inm of the country. Mr. Rosewater has made many mistakes, but he has also won many notable achievements and it is but to say on this silver anniversary that careor of the paper and its editor have been successes.

Wayne Democrat: The Democrat acknowledges the receipt of an invitation to attend the aliver anniversary of The Omaha Bee, but regrets that it cannot attend. The Bee of today will contain a full history of the birth and growth of this phenomenal paper, which has grown from a little handbill in 1871 to be the leading paper west of the Mississippi; for whatever his enemies may say of Rosewater, he has made The Bee the most widely read paper in the west, and its influence permeates every western

Broken Bow Republican: This office is In receipt of an invitation to participate in the elebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of The Omaha Bee temorrow evening, and we only regret our inability to be present. Whatever may be said against Mr. Rosewater by his personal and political enemies, it must be conceded that his indomitable courage and shrewd business capacity has won him a place in the ranks of journalism in this country, and he has given to Ne-braska a truly metropolitan paper that is a credit to the state.

Stromsburg News: The Omnha Bee was twenty-five years old last Friday, and held a milver anniversary in honor of the event. That paper came out with a special numwhich was indeed a creditable one. Mr west of Chicago and is entitled to much credit for what he has accomplished. The News congratulates The Bee management on the successful closing of a quarter century of a crowning event.

Neligh Leader: Friday of last week The Omaha Bee passed the one-fourth century mark of a remarkably successful and enter-prising career. The occasion was observed by a reception at The Rec building, the commodious structure being almost packed with the friends of the paper and its eminent editor, whose busy life has earned the partial rest that he is now taking, the great burden of the management of the paper being now well assumed by his two

Emerson Enterprise: Edward Rosewater celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Omaha Bee last Friday by giving a pub-He reception in The Bee building and by is-suing a mammoth edition of The Bee. While there are quite a number of people in Ne-braska who do not like the course sometimes taken by the editor of that paper still all will admit that The Bee is a great newspaper and its founder and editor is to be heartly congratulated upon the success

St. Paul Phonograph: Mr. Rosewater celebrated the 25th anniversary of The Omaha Bee Friday in a fitting way. At the public reception, held in the Bee building on that occuraion, several thousand citizens called upon Mr. Rosewater and tendered their well wishes. The Bee is certainly a unique example of the success of energy and true merit, and while it has yielded its able proprictor deserved returns, it has been a still greater benefit to the public of the state. May its energetic chief live to celebrate the 50th anniversary.

Tecumseh Journal: The Omaha Daily Bee of Jane 19, contained a complete his-tory of the paper and its able editor, Edward Rosewater, beginning with the first issue of that paper on June 19, 1871. To many who have kept tab on The Bee for the past twenty-five years it was a great satisfaction to look over its pages of today and note the rapid strides made by it in the newspaper world. Without question The Bee is today what it has been for over fifteen years—the leading daily paper in the west, so recognized by all who have not some personal or political grievance against its editor.

Schuyler Quill: Last Friday, June 19, 1896, The Omaha Bee celebrated its twenty-fifth birthday anniversary. A special edition of The fiee was issued, which gave a historical review of its past. One could not read that without having great regard for the able editor and to feel that he has prospered in spite of many difficulties. We do not agree with The Bee's policy and what it advocates, yet have the greatest regard for Editor Rosewater, who has done much for the state by his aggressive and fearless policy in The Bee and by ever denouncing fraud and dis-honesty in public life. May The Bee ever

Gothenburg Independent: The Omaha Bee celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary yes-terday and the reception rooms of the Bee building were thrown open for the entertainment of guests from 8 to 10 b clock p. in.
The Bee, founded in 1871 by Edward Rosewater, is today and has always been the
principle paper in Nebraska, and as for general news it ranks among the leading dailies ment of guests of the United States. It is now a quarter of a century old, and we hope that during the next twenty-five years it will meet with the same success as during the last, and still retain its sterling qualities of today by fearlessly advocating the principles of right

in all public and political strifes. In all public and political strifes.

Blair Pilot: The Omaha Bee celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary at its head-quarters in Omaha last Friday. It put out a twenty-four page edition of the paper that day, brim full of the latest news, and held a reception in The Bee building from 8 to 10 in the evening. During all these twenty-five years Editor Rosewater has stood at the head of the paper and directed its course. He has made some mistakes, no doubt, and has some enemies as a result, but nevertheless The Bee is and has been one of the gret dailies, and its influence and business enterprise is not confined to the state of Nebraska. The best wishes of the Pilot are with Mr. Resawater as he starts on his second quarter century career as editor of The Bee.

