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PEAR BLIGHT.

Cutting It Out.

Pear blight has been unusually abundant the present season, and it has done great damage to orchard fruits. Uniting out the blight may be done at any time in the winter or spring up to Saturday evening in each month at Native the period when growth begins. The best time, however, is undoubtedly in the fall, when the foliage is still on the trees and the contrast between that on the blighted and that on the healthy limbs is so great that it is an easy matter to find all the blight. It is important to cut out blight whenever it is found, even in the growing season. At that time of year, however, it cannot

Ellenwood Camp. No. 487, meets the 1st and be hoped to make much headway 3d Saturday evenings of each month at Native against the disease, as new cases constantly occur which are sufficiently developed to be seen when the cutting is done. In orchards where there are only a few trees and the owner has sufficient time to go over them daily he will be able to save some which would otherwise be lost. However, when the trees stop forming new wood the campaign should begin is earnest.

Of course the greater part of the blight can be taken out the first time the trees are gone over. If this be in midsummer, the trees should all be again carefully inspected in the autumn, just before the leaves shed, so as to get every case that can be seen at that time. After this a careful watch should be kept on the trees, and at least one more careful inspection giv en in spring before the biossoms open It would doubtless be well to look the trees over several times during the winter to be certain that the blight is completely exterminated. In order to do the inspecting thoroughly it is necessary to go from tree to tree down the ow or in the case of large trees to Blacksmith and walk up on one side of the row and dainty for invalids and a luxury for

gerat deal of labor later and many val- we consume daily.

uable trees.—B. T. Galloway. A Good Geranium For the House. ed, though they usually go under the be considered fresh. name of scarlet or bedding gerani-



GERANIUM HALL CAINE. By selection from natural desay, or by crossing one sport by anoth. the small white squabs of undersize.er sport innumerable varieties have New York Herald. been produced.

The illustration given herewith is of

the English round petaled section. Mr. C. W. Ward gives the following account of it, says Meehan's Monthly: to the English round flowered section. er with her 19 "babes," a sight and a This section is not as a rule suitable possession to make a "lover of poultry" for bedding out in American climate, but should be used for conservatory decoration alone. We have on our premises about 30 varieties of this section covering a wide range of color. In fact, it covers the widest range of color of any section of the single flowered Pelargonium zonale. Individual florets of this section sometimes measure 2% inches to 3 inches in diameter. The trusses are not very large, the habits of the plants are generally dwarf, and

footstalks held well aloft." Quick Growing Vines. Merchandise For a quick annual creeper to cover a wall nothing surpasses the Cobea out of every woman in the land and nearly every man. This ideal photo is scandens for rapid growth and large, nearly every man. This ideal photo is look like?" handsome flowers. A plant set in June | the result of an hour of patient waitand remains green till late fall. Ma- a photographer at Crown Point, Ind. deira and moonflower vines and morn The hen and her chicks are the proper of the angry man carefully, "I should

the trusses are usually borne on strong

Floral Notes. Chrysanthemum cuttings can be cooted indoors at almost any time, but

the best months are November and Decorn could be compared in some man-

ground line.

I have always found that in a cellar where potatoes keep well dablias usually do the same. I lift my dablias. shake off the soil and set them on the potato bins or barrels.

This iny damias, appetites and increase the egg production of every hen in the flock.

QUEEN OF MISSOURI.

Those Who Think They Know Her.

is Unusually Abundant This Year. She is larger than all the possible inmates of the barnyards and all the dance" act to do when he was very grain and other farm produce which are grown in this great state.

I mean she is bigger in a commercia!

comparative wealth producer. Briefly stated, the facts are that Queen Chickabiddy and her product overtop in valuation all the horses, mules, sheep, oats, rye, grass seed. cane seed, castor beans, cotton seed. tobacco, hay and straw by over \$50,000. And the hen is going to do better than that in Missouri. All my information shows that the industry of raising poultry has had a remarkable boom within the last two years and that the percentage of increase for next year

will be proportionate. In 1889 the figures of the railroad and express companies showed that 166,988,710 pounds of poultry were shipped by the Missouri counties. That meant an increase of 36,907,443 pounds or over one-fifth in the dressed poultry usiness alone.

