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FISH must have air in winter as well as summer, and if they cannot get it they will die. There is a mistaken idea that the fish frozen in solid ice will survive, and when the ice thaws they will exhibit healthy life. It is not the case. They survive but a few minutes.

Gov. WEST, of Utah, has returned the anti-tobacco bill to the House. The bill prohibits the sale of tobacco and cigarettes to minors. He suggested that a provision be inserted gested that a provision be inserted making it a misdemeanor to sell to-bacco to a minor only after written bacco to a minor only after written notices from parents or guardians forbidding such sales.

Among the "fowls of the air" are three, the eagle, swan and raven, which quarter. live to the age of 100 years or more. The paroquet and heron attain the goodly age of 60 years. The sparrowhawk, duck and pelican may live to be 40, while the peacock and linnet reach the quarter century, and the canary 24 years.

In this country the chief creators of wealth are the farmers. The money received for our surplus agricultural products is almost wholly the total farm products sold in foreign countries, it is estimated, has averaged for the last ten years \$600,000,000 per annum.

APROPOS of the recent sale of an egg of the great auk which fetched £168-the highest price on record for a bird's egg-it is worthy of note that, according to Prof. Newton, there are but sixty-six of these eggs in existence, and forty-three of them are in the British, Isles. The great auk is now believed to be extinct.

ONE of the laws passed by the recent Legislature of Washington Territory, provides that county commissioners are authorized to levy a tax not exceeding three-tenths of one mill, to dashed out on the sidewalk below. create a fund for the relief of indigent Grand Army posts.

THE mysterious Philadelphian who is inviting proposals from all over the Isaac V. Williamson, a wealthy and charitable Quaker. Mr. Williamson is worth \$18,000,000, lives at the rate of \$2,000 a year and gives away thous-

COAST CULLINGS.

Devoted Principally to Washington Territory and California. Waitsburg, W. T., has organized a board of trade

The citizens of Lewiston, Idaho, have organized a board of trade. The steamer George W. Elder will run between Portland and Alaskan

ports. Washington Territory has 100,000 acres of coal lands, and 2,000,000 tons have been marketed.

George W. Lewis, of Elko, Nevada, vas sentenced to ninety nine years in the State Prison for murder.

A boy named James Hooker, son of a widow who lives in Sacramento, Cal., was run over by the cars and killed.

carbolic acid.

The Spokane Falls city council has adopted an ordinance taxing Chinese washhouses at the rate of \$50 per

During the eleven months ending December 1, 1887, the shipments of ore from Hailey, Idaho, aggregated 22,-829,877 pounds.

Carl Kruse, tunnel man of the Cloverdale & Ukiah railroad, near Cloverdale, Cal., was drowned in Russian river by a boat capsizing.

The charred remains of Louis Gib bons were found among the ruins of his burned cabin in the Huerhuera region, near San Luis Obispo, Cal.

The President has nominated Edwin products is almost wholly the total Eells, of Washington Territory, to be amount of wealth this country draws agent for Indians of the Puyallup from foreign peoples. The value of agency (consolidated) in Washington Territory.

Sufficient money has been subscribed in Goldendale, W. T., to build an armory for Company B. The building will be about 40x100, and sixteen feet high.

While the freight train bound for Garrison was switching at Deer Lodge, Montana, it becked on to and killed a man named John Ganley, from Helmsville, who was walking on the track.

Montana has an area of 92,016.648 acres; a population estimated at 175, 000, and a taxable property valuation in 1886, of \$55, 076,831. Indian reservations in that territory comprise 20,574,648 acres.

Joseph Garcia de Cadiz, aged 84 years, formerly professor of mathematics, while sitting on a window sill in his room at San Francisco, lost his balance and fell. His brains were

At a meeting of Alaskan fishermen Union soldiers, sailors, marines and held at San Francisco, a resolution families of those deceased or indigent, was adopted fixing the rates for the to be expended under the direction of coming season as follows: Wages, \$50 a month, and ten cents additional for each king salmon, and half a cent for each small salmon caught.

> The Governor of California has ap-possible. both gentlemen having expired.

The area of Washington Territory is laced at 44,796,160 acres, of which 1,107,558 are Indian reservation lands. The population in November last was ands of dollars on the dead quiet and estimated at 160,000, and the taxable without making as much fuss as the property in 1887 was given at about in the United States is ten times as ordinary millionaire would over a \$5 \$56,000,000, not including railroad great, or 120,000,000 pounds. property.