Niobrara Pioneer: The editor of the Pio neer was among the thousands who greeted Editor Rosewater at his reception last Fri-day evening over the advent of The Omaha Bee's twenty-fifth anniversary, represent-ing Knox county as a self-constituted deleing Knox county as a self-constituted delegate, as it were. The man who has made The Bee, standing by whose side were his faithful wife, sons, daughter and brother and wife, with members of The Bee company, was the lion of Omaha that evening. Men who do not like Mr. Rosewater laid aside prejudice and hate to congratulate him upon a great event, and it was indeed a very happy one. But two men in Omaha refused to pay him tribute—one his contemporary and the other a bilk. He paid them the highest compliment man can pay to the dead by remaining silent. The Bee's to the dead by remaining silent. The Bee's anniversary number was also a handsome edition, detailing its wonderful history and giving what has never before been printed -a character sketch of Mr. Rosewater by his son, Dr. Victor Rosewater, Mr. Rosewater is a difficult man to understand, but is not ungrateful to his friends except by genuine forgetfulness. He is unlike other people, is original and his will is apt to express itself in spontaneous decisions, but they are ephemeral and are forgotten as easily as announced. This may be said to be a secret that makes Mr. Rosewater the

great versatile editor that he is. His batties over, he has been ready to take up new ones until the old ones were forgetten (per-haps not forgiven). The Pioneer congrathaps not forgiven). The Pioneer congrat-ulates The Bee and its editor and trusts that

Stanton Picket: Last Friday was the twenr-fifth anniversary of The Omaha Bee, that createst of the great newspapers west of Chicago, and the occasion was celebrated by a reception at the magnificent Bee building, to which people from all over the state were invited, and hundreds were in attend-ance to express their congratulations and best wishes. The Bee of that day was given over to a history of its cureer, its founder and the city of Omaha. It is seldem that a newapaper is established, built up and be-comes great and remains under one man-agement for a quarter of a century. Mr. Rosewater has shown that he is made of about the right kind of stuff for a successful ditor of a great paper. May The Bee and tween that place and the mountains and its editor survive and prosper for many years | asked whether it was not possible that gold set to come.

Holdrege Progress: The Progress cheerfully acknowledges receipt of an invitation to participate in the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of The Omaha Hee, which is to be held at the Bee building, but sincerely regret that the efftor of this paper is unable to take advantage of the opportunity to mingle with the grey-matter men of the state at Omaha this afternoon. How-ever, it is his sincere hope that the festivities of this auspicious occasion will not only neet the most sanguine anticlotions of its promoter, but will prove a sort & oasis, as were, in the endless toll of the Journalists the state who are fortunate enoug. The Bee does not voice our sentiments ken-erally, its fearless editorial expressions the past prompt us to extend the wish for prosperous future for The Bee-the only na fide republican paper in the state.

Burchard Times: The Omaha Bee cele-brated its twenty-fifth anniversary last Fri-day in a happy manner. Its proprietor, Edward Rosewater, has cause to feel just pride in the success he has made, when presenting the contrast between an humble beginning in a small frame house in the year 1871 and the pictures of that and the several buildings occupied by The Bee since that time, including the one now occupied, has few, if any equals in the states. The Bee has done much for the upbuilding f the great city of Omaha, and consequently or the state of Nebraska, and it has wielded greater influence over the politics of the ty and state than any other paper. oprietor has risen from the posiumble telegraph operator to that of a publisher of world-renown, and is regarded as authority on any subject upon which he writes, except by those who differ from him

Pawnee Press: The 25th anniversary number of The Omaha Bee, issued Friday, was one of the most complete and reminiscent papers ever published in the west. The writer recollects the occasion in 1871 when Mr. Rosewater established his paper in Omaha, and we have been a constant reader of that fournal since that time. Its growth and development have been largely its superior news department and the un-Minching independence of its editorial page in opposition to unworthy and discreditable candidates of the party whose cause it es-pouses. That The Bee and its editor may live long and prosper is the universal sentiment of all those who know and appreciate a good newspaper when they see it.

Scribner News: The Omaha Bee reached its 25th birthday last Friday and the event was celebrated in a manner appropriate to the occasion. The issue of the paper for that day contained twenty-four pages and formed a great contrast with its issue of a quarter of a century ago, when the pages were few and not very large. While we cannot recommend Mr. Rosewater's politics, we cannot which he has made The Bee one of the foremost papers in the country and housed it in one of the finest buildings in the state.