Missouri last year shipped 34,875,040 dozens of eggs. Adding the value of eggs to that of the dead chicken shows hat during the year the state secured usiness.—Thomas P. Rixey, State Labor Commissioner, in St. Louis Post-

Squabs and the Squab Market. Squabs have ceased to be merely a down the other, as in simply walking the rich. The increase in the demand through the orchard it is impossible to during the past few years has been be certain that every case of blight wonderful. We eat five times as many as we did ten years ago

A careful inspection of all pomaceous This is the reason: Game of all kinds. trees should be made two or three such as snipe, plover and partridge, times during the summer and a sharp has grown scarcer every year. Se Agent for D. M. Osborne of the blight. It usually takes two or prices have become lower. It is imlookout kept for the first appearance squabs have come into favor, and the three years for the disease in an or- possible to know just how many chard to develop into a serious epidem- squabs we eat here in New York city. ic, but the early removal of the first | The amount is included in the 500,000 cases will prevent this and save a pounds of poultry and game which

What Rhode Island is to the turkey New Jersey is to the squab. The best and largest white squabs in the New What are known in gardening as the | York markets come from western and | family of geraniums really belong to southern New Jersey and are called the neighboring genus pelargonium, Philadelphia squabs. A few come from and the branch that is popular in gar- the west. Like poultry in the markets dening represents the Pelargonium here, they are never sold drawn-with zonale, the zoned or "horseshoe" leav- the entrails removed. They would not upon the field.

The average weight of one dozen squabs is seven pounds. A dozen birds of the premium class often weigh eight pounds, sometimes nine pounds, and will bring \$4. The average price

for the best class is \$3 a dozen. The best buyers are private parties. who take so many pair a week regularly the year round. Then come the hotels and fine restaurants. The restaurants which give table d'hote dinners at \$1 or \$1.25 each generally pay \$2 a dozen for their squabs. A lower price is paid if possible, as every cent on the meal counts, so finely is the average made up on each plate. Sometimes they can find squabs to their liking at \$1.75 a dozen and very rarely for \$1.50. Dark squabs are bought You cannot tell the difference between the dark and the white squabs in soups and pigeon pies. The light meat is worth one-third more than the dark partures, or "sports," as the gardeners | meat. Put into the same dozen are

"Just Out."

"Standard bred poultry on the farm" is well represented in this picture, a fine specimen of the photographer's "The Hall Caine geranium belongs art. Here is a White Wyandotte moth



ing glories are other good quick grow ty of 1. Howland & Son, poultrymen, at Crown Point. - Reliable Poultry about to throw a fit."- Indianapolis

Value of Millet Seed.

If a gill of millet seed and a quart of ner, it would be found that more eggs The century plant requires little or would result from feeding the millet no water in winter if kept moderately seed than from the corn. Not that there is more nutrition in the seed, but A little insect similar to that which | because the hens would quickly pick has for some years attacked aster up the corn and would be compelled plants has this season damaged Cle. to work for each of the tiny seeds promatis paniculata by eating it at the cured. One tablespoonful of millet seed scattered over a piece of ground or in litter will induce the hens to seek for

Forrest as a Negro Minstrel. From almost the beginning of Ameri-Fiddie's Record Surprises Even can stage history there were negroes of the minstrel variety impersonated on The Missouri hen is a larger thing the stage, though it was not until about

than the Missouri cow or Missouri 1840 that they were organized into horse, or even the Missouri mule-lar bands. Some of the greatest actors of ger indeed than all the live stock in the later days had their experience as minstrels, among them Joe Jefferson and Edwin Forrest.

