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OUR OWN MARKET.

A great change has taken place in the aspect of American commerce since the days when the United States was regarded as a vast farm which was to furnish agricultural products to Europe and to take in exchange the manufactured goods of the old world.

With this decrease, which was to a certain extent inevitable, attendant on the opening of Russian and South Sea resources, is nothing short of providential for the American farmer, that his market, as it has been shrinking abroad, has steadily increased at home.

THE QUESTION OF WOOL.

The letter of Mr. Justice, of Philadelphia, published on Saturday, contains information which should not be overlooked, because it squarely meets two arguments which defenders of the free-wool tariff are wont to use.

UNSATISFACTORY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC INDEPENDENCE.

September Forum. Our committee, after careful investigation, felt warranted in bringing in a report that the educational standard of the city children has not improved in the least since the time of the late Mayor.

POLITICAL PICKINGS.

The failure of the Pennsylvania Republicans to split disposes of whatever prospects Democracy ever had of sweeping daylight in that state—Kansas City Journal.

HERE AND THERE.

Once within our garden wall, From their thicket dimly seen, Rested a flock of butterflies.

A LAUGHABLE MISTAKE.

Two ladies entered a book store recently and the younger asked the clerk for a book called "Favorite Prescription."

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name and style Oregon Transportation Company, is this day dissolved.

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