### MIRTH IN RHYME.

Washington Star.

It comes, oh, small boy on the bike, For you, the glorious day of days; You may go scorehing, if you like, In several thousand different ways.

Indianapolis Journal. "Oh, candidate, pray tell me,
Are you in favor of sound currencee?"
And the candidate said, in sighs profoune
"I am giving no currency at all to sound.

Rochester Post.

It is the people's cry: Come Grover, come, and see the ground Where you must shortly lie." Detroit Tribune.

He whispers low, and one descries
A radiant light come in her eyes.
What words were his? No more than these
Short, simple words: "Look pleasant, please!"

Look pleasant, please!"

year.

The effect of the settlement of the strike has had a wonderfully beneficial result commercially and the merchants were hardly able to supply the demands for goods.

COAST FLOUR TRADE.

Toronto Record. She bought a pretty parasol Of an entrancing shade, But dared not take it in the sun For fear that it might fade.

Puck. He pledged his heart, he pledged his love He pledged his promise sweeter, And then, to buy the engagement ring, He pledged his gold repeater.

Washington Star. When sweet girls compose, Then genius expresses Long essays in prose And poems in dresses,

The poster cow quite beggars words.
The words our thoughts to utter;
Leave her to such as think that they
Prefer oleo to butter. Chicago Becord.

Detroit Tribune.

At Delia's window, bowered in green, White roses clamber free. And bear her, as they inward lean, Perhaps, a dream of me.

The dear girl to the casement comes-I wait, in glad surprise; But lo, a shock my soul benumbs— She's slapping at the flies.

### PRESCIENCE.

Somerville Journal.

How did she know his heart was hers?
He spoke no word
Of love to hor; how did she know That when she passed, or touched him—so-His pulse was stirred?

How did she read his secret thoughts, And never err? How did she know her glances thrilled His soul? That all his heart was filled With love for her?

How did she know their life would be One grand, sweet song? To tell the truth, she didn't know These things. She thought that they were But she was wrong!

# Pulse of Western Progress.

The schooners Maggie C. Russ, Captain Jacobson, and Salvator, Captain Jensen, ar-rived today at the Tacoma smelter with 203 bidding looking range it would be difficult to imagine, writes a San Francisco Chronicle correspondent, who has just visited the region. Prior to the present year this range region. Prior to the present year this range had been prospected, so it was said, and when miners at Goler looked across the of the two cargoes is about \$90,000. The weary stretch of sand that intervened beust was brought from Ocnalasks, on Unga island, and is what is left after extracting the large particles of gold. It will be remight be there, as the whole range was apparently fit for nothing else, they were couragi

make a trip to the mountains.

on a jutting ledge to rest, and as has ro often been done before with similar re-

sults, idly hammering at the rock with his

crospector's pick. A piece was broken off, Paked up, examined, and a series of mines

er, then discovered, which have out few

pulverizing it and again blowing away the

loose dust and finding still more colors left. Imagine again breaking off pieces of rock

hither and you almost at random, taking

them to camp, pulverizing them in a mortar

amount of gold from it.

Perhaps when you have imagined all this

nen have repeatedly washed \$100 to \$200 day with a dry washer from this sand

thing on the topmost summits. You will be prepared for the statement that tous

and tons of the rock have been taken out and milled and have yielded an average of

BIG RUN OF SALMON.

correspondent of the San Francisco Exam

day and even then will have more fish than

can be handled.

The same is true of all the other canneries

which are using strenuous effects to handle the fish already received.

came in with 4,800 pounds of salmon, the

A fisherman who had worked all through the strike arrived down from Kalama, hav-ing ceased operations for the season. He said he had earned about \$3,000, which he considered enough for one season. He re-

ceived 4½ cents for his fish.

It is thought by all the packers that the

eatch will be quite as large as that of last

COAST FLOUR TRADE.

James McWilliams, who for several years has devoted himself to the export of flour to foreign countries, in an interview with a

reporter of the Portland Evening Telegram

gives some interesting figures regarding the Pacific coast flour trade in the Orient, from

which place he recently came. He has traveled extensively through Ja-an.

China, Phillippine islands, Straits Settle-ments, Java and Australia, and in all of

those countries he says that the Washing-ton, Oregon and California flour is known

as the best flour in their markets. Mr. McWilliams says:

"Japan consumes about 200,000 sacks per year. The flour from Hong Kong is dis-tributed to the Phillippine Islands, Ceylon.

or the increased importation.
"Flour, after reaching the Orient, is

from California.