young, and after he had studied it up he asked where was the "old negro lady" that was to act his assistant in way-in the matter of dollars and the piece. The management tried several of the women who were members I don't suppose that one citizen of of the company, but none of them the state out of 50,000 realizes the in- would consent to blacken up, and, in portance of the hen. In the gathering fact, they were very indignant over the of the statistics for my annual report proposition. The actor, however, was en the industries of the state I learned not easily discouraged, and on the that even the farmers who raise the night of the first performance he blackhen do not realize her importance as a ened up and went around the corner to an old negro woman who did his wash-

"Hello, Dinah," he said on entering. "How yo' be er feelin dis bery fine

"Hello, yo'," replied the African lady.

"'Pears to me yo' am er bery fresh nig-"I'ze no nigger," answered Forrest, and then, time being rather short, he assumed his natural voice and told Dinah, much to her surprise, that he was Forrest, the actor, and that he wanted er to go on the stage with him that night and laugh loudly at frequent intervals, which was all the female part called for. The two made a great hit and were kept on for some time, which goes to show that Forrest might have been a good minstrel had he been of an ambitious nature.—Saturday Evening

A Curious Combat. A traveler in South Africa witnessed was musing one morning, with his eyes erpillar crawling along at a rapid rate.

once, and the victors marched off in an ounce.—Boston Journal. great triumph, leaving the foe's body

diplomatic reply. summer and gets four with an the muscles then narden, and despite their smoke and dirt and grease, and then apparent burden of flesh the men usu- merce and Lodge going to the Sterility Cured the heat drives it up again into the ally develop great activity. One of the head of foreign relations. clouds, and when it gets up there it's best runners and jumpers 1 know is a ing together, and it explodes! That's pounds."—Philadelphia Record. my theory. Of course," he added, with becoming modesty, "other folks may have others."-Youth's Companion.

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from childhood." "All right."

ham's bosom- But hold on! Ain't my grandfather was an ape." that whar Lazarus is?" "I think so."

thought. Then he said: "No matter! Put it down that she's thar, too, fer ef ever Lazarus sees her comin he'll vacate an hunt another restin place. 'Sides that, he's been thar

The Soft Answer. "There!" said the angry man, shoving a photograph, presumably of him- put in the small boy.

self, under the photographer's nose. "Do you know what that makes me of the household. the photographer, surveying the face trayed.—Chicago Post.

say it makes you look as if you were

No Place Like Home. An Atchison man took sick Saturday satisfied with having married me to dergrowth that now hampers the and decided to stay home till he got reform me. When you try to reshape party rested. He was back at work at noon me, you are undertaking too much."-Monday. His wife asked him within a Chicago Tribune. few hours to take care of the baby, to chop onions for pickles, to grind the coffee, to dress the children and to

Atchison Globe. The Point of View. Miss Willing-Do you believe it is wring to marry for money? Parson Brown-Of course not. Five

milk the cow "while he was resting."-

A young woman at a watering place profound linguist in a rather odd manner. She called one day at a Chinese laundry where she had left a shirt waist, but it could not be found, as here was no entry in the book of hierodyphs corresponding to her pink slip. After a half hour's search the Chinacan found the entry. A mistake had been made, so the entry was crossed at and a new set of hieroglyphs in y characters placed below. She was

nmediately, and she could get it the The next day the young woman calld for it, accompanied by three other oung women. At the seashore the extement of a visit to the Chinese launry is not to be despised. The Chinanan to whom the pink slip was preented was not the laundryman of the ly before, and he experienced the ame difficulty in finding the identifyg character, finally saying, "Not in GIVE US A CALL\_

Id that the waist would be laundered

The girl answered calmly, "I can find it," and the Chinaman allowed her to ake the book. Turning the leaves unshe came to one that had an entry ssed out with another in tiny charcters under it. she handed it to the Chisaman. "There it is," and, to his

surprise, he found it. You only lady I know spik Chinese," he said. And the other girls looked upon her with admiration. ed to the selection of the success-Kansas City World.

