in favor of refunding the war tax paid by some states, and releasing states that have not paid them. Speaker Carlisle and congressman Randall have been to Albany to visit President Cleveland and counsel him, by his invitation. Con Murphy, a notorious Montana horse-thief, was captured by McFarland and Barhaw, on the way to Helena the prisoner was lynched. United States troops with Arizona and Mexican frontier have captured many of the mutineers from Mexican army who lately killed their officers. In Russia a new Jewish Sect has arisen that accepts Christ as the true Messiah. Orthodox Jews have murdered its founder. A dynamite explosion occurred on Grand Street, N. Y., blowing up a display window and doing \$2,500 damage, supposed to be done by clerks who were on a strike. The English whipped the Arabs again. The loss of Arabs was 500. Two German officers and a French officer were killed fighting for El Mahdi. Archbishop Alemany, of California, has resigned; will spend his remaining days in Spain; is 71 years old, has been Archbishop of California 31 years. Wednesday was the last day in the House to suspend rules and pass bills. So there was a great struggle to be recognized by "Mr. Speaker". Latest from Egypt, General Stewart has had another terrible battle with El Mahdi and captured Matemneh and has opened a communication with Gen. Gordon. The Arabs were mowed down. Stewart is seriously wounded. In the Senate 32 votes were given to ratify the Nicaragua treaty and 23 against it. It required 37 to pass it with a two-thirds vote. Neither of the Oregon Senators are represented as voting. They may have been paired. An effort was making to create a good position for Lieut. Greely, as assistant Signal officer, ranking Lieutenant Colonel, which is dropped because new evidence is shown to connect Greely with the cannibalism that disgraced his expedition. Through England a gloomy view is taken of the Egyptian war, as the losses are heavy and many valuable lives are sacrificed. It is thought Gen. Wolsley has suppressed information. The dead correspondent, Cameron, was too plain spoken and his letters didn't get through. Other newspapers make similar complaint. A silver conference was lately held in the Treasury office, Washington, attended by treasury officials and leading bankers, and concluded there was no cause to apprehend interruption to business prosperity of the country nor a depreciation in value of Silver Certificates. In Arkansas a man was lately hung for murdering one Hale who talked about the Ku-Klux. They whipped him to death. A masked party did it and this Melton was their captain. The Marine Court at Astoria, that has examined the facts of the Dewa Gungadur wreck at Shoalwater Bay, find the error in her position due to the strong currents, mainly exonerating the ship's master from blame. Vienna journals refuse to report the Austrian parliament proceedings because of an insult offered to a reporter last week. The government is astonished at their independence. President Arthur informs Congress that Mrs. Grant has generously given the United States, in perpetual trust, the swords and various testimonials that lately belonged to General Grant. This is done in accordance with the wishes of W. H. Vanderbilt, who had a lien upon the same. The National Board of Trade unanimously favors improvement of the Columbia and passed a resolution to

that effect. Senator Dolph showed that it was not merely for the benefit of Oregon or a local project, but for rendering navigable, one of the great rivers of the world, whose exports in 1884 were \$15,870,000. The San Pablo, from San Francisco for Yokohama, is now out over 40 days. It is feared she is lost. She was insured for \$150,000, carried five cabin passengers and 900 Chinese, who had \$520,000 in treasure. Crew and officers 53. Investigation of Chinese brothels show that many babies of white blood have been sold to Chinese prostitutes. Twelve are found and more exist social depravity is fearful in California, as this is true of different towns