The high boat, so far as had reported,

high as \$200 a ton.

dirt, the richest placers being if any-

for the statement that a couple of

fined here
Ezra Meeker of this city received encouraging news from Fred Meeker, his son,
who heads the Puyallup party that is prospecting on Six-mile creek, Cook's inlet,
He writes, under date of May 19, that in always met with a contemptuous negativenot an once, not a grain was in the entire territory. Had not Old Timer, Experienced a prospect hole started after clearing away ten feet of snow hundreds of colors and small pieces of coarse gold were found. The Pospector & Co. gone over it again and ten again and never got a color? Sure! sma So it lay neglected until last January, indications were considered very favorable, as the shaft was not down to bedrock. This when a couple of miners whose experience was not wide, and who consequently had no undoubtedly solves the problem of whether hundreds of miners at Cook's inlet will cast iron theories, took it into their heads find gold in paying quantities. went and penetrated far into the gulch at the mouth of which Camp Randsburg is now situated. Here one of them sat down

Meeker tells of seeing washed from two shovelsfull of earth twelve chunks of gold varying in size from a grain of wheat to like sinking a 3,000-foot shaft, and is erect a pea. Such dirt will pay well to work ling a steel bridge across a guich 1,500 feet a pea. Such dirt will pay well to work even by hand, and during the summer sluices can readily be worked. Better results are expected when warmer permits prospecting in the creek bottoms News has come of an alleged attempt of

were then discovered, which have out few if any quals in the state.

A mbring expert, who owns a one-fourth interest in 4 single one of the group, bas said that he salues but interest at \$1,000,000, not from what may possibly be hidden beneath the surface, but from what has already been developed. If no what has already been developed. If no what has perhaps 2,500 feet higher that he elevated of at least forty-five degrees, and a slope of at least forty-five degrees, and a slope of at least forty-five degrees, and a slope of the interest at \$1,000,000, not from what has already been developed. If no what has already been developed. If the interest at \$1,000,000, not from what has already been developed. If the interest at \$1,000,000, not from what may now a slope of the steamer City of Topcka June 2 from Sitka to the inlet for \$25 first class and \$15 steerage. There were ninety-two of the former and seventy-four of the latter. A transfer was to be made sides of that mountain in various direct the limits of the latter. A transfer was to be mode at \$100 passengers.

The crowd was so great that the Dora inlet. It is asserted that the company agreed | ton of rock was 85.51 cents.

sides of that mountain in various directions and the state of the country of the "colors" left in his palm. Imagine climbing to the top of that mountain and on its baidest summit gathering a handful of red earth. paid by 1 and refunded the extra charges

The largest MINING DEAL, one of the largdraulic mining deal, and them to camp, pulverizing them in a mortar Mexico has ever k of any kind that New and then "horning out" an appreciable in a few days, saysun, will be put through to the San Francisco Albuquerque spec posed to use the Californiner. It is pro-ployed in the days prior methods as em--and it is not imagination, for the writer saw these very things done, and not by men with mines to sell-you will be preens" decisions. The deal the "anti-slick a certainty. The scene of tow virtually be the placer fields east of Hilations will erra county. These placers ro, in Si-worked in a small way on the st. been Mexicans since 1874, and although nee has been obtainable and the gold has to extracted by dry washing, the miners ha

ground and studying the problems involved for six months and have spent \$20,000 in preliminary work. Their engineers and hy-"If the present run of salmon continues, the packers will get all the fish they can handle for 3 cents a pound," said the foreman of a large cannery to an Astoria, Ore., draulic experts from California have made opographical surveys, sunk shafts and tested the ground thoroughly and all have nade favorable reports. The auriferous gravel bed is about sixty feet thick, covers but admire the untiring energy and push by which he has made The Bee one of the foremost papers in the country and housed it in one of the finest buildings in the state.

Never has there been a better run of fish. Every cannery in this city is swamped and several have limited their men to 1.000 areas, and is allow first. The operations are not several have limited their men to 1.000 and have options on the rest, and the options will be taken up in a few days. tions will be taken up in a few days. Water for working the mines will be impounded at the head of the Animas river by a dam mon, had been received up to 5 o'clock the other day. This cannery will run night and 150 feet high, and will be conducted to the placers through fourfeen miles of thirtyinch riveted steel pipes and discharged through monitor nozzles under a pressure of 360 pounds. After doing its work in the banks and

slutions, the water will be conducted to ba-sins, where the debris is to be dropped and result of a night's work. The haul brought \$216. The low boat at Elmore's had eighteen then impounded again in a reservoir in the mear the interse mesa formed by damming the Percha. From and Wyoming. ish, weighing over 400 pounds.