The Unique Horn of the Unicorn. Windsor eastle and in 1598 was valued stood that Senator Frye, who is sultan of Mecca by a king of Ethiopia. 512,091,048.54 from the poultry raising not long since a singular combat. He They were in a park of the temple of Mecca and were not much unlike a colt the head of the commerce comon the ground, when he noticed a cator of 30 months of age. This was in 1503. mittee rather than relinquish it Pursuing him was a host of small end of the seventeenth century.

Being quicker in their movements, ruins at Persepolis, and it was adopted qualifications for the chairmanthe ants would catch up with the cater- by the Persians as the emblem of speed pillar, and one would mount his back and strength. In the middle ages it and bite him. Pausing, the caterpillar was the symbol of purity. The unicom ever, may lead to his selection his tormentor. After slaughtering a its horn on a stone before it struck the dozen or more of his persecutors the foe in the abdomen. No family, by the justment of committee assign-

all policemen get fat?" asked a man ing superfluous weight. I have known summer and gets foul with all the muscles then harden, and despite their the head of the interstate compressed on all round by the clouds com- policeman who weighs nearly 300 Despite the talk of Democratic

A Bishop's Retort. Darwin and his books, and he said to solidity. A three-cornered fight "Put it down thar." said the old man the bishop of Winchester (Wilberforce), to the obituary writer, "that she wuz 42 an likely fer her age."

"That's down."

"My lord, have you read Darwin's last book on the 'Descent of Man?" "Yes. I have." said the bishon whereignen I have," said the bishop, whereupon will probably begin this winter in "That she wuz never known ter the young man continued: "What nonspeak a cross word, bein deef an dumb sense it is talking of our being de- Congress. There is a divergence see the use of such stuff: I can't see "That she is now at rest on Abra- what difference it would make to me if

that it would. But it must have made He paused a moment as if in deep an amazing difference to your grand-The young man had no more to say.

look like?"

"Why, that young fellow you always said was nothing but wind," answered

worse hump shouldered than ever."

of Britain five distinct species of dogs were there, most of which can with sign of your Stomach and Liver certainty be identified with those of the present day. There were the house Dr. King's New Life Pills give terrier and the slowhound.

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WASHINGTON NEWS. DR. G. D. RICH,

Items Gleaned by our Correspondent at the National Capital.

A great deal of interest attachor to Senator Davis as chairman H. W. Gottenberg, D. D. S. of the foreign relations commit The horn of a unicorn was shown at tee. It is very generally undera gentleman of Rome, saw with his President pro tem of the Senate own eyes two unicorns presented to the and chairman of the commerce SONOMA. - - - CAL. committee, prefers remaining at The animal became extinct about the to take foreign relations, on which The unicorn is represented in the he is first in line. His eminent Att'y at Law. Notary Public. ship of foreign relations, howwould turn his head and bite and kill hated the elephant, and it used to whet temporarily, until the general ad- SONOMA, - - - - CAL.

caterpillar showed signs of fatigue. way, should be without one of these ment at the opening of the new caterpillar climbed up the tree tail first. craft. Thus Torquemada had one al. in order are Cullom and Lodge. caterpillar climbed up the tree tail first, craft. Thus Torquemada had one arfollowed by the ants. As one approachways on his writing table. Further,
Both went on the committee at Classes in Drawing and Painting ed he seized it in his jaws and threw it more, a drinking cup made from one the same time. But Cullom is the off the stalk.

