

February 14, 1895, nearly six weeks after the work was required to be finished and printed. When inquiry was made of Deputy Auditor How as to what services the report had been performed for, he said he had printed the report, but he had not read it. He said he had printed the report, but he had not read it.

NEW RATES ON LIVE STOCK

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Lincoln, Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Governor Holcomb does not seem disposed to let the matter of the alleged advance in freight rates on cattle drop, as was recently suggested by the Board of Transportation in a communication relative to the complaint of Mr. Dick Woodruff. Other complaints have come to the governor, and today he sent the following letter to the board:

A short time since I received a communication from the Board of Transportation, a farmer and stock raiser and shipper of Custer county, Omaha, regarding the increase in freight rates on live stock shipped to South Omaha. This communication was referred to your board and you were requested to investigate the matter and report to me. I have received your report and am glad to hear that you have given the matter the consideration it deserves.

It is also in receipt of a similar communication from a stockman and shipper residing in the same county, and a similar nature and illustrating by actual comparison of the rates existing prior to January 1, 1906, with those now prevailing, that an increase in the rates has taken place. My attention has also been called to a communication in the Omaha Bee from another stockman, who states that the rates on live stock have increased since the first of the year.

As I understand it, there is no contention as to the fact that the rates on live stock have increased since the first of the year. The question is, whether the increase is reasonable. In fact, I am informed that the rates on live stock have increased since the first of the year, and that the increase is reasonable.

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CONSTRUCTING IRRIGATING CANALS

Lincoln County Preparing to Produce a Good Crop. NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Irrigation in Lincoln county will be wonderfully developed during the next twelve months. Along the two valleys west of this city the acreage irrigated will be nearly doubled during the coming spring and the spring of 1907 will see the present irrigated acreage increased to 100,000 acres.

Crude Methods Produce Sterilizing Results Near Pleasant Dale. PLEASANT DALE, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—The gold excitement at this place still continues. Experiments are being made every week with excellent results. A farmer south of here arranged a sluice and washed out about fifteen loads of dirt and sand. This was made by men unaccustomed to the work and it was not well made, and it is hard to tell just how much gold there was in the fifteen loads of sand.

Booming Allison in Nebraska. Letters and Circulars in Favor of the Lower Sent to This State. NORTH LOUP, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Parties here are in receipt of circulars, accompanied by personal letters, setting forth the many qualifications of Senator William Allison for re-election to the United States Senate.

Young Wolf Hunter Killed. WAHIA, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—Thomas Biggs, a young man about 17 years of age, residing in the southern part of the county, was out wolf hunting Tuesday, and in attempting to pull a shotgun out of a wagon the weapon was accidentally discharged, killing him.

Painter Loves a Foot. VALLEY, Neb., Feb. 24.—(Special.)—While attempting to board a train here this evening J. H. Loy fell under the wheels. His left foot was so badly crushed that it will have to be amputated. He is a painter by trade and has been working for about a year. His family lives in Ohio.

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CORBETT ANXIOUS TO FIGHT

Ready at Any Time and Willing to Go to Any Place. HOLINGBROKE CLUB OFFERS A PURSE AND EXPENSE MONEY, THE FIGHT TO BE PUT ON ON ENG- LISH SOIL. LONDON, Feb. 24.—If Robert Fitzsimmons, the new champion pugilist of the world, and James J. Corbett, the former light champion, can be prevailed upon to come down to solid business a fighting place and fight before a good club.

When Fitzsimmons defeated Maher on Mexican soil, near Langtry, Tex., on Friday last a representative of the Associated Press was instructed to ask Manager Fleming of the National Sporting club here if that body could be induced to put up a purse for Fitzsimmons and Corbett. The reply was that under no circumstances would the National Sporting club subscribe a cent for a contest in which Corbett was one of the principals, but it was added, any other American pugilist might apply with fair prospects of arranging a match.

The objection to Corbett is based on the very bitter tongue lashing he gave the National Sporting club when he returned to the United States after his performance here. It is stated that Corbett claimed that they had treated Corbett with every consideration that he could expect, but that he repaid their kindness by abusing them to the utmost.

The Associated Press representative was then notified to call upon Secretary Stevens of the Holingbroke club and eventually placed the matter before that gentleman. After some deliberation and consultation with the pugilist, Secretary Stevens said that the Holingbroke club would give a purse of \$5,000 for Fitzsimmons and Corbett to complete the fight.

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Dear Sirs: We have been making a most thorough and exhaustive test of your new discovery, Eos, for general laundry work, and have come to the conclusion that it is by far the best article we have ever met with for washing clothes. Linens and cotton goods come out white and clean, flannels and woollens are not only washed clean, but come from the water soft and flabby as new, without shrinking. We have never used a preparation that can compare with Eos in washing flannels. It is also noted that it breaks the water, making it very soft and pleasant to the hands and does not redden or chap them. We think so favorably of it that we shall hereafter use it in our laundry.

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TOUCHING UNREARND LAND GRANTS

Litigation in the Federal Court to Protect Government Interests. In accordance with an order from Judge Caldwell of the federal court, yesterday, two petitions in equity were filed by the United States Attorney, John Rush, wherein the Union Pacific and others are defendants.

The suits inolve several hundred persons who have purchased lands of the two railroad companies mentioned in the petitions. The suits are brought to protect the government interests in the lands. The suits are brought to protect the government interests in the lands.

They expect to reorganize. Real Estate Owners and Dealers Have a Second Meeting. A second meeting of real estate agents and owners, who have in view the reorganization of the Real Estate exchange, was held at the Commercial club rooms yesterday noon.

They softened it for Cory. Police Commission Allows the Sergeant to Resign. The fire and police commissioners last night placed a cushion between Sergeant Cory and the hard spots on which he stands.

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Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle and restful—being rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which a pleasant family laxative, like Fig's, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are felt when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., and sold by all reputable druggists.

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