there. The Mormon polygamists, it is said, have completed a treaty with Mexican chiefs and will go in a body to Sonora, leaving the monogamists in Utah. They promise to settle 50,000 there in two years. Prominent mention as to Cleveland's cabinet is, for State department, Pendleton; treasury, Garland; War, Morrison; Navy, P. H. Collins; Interior Morgan of Ala; Postal department, Geo. Miller, Nebraska; Attorney General, W. C. Whitney of N. Y. The New York Herald blames Cleveland for the defeat of the Nicaragua treaty by Democratic votes. The Democratic Senators followed the example of Bayard supposing he was the mouth piece of the President elect. M. George is trying to get the Umatilla Reservation bill before the house. The Senatorial fight in Illinois is between Morrison, Democrat, and Logan, present Senator. Cleveland is going to New York to accommodate Democratic aspirants. O'Donovan Rossa was attacked by a woman, named Mrs. Dudley, who shot him but not fatally or even seriously. She is supposed by some, to be an English spy. All through England people were jubilant over the news that Rossa was shot. State and Territorial News. Ashland woolen mills will start up this week. Forty coal cars are to be built at The Dalles shops. Cheney is to have several brick buildings next spring. Farmers are plowing in the Blue mountain foot hills. A tin mine is supposed to exist near Drain's, Douglas county. M. S. Burrell, of Portland, is low with nervous prostration. The Rod and Gun club are prosecuting violators of the game law. Conrad Boelling, an Astoria pioneer, aged 82, died lately of paralysis. While snow was on the ground mice injured winter wheat in Yamhill. Spokane Falls has a mica mine and an order for 6000 pounds is received from Denver. The Times says there are thousands of acres of grape lands to be taken in Jackson county. The O. R. & N. Co. will construct snow sheds in Pyle canon, on Baker City branch. East of the Cascades last week there was considerable rain and no doubt more this week. Twenty thousand red wood shingles washed ashore between Umpqua and Coos Bay, many of them all bunched. Whatcom county, on the Sound, is to have a starch factory in the spring that can make 500 pounds of starch a day. While Mr. Larter was away looking for work, his house on Cowitz, above Toledo, burned and left his family homeless. Crook county, made of the southern part of Wasco, experienced the severest winter ever known; Deer were found dead and much stock have died. While the militia companies were target shooting at Seattle, C. K. Rebb, a painter, who was marking, was shot through the body. Physicians say he cannot live. Portland is excited over the demand of the Narrow Gauge railroad managers to be allowed to use the public levee as their Portland terminus. It is the same thing granted by the Legislature of 1882. General Stewart, who commands the English army that has lately made such a brilliant record in Egypt, is own brother of Charley Stewart, well known in Oregon, who owns the building the FARMER occupies. Mr. Church, of Mehana, has had to have both feet amputated, frozen in the severe weather. We read of quite a number who were frozen to death and many who have lost limbs by freezing last month, through all parts of the Pacific Northwest. We hear of many losses of stock, south from the Columbia. Cattle are generally poor now, and weak, and stock men fear their heaviest losses are yet to come, if March proves to be a cold and stormy month. The river and harbor bill calls for the following: Coquille river, \$8000; Cascade canal, \$155,000; Upper Columbia and Snake, \$9,000; Lower Willamette and Columbia, \$40,000; Upper Willamette \$5,000; Chehalis, W. T., \$2,000; Cowlitz, \$2,000; Skagit and other Sound streams, \$10,000; Yaquina, and \$40,000. The Portland Board of Trade has passed resolutions favoring the construction of the Nicaragua ocean canal. Congress has failed to ratify the proposed treaty, the Senate not giving the regular two-thirds vote, though it only lacked a few votes of it.