The ants, seeing that the caterpillar will be a safeguard against poison, as will the ground powder put in drink, senior. Cullom has made a repu
Studio, Room 1, I. O. O. F. Block had too strong a position for them to and indeed the wells of the palace of tation as chairman of the interovercome, resorted to strategy. They St. Mark could not be poisoned in the state commerce committee, and began sawing through the grass stalk. In a few minutes the stalk fell, and these beneficent horns had been it is regarded as natural that he hundreds of ants pounced upon the thrown into them. Unicorn's horn was should want to remain at the GEO. BREITEDBACH fallen caterpillar. He was killed at formerly sold by apothecaries at \$120 head of that committee, which is with subjects which he is most "Have you ever noticed that nearly familiar with. Lodge, who is napa St. + + + Sonoma. A nevel explanation of the cause of who keeps his eyes open. "This would chairman of the Philippine comthunder showers was once given a so- seem to disprove the theory that walk- mittee, is one of the most active journer in a little Nova Scotia town by ling in the open air is a means of reduc-"Do you know what makes thun new policemen to start on their beats committee, and is one of the best der?" the Nova Scotian inquired of his weighing no more than 125 pounds. In informed Republicans in the Senguest. "I've got a theory of my own, and I call it a pretty good one." six months they would tip the scales at and I call it a pretty good one." six months they would tip the scales at ate with reference to internation-"I should like to hear it," was the It must be the slow sauntering in the al affairs. It is likely, therefore, open air that does it. for I have noticed that if Senator Frye does not Pumps, Windmills, Tanks. Plumbing "Well," said the host slowly, "my that while policemen grow fat the house sergeants, who are confined to take the chairmanship, the tastes the air circulating and circulating all the stations, are invariably thin. Those and special bent of the two men the air circulating and circulating and the stations are the streets gain the maximum, will lead to Cullom remaining at PARIS

re-organization, there is likely to 1100 be more evidence at this session French Graduated Midwife At a dinner party a young man was of further disorganization than once talking rather foolishly about of any recovery to anti-Bryan scended from apes! Besides, I can't of views among the Democrats in Congress with reference to legislation involved in the principle is- 1709 Powell street near Union street, San Francisco, California. "No," the bishop replied; "I don't see sues of the recent campaign, and it is likely that Democrats will be Office hours from 1 to 3 and 7 to 9 p. m. found supporting measures, or at least trying to qualify the opposition on the party in Congress "I have been sitting on the porch to measures, not in consonance too long anyhow!"—Atlanta Constitution.

listening to the sighing of the wind." with the attitude of the party in she said sentimentally by way of explanation of her long absence from the the campaign. For instance, many Democrats are in favor of "Yes; I heard him sigh," promptly expansion, many others are in "Him? Who?" demanded the head favor of a strong army and navy, and if the currency question O1 comes up, it will be found that toon covers a large area and blooms ing on the part of Mr. W. E. Vilmer, like at the present moment," answered the boy. And thus was the secret betheir party last time, are now willing to vote their real senti-"George," said Mrs. Ferguson, "for ments and oppose the silver men. Capital Stock \$500,000. 160,000 Shares heaven's sake straighten up! You're All this will be in the line of "Laura," retorted Mr. Ferguson, "be clearing away the populistic un-

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#### FRIDAY, DEC. 14, 1900

When the bids for the con-Saturday struction of the new battleships and cruisers were opened by the Secretary of the Navy last Monday it was found that the bids made by the Union Iron at this place one day last week. Works of San Francisco were itors on one first class battleship and two armored cruisers. The awards will be made in a few weeks. This means another for the United States Navy.

rut worn deep by use it is hard the capital city. to change its course; so it is with nia. Parents have submitted Lounibos for a term of years. patiently—at least with only a complaint to their children—to a continual purchase of new books Oakland to attend the funeral of the Shellville crew in the work sent out by the state printing her sister Mrs. J.H. Henn, which of lining the track Tuesday. office after having been compiled took place in that city Wednesby menapparently unacquainted, day their positions by political influ- homes. ence. This system has not only The fight as to who will be lars for almost worthless books the coming four years waaes vacation. but it has also cost the parents very warm. If the successful much money which they could ill one fills the position as ably and afford. This is only looking at well as the present incumbent, returning Thursday morning. the financial side of the question Mr. C. F. Carmer, the people will without regard to the inconveni- have no reason to complain. ence placed upon the teachers and pupils. The coming session of Legislature should abolish this has gone to the county seat and ribs. system and appoint a committee it is whispered around that he is of competent educators to devise contemplating breaking away a new system that will be based from the bachelor's club of which on the quality of the books and institution he has been a well not on a political and money known member for many years. basis.