Black measles are creating frightful The first pension ever granted a havoc with the Nez Perce Indians of a week, though when they are plenty, The first pension ever granted a chiefs Joseph and Moses' bands, on feed some every day with oats or other the western side of the Colville In grain, the ration of which may be proof San Francisco, who on the 4th of dian reservation. Forty-two are dead portionately diminished. July, 1867, was in the service of the from the disease, and fourteen more When scalding hogs, i United States navy as a landsman. are at the point of death. The medi-while firing a salute on board a vessel cine men there treat it with hot steam readily as if the temperature be lower. While firing a salute on board a vessel in San Francisco bay, the gun ex-ploded and Ah Lin's leg was injured fatal results in nearly every case. The for a young hog, but there are some so as to render amputation necessary. whites in that section have it, but the hogs that require as high as 180°. His claim for a pension was presented but no favorable action could be se-transferred from Indian Territory on than when a rough bench or table is

## AGRICULTURAL.

in Epitome of the Principal Events Now Devoted to the Interests of Farmers and Stockman.

Value of Straw.

Said a well-known farmer: "The time has come when every man should bale his straw as soon as threshing is over, and what he cannot use ship to Portland and sell for seventy five cents per cwt. or whatever it will bring. He should have his own feed mill, or there should be one owned in every neigh-borhood, and farmers should thus cooperate to be able to grind their own meal."

Now, every man should have a tank or boiler for steaming stock feed. The cut straw should be put in the boiler, and meal or chop mixed with it, and when steamed or cooked it should be fed to stock. This feed will keep cattle gaining and make them fat enough

Any farmer can have cattle worth raising and fattening, and should utilize his straw for that purpose. His oats, wheat, barley or corn can be ground into meal or chop, and by mixing with straw and cooking and steaming you can make beef or feed milk cows to advantage. When our farmers get this far ahead there will be no complaint made by the grange that "agriculture does not pay four per cent. interest on the investment." Of course it does not pay where men use no judgment or are too lazy to work, but here in the Pacific Northwest, the best country to farm that is known, any good farmer should earn his living and clear ten per cent. per annum upon the value of the farm

and tools and the stock on the placeor on all the capital he has invested. The farmer who burns his straw sins against knowledge and deserves no sympathy. Last summer, stand-ing on a hill in sight of the state capi-tol, the writer saw columns of amoke by day and fire by night, going up towards heaven to bear witness against Oregon farmers. It is criminal and inexcusable. The time is come when all this waste should stop, and straw become a means of income. To farm properly men should make all things around them that can be utilized a source of income.

A man with a forty acre farm well tilled can raise grain, roots, fruits and ing a terrible death, most of them vegetables; can fatten sheep, pork and jumping from the fifth story and being vegetables; can fatten sheep, pork and beef and sell wool; can sell live stock crushed into a shapeless mass below, and poultry; make butter and sell six others were badly injured. A large eggs and honey, and put to shame the showing of many farmers, socalled, who now pretend to cultivate a whole section of land.—Portland Oregonian.

This is generally a month of abundant rain on the Pacific Coast. See that the poultry yards are well drained, and that all depressions where muddy, filthy water may collect are filled up. As a rule short-legged fowls will fatten more rapidly than those "well up on their pins." This is important ing, foreman of the composing room, to the broiler raiser, as his object is to burned to death: Miss G. Thompson. get a nice plump chick as soon as

A good supply of dry earth and fine until the creeks are running full of water, and it is impossible to get it.

Almost the entire crop of hemp grown in the United States is raised in Kentucky. The total is about 12,-000,000 pounds. But the annual product of the manufacturers of cordage

California roli do pickled..... CHRESH-CHERSE Esstern, full cream..... Oregon, do California. EGGe-Fresh... DRIED FRUITS-The best roots for horses in winter vd or t

A cyclone struck Newton, Kansas destroying the carriage works and causing two deaths.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Attracting Public Interest.

The French steamer Fleur de la Mer foundered off the island of Cayenne. Sixty passengers were drowned.

Thos. J. Potter, Vice-President and General Manager of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, died at Welcker's hotel, in Washington.

The survey of the canal contem-plated in. Southern New Mexico is about completed. It will cost nearly \$5,000,000, and will reclaim 3,000,000

A fire occurred in the Methodist University, at Mitchell, Dakota, from the spontaneous combustion of rags in the art room. There were forty in-mates in the building, including the faculty, students and servants. All but ten of these escaped. Four young men jumped from a second story window. Four others and a professor jumped from third story, and another story prefessor descended from the roof by a clothes line. The building was com pletely destroyed. The loss is \$50,000. The university will be rebuilt.