A fisherman who had worked all through this reservoir irrigation canals will conduct the water to about 12,000 acres of arable land between the mesa and the Rio Grande. The estimated cost of the enterprise, including the purchase of the ground and the censtruction of dams and pipe lines, is about \$500,000, and if the gravel averages but a few cents to the cubic yard the yield

RARE SPECIMENS.

Dr. Bishford Dean, G. N. Calkins, B. C. Griffin and N. R. Harrington, all instruct-ors in Columbia university, are temporarily ocated here, says a Port Townsend, Wash., special to the San Francisco Examiner. They were sent out to obtain material for original investigation on the part students of the university and to add speci-mens to the museum.

A number of very interesting forms of life already known occur in the vicinity of Port Townsend, also some forms not known to recur in any other region. Thus the rat fish, which are exceedingly common here. "In 1895 there was sent from the United States to Hong Kong 3,759,099 sacks of Pacific coast flour, containing one-fourth of a barrel each, or something over 909,990 barrels, about one-half of which was shipped from California. and a nuisance to fishermen, are of great acientific interest. This species is the role servivor of a large group of fishes which became extinct ages ago. It is thought by many to be closely allied to the family of tharks. Then, again, many forms of fish life which are plentiful at Port Townsend and vicinity are exceptionally large and splendidly adapted for fisheritation. and vicinity are exceptionary range and planting adapted for dissection by stu-them the clew.

OREGON.

tributed to the Phillippine Islands, Ceylon. Java, Siana, up the China coast and Straits Settlements. The increase in 1895 over that of any other year was, according to statistics, 50 per cent.

"A brief history of flour in China may not be uninteresting. In 1870 the Cantonese imported a few hundred sacks, since which time the trade has increased until these reached immense proportions. The Some very rare and important specimens Some very rare and important specimens have been found, and the selentists are clated over their success. Mr. Calkins discovered a rare dicyema, a curious little parasite of the devil-fish family, which represents the connecting link between the lowest forms of life and the group of jelly fish, and never before found on this continent or this side of Naples. it has reached immense proportions. The common people are now commencing to use bread, and this is probably the reason THE DAKOTAS.

Farmers from Sully county report a larger acreage of new breaking in that county this year than for the past ten years. Prof. J. E. Todd of the state geological and driven east, to be used for breeding purposes. Crook county will furnish a large share of them. gone to the Bad Lands to spend two months n exploring that wonderful section of south

handled almost exclusively by Chinese merchants. I will say right here that for integrity, square dealing, promptness in making payments and for general honesty the Chinese merchants excel any people I have ever done business with. Of the millions of dollars' worth of flour purchased Jakota. Reports from the government artesian by them in the last twenty-five years I have never heard of a man who has lost so wells at Rosebud and Cheyenne agencies show that they will have to be sunk deeper much as 1 cent by them. The amount handled by them last year approximated than was at first supposed. The well at Rosebud will be about 2,500 feet deep when completed and that at Cheyenne about 1,800 to market, says the Prineville Review. The former well is now down about 2,500 feet and the latter, 1,400 feet. In through Prineville, loaded, for The Dalles. "A good trade is springing up with Central America and the Sandwich islands. The last steamer took out from Seattle

Straight across the valley from Goler in a southerly direction is a range of mountains perhaps 5,000 or 6,000 feet in GOLD FROM ALASKA.

GOLD FROM ALASKA.

the Cheyenne well a strong flow parties of flour annually."

GOLD FROM ALASKA. question that they will secure a good sup-ply with the water when they reach it. Owners of the Fairview Stock ranch, adjoining the town of Artesian, were rewarded by striking a fine flow at the depth of 613 feet. This is the first deep weil secured east of the Jim river near this latitude. Other wells will be put down in this vicinity

this fall. Plans and specifications are being draws for the new government buildings to be crected at Flandreau as additions to the present government Indian school. The ar propriation for these buildings is \$52,500 There will be a new school building erected a new dormitory and superintendent's resi-dence. With this improvement Flandreau will have one of the finest industrial Indias schools in the United States.