#### A GROWING INDUSTRY

When one stops to consider the greatness of the oil industry of this state, which is practically in Wednesday. its infancy, there is every reason to believe that California is on We see by last week's Expos at San Francisco. He was a the verge of an excitement which ITOR that A. W. Weaver is clos- man of great intellectual ability will surpass—in at least two reing out his business. I think and his many friends not only in spects—the gold excitement of there is a mistake for on the first Napa, but in other parts of the thus: safer and less expensive old shop at this place kicking up learn of his death. He was a for the small investors; a more a big dust and there was enough brother of Congressman-elect we will send you our Journal. permanent business and larger old junk thrown out to give old Frank L. Coombs from this disreturns for those who engage Junkey a good load. His neigh-trict. therein. The cost of developing bors are all rejoicing at his coman oil well is only about one-fifth ing home the first of the year to as much as that of a gold mine. help them out. In gold mining when the pick is laid down the returns immedinight. The output of wells vary anteed cure for Piles. 29¢ a box. Sold by Ed. Wegner druggits.

He consideration of this Mrs. Bell will not collect the years from 40 to 500 barrels per day and is sold according to grade at about \$1.00 per barrel.

The extent of the oil bearing ing so cheap. territory in this state has not yet been determined and development work in this line is now in progress from the northern to the southern boundaries of the

state. The most prosperous and fa vorable fields are found in Kern county from which locality is

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#### EL VERANO LOCALS

Items Gathered by Observation and Hearsay.

Frank Freggero has purchased

every Friday and will be sent postpaid on some repair work on the S. P. Communications on all matters of local track here. On the day of their interest will be received with pleasure and arrival they were enquiring for day evening.

Frank Riser was out of town a few days the fore part of the

E. P. Lounibos transacted busipess in the metropolis Saturday. J. D. Grouper was in the city

O. W. Nordwell was up from San Francisco Sunday.

Wm. Baines visited his mother

P. Olsen of this place was a lower than their eastern compet- Saturday passenger to the city. through here Wednesday.

Mrs. L. L. Lewis and daughter

It is said that the Maxwell a fine. the text book system of Califor- ranch has been leased by John

in a supply of Xmas goods. Geo. Laux a rising young breakman of the Santa Fe system appeared on our streets

'49. They may be summed up of the week he was seen in the state as well, will be grieved to

Paid Dear for His Leg B. D. Blanton of Thackervill ately stop but this is not the case Tex. in two years paid over \$300 agreement Senator Ashe and I in oil mining. When a well is to doctors to cure a running sore. the Ruinhart Stock Farm comcompleted the expense virtually Then they wanted to cut it off, pany are to vacate the Bell place ceases and the returns begin to but he cured it with one box of at Glen Ellen by January 1st 1901. come in without ceasing day or Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Guar- In consideration of this Mrs. by buying of me. Come

from Steuben while they are go- Senator Ashe's lease was to run

The motion in the agreement case in the Wickersham will contest was partially settled

