A smart Chicago operator advertised that he had discovered a process by which old and rancid butter could be made over as good as new, but that he could only handle large quantities. Some dealers sent him samples to try and in return received perfectly fresh creamery butter. Then they sent agents all over the state, bought heavily and sent the stuff to him. To their consternation he declined to operate on it, but offered to buy it at a small figure, much less than they had paid for it, and as, in the open market it would be graded as axle grease, they were obliged to let him have it.

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When Andrew D. White, now United States ambassador at Berlin, was minister to Germany nearly twenty years ago he received some queer letters from Americans asking for his influence in their behalf in court circles. Perhaps the funniest of all was a very mandatory epistle from an old lady living in the west, who inclosed in her letter four pieces of white linen, each some six inches square. "We are going to have a fair in our church," she wrote, "and I am going to make an autograph quilt. I want you to get me the autographs of the emperor and empress, the crown prince and Bismarck, and tell them to be very care ful not to write too near the edge of the squares, as a seam had to be allowed for putting them together."-Youth's Companion.

Clerk Geare, of Martinsville, Ind., a war veteran, has just returned \$350 of back pension money which he had received on account of physical disability on the ground that he has recovered his health, and is therefore no longer entitled to a pension. The pension officials say that the case is almost unprecedented.

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Seventy-five thousand of the enrolled petition signers whose "flattering mandate" to become a candidate for mayor of New York the Hon. Seth Low obeyed soberly and in fear of God, did not vote for him. Political enrollments are humbugs .- New York Sun.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cathartle, cure constipation forever. 10c. 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

The first lucifer match was made in 1829.

#### THE PACIFIC ROAD.

Senators Thurston and Gear Talk on the Subject.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- In the senate the resolution of the Pacific railroad committee, asking information regarding the sale of the Kansas Pacific, was passed, which gave Senator Gear of Iowa and Senator Thurston of Nebraska an opportunity to make short speeches congratulating the country upon the settlement of the Pacific railroad question.

Mr. Gear, chairman of the Pacific railroad committee, said that too much credit could not be given the present administration for the admirable manner in which it had handled and disposed of the Pacific railroad matters.

Mr. Harris facetiously congratulated his friend from Iowa (Mr. Gear) and his friend from Nebraska (Mr. Thurston) upon the change which had come over them since the consideration of the Pacific railroad question last spring.

Mr. Gear responded that so far as he was concerned, no change had been experienced and that he was just as much opposed to government ownership of railroads as ever.

Thurston congratulated the country upon the result of the administration's efforts regarding the Pacific railroads. He expressed the opinion that the prosperous business conditions brought to the country by the advent of the present administration had so improved the main line of the Union Pacific that it would probably now earn dividends upon the full amount of the large purchase price paid for it

Mr. Harris inquired whether Mr. Thurston thought that the same condition would correspondingly improve the Kansas Pacific branch.

Mr. Thurston said that it was hardly to be expected that a branch line would be affected in the same manner as a great trans-continental road. He said that he noticed in the president's message that the administration is committed to the policy of purchasing the Kansas Pacific branch unless a better bid was offered. He did not believe in government ownership of railroads, and he was of the opinion that the experi-ment of such ownership, if it was to be tried, might better be tried with some other than the Kansas Pacific railroad. He suggested to the Pacific railroads committee that the authority asked for by the president to buy in the road be coupled with full power to resell.

#### Western Weather Stations.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- The members of the house committee on agriculture have had a conference with Secretary Wilson respecting the needs of the agricultural department and have been informed that the secretary desires increased appropriations weather stations in the west and in the vicinity of the great lakes. The establishment of additional forecast stations, the secretary thinks, would be greatly to the benefit of the fruit industry of California, which suffers considerably when there are not proper warnings of approaching storms. while on the lakes extra stations are needed for the protection of the maritime stations.

Another branch of the service which requires more money is that of the microscopic division which inspects meats designed for export. The force now available is inadequate, the secretary says.

Comparative Prices on Grain. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11 .- The agricultural department today issued the following:

YOU CAN'T STOP 'EM.

The Fury of an Unfettered Element Falls

to Crush Them-The Fire Flend Defied, The news comes from Attica, Ind. of the destruction, by fire, of the big laboratory and office building of the Sterling Remedy company, makers of Cascarets Candy Cathartic and No-To-Bac, the original guaranteed tobacco habit cure. The preparations made by this big corporation are known throughout the world.