The Homestake Mining company at Dead ood has revised its plans for improvement at the mines, and is spending over \$500,00 this year. These improvements consist of additions to its mills that will bring th number of stamps to 800, all of which will be arranged to drop both day and night wide. The cost sheets of its mills show that the company has reduced the expense of milling its ore at the Golden Star mill from 83 cents a ton in 1887 to 70 cents if 1895. This cost of stamp milling is less the Alaska Commercial company to violate its pledges to passengers destined for Cook's its Homestake mill the cost last year pe than in any other district on earth

> COLORADO. The Johannesburg at Pitkin is a new loca-tion by William Reed, having eighteer inches of ore carrying a value of \$52 in gold The Russell mine at Palmer Lake is not

down 150 feet and a solid vein of ore two feet in width has been uncovered, assaying \$60 per ton. Seventy per cent in lead, fifteen ounce silver and three and five-hundredths gold i the assay recently obtained from the Bernar

property at Carbonate camp at Pitkin. An assay received from a sample of or taken from the Silver Lake near Elwoo shows the ore to carry eighty-four ounce of silver and a small quantity of gold.

Forest hill, about twelve miles from Bow man, is being worked in a most careful man ner and large bodies of gold bearing ore unning about \$30 to the ton, have pened up. The Orphan Girl lode, in Black canyon a

Pine creek, is one of the phenomenal prose-pects of the camp. At a depth of ten feel it shows a fine vein of honeycomb quartz which runs \$100 per ton. Ore, easy of access, carrying mill values of \$38 per ton, has been struck in a copper claim three-quarters of a mile from the Ric

Grande depot at Salida. The claim is owne made good wages.

The people have been prospecting the Mr. Al Harbert has opened a streak of of the silver running as high as \$3,000 to Cuon at the Anna Dedrika mine, at Tin marchich it is expected will make a re Ance showing this summer.

Ance showing this summer.
discovered ig ledge of silver ore has been which is a Brown creek, Chaffee county, porphyry, sagred to a large overflow of lized lead, run be fully 75 per cent crystal-A report comesifty ounces in silver. A report comessifty ounces in silver, in the Hock Hocking Alma of a big strike sylvania gulch, a fant the mouth of Pennof the past. Three fold nugget section three-foot vein by Assay, made from a give 27.93 ounces gold, 43 follins of Alma 18 2.10 now cent lead.

18 2-10 per cent lead.

Two prospectors named J. nccs silver,
L. A. Hanigas, claim to have Lnes and cavery in Brown park resemble discharge in the carbonal resemble associated with carbonal resemble. 18 2-10 per cent lead. assay was obtained of \$86 in gold and I red assay was obtained of \$86 in gold and I red ounces in silver. The claims are lock-near the intersecting lines of Colorado, Ut.

WYOMING. A dairy has been started in the Bald Mountain mining camp. Hydraulic mining has been commenced

triet. The Odd Fellows and Masons of Casper will be up in the millions. The deal is now in such shape that there is every reason to believe the work of building dams and Eighty carloads, 1.871.437 pounds of wool.

Eighty carloads, 1.871,437 pounds of wool, sipe lines will be started by the 1st of have already been shipped from Rawlins, and there are fourteen carloads to be shipped A new town, to be known as Shoshone, has

been laid out about three miles north of the hot springs, and quite a preientious settlement has sprung up thereabouts. A tunnel being driven on the Spring canon mine near Glenrock, Natrona county, is in forty-two feet. Three assays have been

made, and the returns run from \$57 to \$111 The Copper Mining company of Casper operating in the Casper mountain district is taking out ore rapidly. The quality of the product is improving with the advance of

the tunnel now under way. J. A. Bailey and John Johnson unearther copper lead at the head of CY canon that promises as well as any yet dug out of Cas per mountain. The discovery was purely ac-cidental and alongside the road that has been crossed and recrossed every day for years. The copper corrosion stain on the rock gave

The capacity of the Monroe flouring mill is to be increased to seventy-five barrels per

Wild pigeons are very numerous this year and are doing considerable damage to crops in Coos county.

The Albany creamery recently had to re turn an order for 8,000 pounds of butter, having orders for 21,000 pounds in advance. The Princyille Review learns from reliable authority that there will be 250,000 yearling ewes bought in eastern Oregon this summer

Millions of young grasshoppers have made their appearance on Tygh ridge, and farmers in that section fear they will do consider-springs that petrify leaves, frogs and snakes, Millions of young grasshoppers have made able damage to growing crops before the is no "critters" wings are sufficiently large to fied.

carry them out of the country.