daily shipped about fifty carloads of a fight over the bill for the reof this new product. Among duction of the war revenue taxes. board was present with 110 ent Benj. Weed in the chair. other companies operating in this Each member of the house has favorable locality is the Bay City this bill. Some have breweries, A business college which has Oil company which has proven others patent medicine factories held prominence for fifty years its territory by penetrating an and still other commercial bodies, in thoroughness of instruction oil sand at a depth of over 500 all desirous of securing a repeal and great variety of business is feet which now keeps about 14 or substantial reduction of the Heald's Business College of San feet of oil in the well while fur war revenue act in so far as it af- Francisco. Many of our busi- ALL HORSESHOEING GUARANTEED ther drilling is in progress. The fects them. It has seemed best ness men today owe their suc Lameness Interfering and Forg first information regarding this to the subcommittee drafting the cess to the training they received ing Prevented. strike was received here by wire bill, from sources regarded as relat Heald's. At present it is betlast Friday much to the satis- liable, to remove almost all of the ter equipped than ever and offers faction and agreeable surprise taxes on proprietary medicines a chance for training in almost of many. This company has a and to reduce or remove the tax- every branch of business. Prof. number of stockholders in this es on mortgages, telegrams, and E. P. Heald, the president and valley who on learning the good express recepts. This relieves founder, an educator for more news immediately increased their almost every intrest concerned, than half a century, has associholdings. The Bay City Oil Co. except the brewers, the tobacco ated with him as chief executive is conceeded to be one of the best manufactures and sellers and the officer, Prof. J H. Aydelette, long FRESH BREAD EVERY DAY. companies operating in Kern sleeping-car companies. Owing time principal of the Business to the vigorous protests made by College of Oakland, and also a Choice pies and cakes always on

### SHELLVILLE PENNINGS, GLEN ELLEN JOTTINGS.

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M. P. Akers, Miss Mattie Good-The section men are doing man, Mrs. Cassabohm and Mrs. Lawlor attended the Eastern Star meeting at Sonoma Thurs-

in Petaluma this week.

Miss Geneva Taggot of Grass Valley paid a brief visit to Shell- Kennedy, Pomona; Mrs. John ville friends Thursday while en Wood, Flora; Miss N. Bishop, oute home.

Thursday afternoon's C. & N. Treasurer. train for the metropolis.

Jas. McMackin who has been time past is now much improved. joyable affair.

A hunter from San Francisco Oregon and two more Olympias came up from Sacramento yester was arrested on the C. & N. train elected officers last Saturday. day and are stopping at the Yulu-Sunday afternoon by Constable pa ranch above town. They were Ohm and taken before Judge When a wagon wheel runs in a accompanied by Mr. Oliver of Cheney where he plead guilty of trespassing and was let off with

> The section crews from Napa and Glen Ellen superintended by Mrs.C.F. Carmer was called to Roadmaster McQuade assisted

Wm. Donahue arrived Tuesday evening from Portland, Oregon, in most cases, with the subject | Miss Louisa Weaver of Glen for a vacation which he will matter required and holding Ellen is visiting at the Weaver spend at his old home at Embar-

San Luis grammar school will cost the state thousands of dol- road master in this district for close this week for the winter

> A. Cook came up from San Francisco Wednesday evening

M. Watt had the misfortune Sunday of falling from a pruning One of our popular young men ladder and breaking one of his

William H. Coombs of Napa Dead

Last Friday William H. Coombs died at his Napa home. He was a native of California fifty-five Storekeeper Mullen is putting years of age. He was a graduate of West Point Military Academy and for a short time served as a Second Lieutenant of Cavalry. He resigned from the service of the United States and was appointed to a position in the Mint

#### A Compromise

A compromise has been arrang ed between Senator Porter Ashe and Mrs. Teresa Bell. By this rental of \$1000 as awarded her Get yourself a good watch by Judge Burnett two weeks ago. three years longer.

### Board of Education

The county board of education Saturday and submitted on met last Saturday in the office of briefs. The main reason given the county superintendent and for wanting a dismissal is to try made the final arrangement for all points in the litigation at once. the teachers examinations which All kinds of cement work, Monuments, Head There is likely to be something were held the fore part of the week in Amory hall. The entire board was present with Presid-

the tobacco men it is now believ- corps of efficient teachers in all ed they will be relieved of a port-branches. We call the attention ion of the extra taxes, but no of our readers to their ad. which hopeis expressed for the brewers. appears in another column.

Resort.