At Burrard Inlet, B. C. seven vessels are loading lumber and spars for the world's ports, some of them a long way off. Besides, several vessels will load at Moodyville. Wm. Johnson, of Glencoe, Washington county, Oregon, was recently shot, perhaps fatally, by "Tang" Smith, because he took Smith's mother and cared for, and when she died she left her property partly to him, which "Tang" Smith resented. Prescriptions filled to Portland prices, at Port & Son's drug store. Abundant rain has visited the inland country, melted the snow and put stock on a better footing to live. Second Combination Sale OF ALL KINDS OF LIVE STOCK. Commencing Wednesday, April 30th, 1885 and continuing three days, at The Gentlemen's Driving Park, 3 miles below Portland. THE EXPERIMENTAL SALE OF ONE YEAR ago at this same place demonstrated the fact that the wants of the stockmen demand at least an annual sale, where a beneficial exchange of fine stock can be had between stockmen, and we therefore will hold one at the above date and probably another in the fall. Parties desiring to make entries of stock for this sale are requested to send in their descriptions and pedigrees as soon as possible, as we want to get our catalogue by the 1st of April at the farthest. Stock entered for the sale will be kept at our expense on the grounds three or four days previous to the sale. Parties sending stock will please state whether they wish to sell for cash or on time so it can be designated in Catalogue. A commission not to exceed 10 percent, will be charged. Owners will be at no expense except to deliver the stock. WILLIAM STRAZER, feb6d VAN B. DELASHMUTT. PREMIUM STRAIN PLYMOUTH ROCKS! Established in 1874. FOUR YARDS FOR 1884.—Each yard headed with an Eastern Cockerel. My matings last season were a success. Hens all larger and better marked. I can supply breeders and fanciers with an fine stock as they can get anywhere East. Eggs \$2.50 per setting and two settings \$4. Send stamp for illustrated catalogue. Address: J. M. GARRISON, FOREST GROVE, OREGON. N. B.—Wells, Fargo & Co., make special reduction in rates to all my customers. PACIFIC NURSERY! SALEM, OREGON. C. N. POTTER, Proprietor. I HAVE ON HAND AN EXCELLENT STOCK OF Young, Healthy Fruit Trees and Shrubs which I will sell at reduced rates to make room for an immense stock coming on for next years trade. All the leading kinds of fruit trees and shrubs they can get anywhere East. Eggs \$2.50 per setting and two settings \$4. Send stamp for illustrated catalogue. Address: P. C. Box 349, Salem, Oregon. Administrators Final Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED has this day filed in the County Court of Marion county, Oregon, his final account as administrator of the estate of Andrew Hoyt, deceased, and that Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1885, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day has been appointed by said court for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. This notice is published by order of T. C. Shaw judge of said court of even date herewith. JOHN N. DAVIS, Adm'r. est. of Andrew Hoyt, deceased. Dated February 2d, 1885. USE ROSE PILLS. Oregon Railway and Navigation Company. OCEAN DIVISION. Between Portland and San Francisco. Leaving Astor Wharf at midnight, as follows: FROM SAN FRANCISCO. 10 A M. FROM PORTLAND. Midnight. Queen, Friday, Jan 9 Oregon, Monday, Jan 10 Astoria, Saturday, Jan 11 Columbia, Saturday, Jan 12 Columbia, Sunday, Jan 13 Queen, Thursday, Jan 14 Oregon, Tuesday, Jan 15 Oregon, Saturday, Jan 17 Oregon, Tuesday, Jan 20 Oregon, Thursday, Jan 22 Columbia, Sunday, Jan 23 Columbia, Tuesday, Feb 3 Queen, Friday, Jan 24 Through Tickets sold to all points in the United States, Canada and Europe. RAILROAD DIVISIONS. On and after November 23, 1884. Transfer steamer connecting with Atlantic Express leaves Ash Street wharf, Portland, daily, at 5:30 A. M. The Pacific Express arrives at Portland, daily at 2:30 A. M. MIDDLE COLUMBIA, WILLAMETTE AND YAMHILL RIVER DIVISION. Leave Portland for Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri. Sat. Dalles and Upper Columbia, 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM Astoria and Lower Columbia, 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM 7 AM Dayton, Corvallis and in Corvallis and intermediate pts 6 AM 6 AM 6 AM 6 AM 6 AM General Offices—Cor. Front and B Sts. JOHN MUIR, Traffic Manager. A. L. MAXWELL, Ticket Agent. GEO. D. GOODHUE, BREEDER OF BROWN LEGHORN FOWLS! Importer of leading Thoroughbred Poultry. Sold at the GEO. D. GOODHUE, Salem, Oga. USE ROSE PILLS. Vegetable Plants for the Garden! I HAVE A FINE LOT OF RHUBARB, OR FIB-FLANT roots. Now in good time to get them. Price \$1 per dozen. BEXTER FIELD, Salem, Or.

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