The contracts for building the Prineville Land and Live Stock company's irrigating ditch in Summet prairie has been awarded. The ditch will be two miles in length, with a capacity of 200 miner's inches of water. The contractors will commence work on the contractors will be contracted to the contra

The wool clip of Engle valley this year will amount to about 100,000 pounds, and the product is now arriving at the warehouses in Baker City. The top price asked is 6%, cents, much lewer than last year, and it is probable the wool will be held for an ad-

The right of way for the new ditch of the Little Klamath Water Ditch company has seen cleared and work on the same will be immenced from some point near the source of the old one, and will have less fall, thus making available to irrigation several thousand acres more of the fertile lands of the Tule lake valley. The valley's system of irrigation is an excellent one.

A matter that is exciting considerable interest up the Santiam is a project to have all of the section of country in Marion all of the section of country in Marion county west of the Little North Fork of the Santiam cut off from that county and put in Linn county, says the Albany Democrat. This would place in Linn county, Gates, Mill City and Detroit, and the adjoining country. It is claimed that, under the present ar-rangement, in order to get to the county seat, residents are obliged to come to Albany and go thence to Salem, making a long and expensive trlp.

WASHINGTON.

The Skamokawa creamery is now separat-ng one and a half tons of milk per day. The National Packing company of Port inber to erect additional cannery build

Captain Kingsbury, who has been em-loyed as engineer of the Yakima reservaon ditch, reports that the channel will carry 164 feet of water per second, sufficient to water 40,000 acres of land. The oystermen of Mason county have all

seen notified by the state land commissioners that their deeds for the oyster lands are ready for them, and they are happy, as the work of years is bearing fruit.

Judge Hanford denied the application of ertain of the Indians living on the Yakima reservation, who asked for an injunction to prevent the agent on the reservation from expending \$20.000 for the construction of an rrigation canal.

A few weeks ago a quantity of flax straw grown on Puget sound, was shipped by the Senttle Chamber of Commerce to Barbour & Sons of Lisburn, Ireland. The manu-acturers report that the samples are exellent and very similar to that grown in he Courtral district in Belgium.

It is said the late discovery of rich sulhurets in Swauk district assays \$165.36 to the ton, and that there are thousands of tons in the ledge. It is also stated that Mr. Robinson has stripped his ledge to a width of forty feet. Now everybody is searching for sulphurets. The hills there bouts are covered with prospects. The Aberdeen Recorder says it has in-

on full time and making a good output.

The brickyard is turning out from 18,000 to 24,000 bricks daily. The third kiin of the season is now being built. A large amount of brick is being shipped to Waitsburg to be used in the construction of the new school building. There are 250 men at work in the jute mill and turning out a over her head. When they reached these states of clouds which had gathered in the western sky. There was finally a muttering of distant thunder, and when a few drops of rain fell the lovers started up and walked out of took off her hat and Fennelly threw his coat over her head. When they reached the school building. There are 250 men at work in the jute mill and turning out a over her head. When they reached the large product. One week recently 46,798 sacks were made, a daily average of 7,966. A cave, the interior of which has not yet

prominent Columbia river packer. jected from Redlands to the top of San Ber nardino range, north of that town.

Miners and prospectors are still going out in considerable numbers from Mojave to Randsburg and Cow Wells, the new gold fields on the desert.

The Hanford (Cal.) Sentinel says that three men from Arroyo Grande have located a coal mine near Alcalde and are making an average of \$7 a day taking out coal. John Ching of Camas Meadows, Idaho, has

herd of nine elk which have become so omesticated that he does not keep them inclosed in the corral except at night. Crude petroleum runs down some of the Les Angeles gutters from the oil fields. The other day a man threw a lighted paper in a gutter and the flames shot up as high as the telegraph wires.

Fremont county, Idaho, boasts of nearly 590 miles of canals, with as many more con-templated. Most farmers belong to stock companies and water costs not to exceed 25 cents per acre on the average. The Los Angeles Record says that a cat

is now unable to walk. His feet are petri-The growth of wool shipments from Great

It has been a backward spring about shear- pounds. It is estimated that fully 7.008.000 ing, and many thousand pounds of wool pounds will be received and shipped from were lost on account of there being no Great Falls this season.

The Italian-Swiss colony has purchased a 640 acre tract of vineyard land near Madera, Mendocine county, Cal. The land is mostly out in sweet wine grapes, and, besides, contains various orchards in fruit and

plives. A winery is also on the place. A colony of people have organized at Ar-A colony of people have organized at Ar-royo Grande, hear Bakersfield, to demon-strate the fact that they can produce every-thing consumed. They will buy nothing nor sell anything. Their object is to demonstrate that they can get along without money of any kind.

