

A SHEEP MAN'S IDEA.

HEPNER, MORROW Co., April 8, 1888. To the Editor of the Wasco County Sun.

Experience is the great teacher and worth all the theories and sophistries contained in all the books or newspaper articles that were ever printed.

But a lesson from selling my 1887 clip of wool has set me to studying this subject, and I confess, I am open for the first time to a candid reception of the true inwardness of this complicated subject.

My 1887 clip of wool, with a neighbor's, was shipped to Boston for sale, consigned to a house whose reputation for wealth, experience and honest square dealing is beyond question.

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Would we be expected to invest our time and capital and pay necessary help for herding, shearing and the hundred other expenses, and get nothing for it? I necessarily look around and inquire where else I can sell my wool and get something for it.

A Veto by the President.

The President has vetoed the bill for the relief of Major Daniel N. Bush, paymaster of the U. S. army.

In his message the President says: "I am thoroughly convinced that the interests of the public would be better protected if fewer private bills were passed relieving officials, on slight and sentimental grounds, from pecuniary responsibility, and the readiness with which army officers join in applications for condonation of negligence on the part of their army comrades does not tend in my opinion to maintain that regard for discipline and that scrupulous observance of duty which should characterize those belonging to their honorable profession."

Cleveland's Marriage Certificate.

It has been customary during past administrations to have the printing for private work of the President done at the government printing office, and in accordance with the practice President Cleveland's marriage certificate was without his knowledge bound at the government's expense.

Mrs. Faling, who shot her husband in San Francisco a few days ago, has not yet secured bail.

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