A man and his son living at Poplar Grove, Dakota, were eaten alive by a pack of wolves. The facts, as near as can be obtained, are that the father and son left their house with shovels to clear snow from some haystacks not more than fifteen or twenty rods distant. They/were at once attacked by a pack of sixteen wolves, which liter

ally ate them alive, while the wife and mother gazed through a window at the horrible sight, knowing it was certain death to go to their assistance. After the brutes had eaten all the flesh off the bones they came up to the house, ran around it several times and then went away. Next day the re-mains were visited, but nothing was found but a few bare bones.

The new office of the Evening Union at Springfield, Mass , was burned out, and the blaze was attended with the most sickening horror ever witnessed

in that city, six of the employes meetsix others were badly injured." A large canvas sheet was stretched over the sidewalk. Three men jumped on this but broke through and fell on the pavement. A woman also fell through the canvas and lanned on the sidewalk insensible. Joseph Landford was standing on the sidewalk at the corner, when Mrs. Farley fell. He stood his ground and reached out his arms to catch her. She fell on his neck,

throwing him to the ground senseless. Mrs. Farley was killed instantly. The dead are as follows : Henry J. Gouldburned to death; Miss G. proof reader; Mrs. Frederick E. Farey, editorial department; fell from the

window and killed; Mr. Lamzon, Quebec, jumped and killed; W. E. Hovey, of Boston, fell to the sidewalk Mr. Brown, a compositor.

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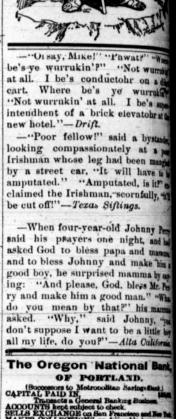
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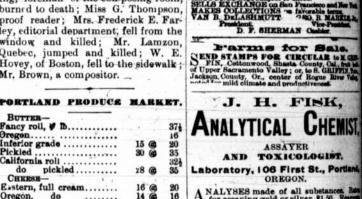
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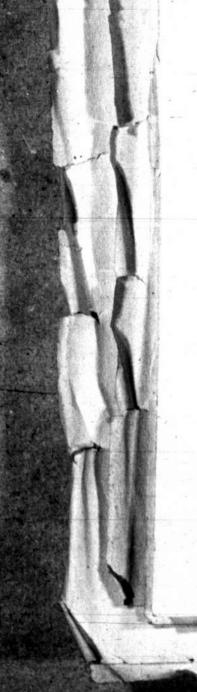
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receiving a pension of \$8 per month During a gale the steamer Alice people denounced the dehorning of with arrearages, which amount to over Garrett, which was anchored in San cattle as a cruel practice, only worthy Francisco bay, having on board seven- of barbarians. Lately the stock jour-

THE Senate has passed a bil! which steamer City of P-king, dragged her contrary, and cite proof that the opis of great importance to the arid're- anchor and drifted to and against the eration of cutting off the horns of a is of great importance to the and re-gions of the country. It requests the rett was in quarantine on account of dangerous act, as the flow of milk does Secretary of the Interior to direct the smallpox which had developed among not lessen and the relish for food does director of the geological survey to the passengers and the City of Peking's not weaken. examine the water courses in the crew while en route from China. From borne out by the actual experience Western States and Territories from which water is taken for purpose of down to Stuart wharf, breaking off cer, where it asserts that at the Puywhich water is taken for purposes of several piles en route. /The passen- allup creamery they have cut off the irrigation, and to locate at various gers, mostly women, scrambled ashore horns from sixty-eight head of stock as best they could. Some took des-within two weeks, many of them being tion of reservoirs, to hold, out of the abundance of the winter supply of water, sufficient for irrigation in the by means of chains. Every one essummer. The reservoirs are to be caped. The Relief tug came to the cattle can be put in the same incloslocated in natural basins adjacent to rescue and had towed the steamer ure and the vicious ones have no way the streams from which they will be scarcely a hundred yards from the to impose on the quiet ones. That is the streams from which they will be located in such portions of the public domain as are susceptible to cultivation. Scarcely a hundred yards from the to impose on the quiet ones. That is wharf when the Alice Garrett sank. She turned completely over, nearly swamping the tug, and appeared shortly after on the surface, bottom up.

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