The organization of the Poultry association in Eureka. Cal., is reported in a flour-ishing condition, and a number of its mem-bers have become regular poultry fanciers, devoting much attention to the propagation of fancy and ordinary breeds of fowls, both for profit and pleasure.

The work on the Independent canal, taking its supply about three miles below St. An-thony, from Snake river, Idaho, is pregressing well and this fall will witness its com-pletion. It will be the means of opening up several thousand acres of now unproductive land, but it is mostly taken up.

Persons who have a coughing spell every night on account of a tickling sensation the throat may overcome it at o dose of One Minute Cough Cure. me it at once by a

### A KISS; A THUNDERBOLT.

### Lightning Kills a Man in His Sweetheart's Arms.

Upper New York generally gets a share of the weather whenever a tornado starts from Jersey up to the Hudson valley, says the New York Sun, and it got a-plenty on Sunday, the 21st, with a scourging wind, violent lightning and sheets of rain. One freak of the lightning was to strike a pair of newly reconciled lovers as they were kissing each other in an orchard in Tibbett's Brook lane, Kingsbridge. The man was instantly killed and the woman stunned and paralyzed.

The man was Charles Fennelly, a big. The man was Charles Fennelly, a big, strapping fellow of 23. He met Louisa Costello about eighteen months ago and they immediately fell in love with each other. Louisa, who is a fine looking girl of 22, worked in the Owl cigar factory, in East Twenty-sixth street, and all her friends congratulated her when when street and all her friends congratulated her when when streets and street. Twenty-sixin street, and an her friends con-gratulated her when she announced her en-gagement to Fennelly, for he was sober and industrious, and he had a good job in

the Street Cleaning department.
Soon, however, the lovers quarreled over a trivial matter, and a coldness sprang up hetween them. Neither could give any par-ticular reason for the disagreement. Both were proud in their way, and as time went by they drifted apart, until finally, in less than a month after their engagement was proclaimed, they ceased to speak to each other. They were reconciled on Sunday, but their joy was short lived,

According to Miss Costello's story she and Foundly, attended your lives.

mation from a reliable source that work ill soon begin on the extension of the liftoad from Aberdeen to Hoquiam. The sojectors of this enterprise intended to ave started the work on the first of June at have been delayed somewhat in procuring the necessary approval by the court of heir contract with the Northern Pacific Railroad company, and the transfer of the right of way from that company to themselves.

Both the brickyard and the jute mill at the Walla Walla penitentiary are working on full time and making a good output. The brickyard is turning out from 18,000 to the last of time and making a good output. The third kiln of the same church Sunday morning, and through common friends they met again. Their affection for each other had not diminished, and in a determined to celebrate the event with an outling. At 11 o'clock in the morning they went to Van Courtlandt park, and, after spending several hours there, they wandered over to Dash's orchard in Tibbett's Brook lane, near Van Courtlandt avenue. They sat down under a cherry tree, and, having a great deal to say to each other, neither noticed the flight of time nor the dark bank of clouds which had gathered in the western sky. There was finally a muttering of dis-

A cave, the interior of which has not yet been fully explored, was discovered recently on section 27, in township 27, at a int overlooking Lake Chelan and the Cotlair overlooking Lake Chelan and the Cotlair

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n a bank in Germany.

Yaquina bay is expecting to have a saluse and, hitching up his horse to a light remainded by the control of the season by a prominent Columbia river packer.

An electric road, to cost \$175,000, is proaway. girl in his arms, he drove to An alfdge station, a mile and a half ospital. Reilly had re came from the Fordham

left side from earne from the Fordham left side from en Ambulance Surgeon lyzed. Her backe girl he found that her and bruizes, which der down was para-fell upon the sharp o covered with cuts well. She was taken to the the base of the not immediately made as her lover. When they told a she was dead she mounted and sobbed. She was

dead she moaned and sobbed he fate of heart would break, and no one he was comfort her. The girl will recent her. comfort her. The girl will record her is not certain that she will ever for to use of her right arm and leg.

When Fennelly's body was stripped to station a livid mark in the shape of the ter "S" was found upon the right side his break.

his breast. The formation of the letter, which was three inches long and half an inch across, was almost perfect. The lines were three-eighths of an inch in width and the mark stood out in bold relief from his white skin as though it had been branded there with a red-hot iron. The dead man lived at 66 Wooster street, and he was the only support of his aged mother. lives with her parents at 312 East Twentieth street.

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