The fire broke out in one of the packing rooms on the third floor during the noon hour, and had made considerable headway before it was discovered The Sterling Remedy company is the principal industry of the beautiful little city of Attica, employing several hundred people, besides being affiliated with the interests at the Indiana Mineral Springs, the famous Magno-Mud Cure. The entire population was

worked up to a frenzy of excitement. Meanwhile the almost proverbial energy and presence of mind of "Hustling" Harry Kramer, the general man-ager of The Sterling Remedy company, was displayed. He was the coolest man at the scene. He quietly walked away, and secured a big carriage show room near by, and had all office furniture, charred and delapidated as it was, taken there. Several shipments were made the same evening from goods saved, and on Friday morning all departments were at work in var-ious rooms about town, while a gang of men were cleaning away the wreck-

age preliminary to rebuilding. The actual damage amounts to many thousands of dollars; the loss due to interruption of business and confusion of detail is inestimatable, but pluck and energy of one man will turn defeat into victory and move the wheels of business to ever-increasing speed. Nothing can stop the success of Cas-carets and No-To-Bac with such characteristic force behind them.

George Dudley Seymour, of New Haven, will soon give an interesting relic to Yale. It consists of the dcuble doors of the house of the late Rev. William Russel, of Branford, Conn., where in the year 1700 the trustees of the future Yale coilege met and presented forty books each trustee as he laid the volumes down, said according to tradition, "I give these books for the founding of a college in this colony." The original house was built in 1675, and was bought by Mr. Russell twelve but the doors were secured and kept Mann, of Branford, a descendant of William Russell, and from her they have been obtained by Mr. Seymour,

Mrs. McKinley, in spite of her position as "first lady in the land," re-tains all the simple habits of her Canton home life, and when entertaining a caller informally at the White House drawing room deftly plies her crochet needle or stitches at some dainty

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The volcanoes of Vesuvius and Etna are never both active at the same time.

army officer who trained his Scotch collie to bark and growl whenever Mr. Gladstone's name was mentioned. He lived to bury his favorite pet, and ever thereafter used to decorate the dog's grave with primroses on Lord Beaconsfield's birthday. Now, the old tory is dead himself, and he left instructions that his body should be cremated and the ashes buried in the garden beside the grave of his dog.

An English paper tells of a tory

A number of Atchison men who have dyspepsia recently formed a club to exchange ideas, but they are all so bad tempered that they had a fight the first night .- Atchison Globe.

An important feature of the American monthly Review of Reviews for December is the book department, which occupies thirty-two pages, with numerous illustrations, and deals with the publications of the season. Dr. Albert Shaw writes on "Some American Novels and Novelists." Another chapter is devoted to "Books for Children and Young People," and a third to "Other Books of the season," followed by classified lists of titles.

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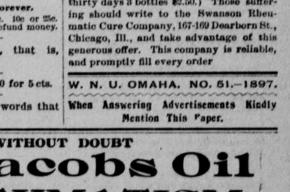
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The only information now available relates to the average farm price of certain products on the first day of the present month. The farm price corn, as indicated, averages 26.5 cents per bushel, against 21.5 cents last year; that of oats, 21.5 cents, against 18.7 cents last year; that of barley 37.7 cents, against 32.3 cents last year; that of rye, 44.7 cents, against 40.9 cents last year; that of buckwheat 421 cents, against 20.9 buckwheat, 42.1 cents, against 39.2 cents last year; that of hay, \$6.65 per

ton, against \$6.55 last year. The averages of products not given are withheld for revision, as are the estimates of the acreage of winter wheat and rye and the condition of these products.

Cleveland in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.-Former President Grover Cleveland arrived in Washington yesterday afternoon, en route to South Carolina on a hunting trip. Although this was the first time Mr. Cleveland had been in Washington since he left the executive mansion last March, he did not leave the car during the two hours it was in the city.

Steel Wire Pool. NEW YORK, Dec. 11 .- The repre-

sentatives of the steel wire and nail manufacturing firms of the United States, who have been for months negotiating to form a steel wire and nails pool, are nearing a conclusion of their work. It is said that about twenty of the large wire nail and steel companies will enter the combination and the capital involved will exceed \$50,000,000.

#### Senator Hanna is III.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Senator Hanna was taken suddenly ill in the Waldorf Astoria last night and re-moved to his apartments. He arrived at the hotel from Washington at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The long ride proved to be fatiguing in the ex-treme and on his arirval he complain-ed of being weary. He said at the ho-tel, however, that no physician had been summoned. Senator Hanna ex-pects to return to Washington on Monday.

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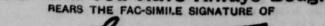
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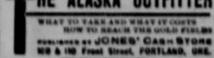
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