Wm. Hotle of Sebastopol spent Johnson, lecturer; A. V. Chase, lient to meet the expenditures. care whether he lives or dies. C. J. Poppe, Ceres; Mrs. Charles Department.

position has been offered him.

ill with a bad cold and severe Home last Friday evening was Supervisor Putnam passed attack of rheumatism for some largely attended and a very en-

turn home for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bosch have moved on their farm near the warm springs where they will reside in the future.

An exhibition of art will take the school.

been quite ill is now gradually cure." Such wonderful cures

he same.

Angelo Bocca is seriously ill with la grippe.

The public school will close next Friday after a very suc cessful term of five months.

Shooting Notices.

We have a lot of notices to nunters printed on cloth, which we are selling quite reasonable,



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hand at reasonable prices

A. W. Gunnison, an insurance surveyor, was in town Wednes- Victims to stomach, liver and

Fire Underwriters rules. following officers were elected: panies for carrying Uncle Sam's need to feel like that. J. W.

Last Wednesday twelve repre sentative citizens of Sonoma lady assistant steward; Thomas county outside of Santa Rosa Mr. and Mrs. Merriam took Wagoner, trustee; Joel Zane, were chosen by Judge S. K. Dougherty to hear the evidence Henry Martens has gone to and render a verdict in the con-Joe. Kiser visited in Vallejo southern California where a good demnation suit brought by the City of Santa Rosa against the All Work in First Class The entertainment given at the Fountain Water company and J. M. McDonald, The suit is brought to acquire for municipal Ladies' and Children's hair cut purposes the waters of the well known Peter spring, the The Glen Ellen Native Sons ten acre tract upon which the Mrs. A. C. Clark, who is visit- way to the premises. The city ing friends in Grass Valley, was is represented by Attorneys taken ill and will be unable to re- Vaughan and Seawell. Colonel J. W. Oates and J. M. Burnett of San Francisco are the attorneys for the defence.

#### Just Saved His Life

It was a thrilling escape that Charles Davis of Bowerston, O ... ately had from a frightful death. place at the Dunbar school next For two years a severe lung Hot Mineral Baths Near by Saturday. The price of admistrouble constantly grew worse un sion will be 10 cents. The pro- til it seemed he must die of conceeds will be for the benefit of sumption. Then he began to use Dr. Kings New Discovery and lately wrote: "It gave instant re-Mrs. O. Gordenker who has lief and effected a permanent for 25 years, proven its power Schieck Bros. have sold their troubles. Price 50¢ and \$1.00. wine and are now busy hauling bottle guaranteed. Trial bottle free at Ed. Wegner's drug store.

#### CHURCH NOTICES.

Congregational Church Rev. Chas. D Milliken, Pastor. Serv lunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunda Junior Endeavor meeting, Friday's at 3:15 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society and Missionary Society meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month

Methodist Episcopal Church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunlay School at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting o ednesday at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at :30 p. m. on Sunday

Episcopal Servides Episcopal services will be held in the San nonth at 11 o'clock a. m. W. L. Clark, Rector

Catholic Church. Rev. W. P. Quill Rector. Mass: Sunday 8:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45. Week days 7:30 a. m:

#### LODGE NOTICES

FAHM

TEMPLE LODGE No. 14 meets in the Maso

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SONOMA LODGE, No. 28 meets at Oda Fellows Hall every Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE, No. 99 meets i

OES VALLEY OF THE MOON CHAPTER, NO. 85. neets in the Masonic hall on the Thursday vening on or preceeding the full moon of each

IMY 45 meets the first Wednesday evenings h month in Odd Fellows' hall

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PUEBLO LODGE No. 168 meets every 1st and h Tuesday evenings of each month at Odd OOF

SONOMA VINEYARD COUNCIL, No. 162 meets

I S G W ONOMA PARLOR No. 111 meets on the first onday Evening of each month at Odd F

UAOD hird Friday in each month at Odd Fellows

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#### Brave Men Fall

day receiving applications for kidney trouble, as well as well as Late Happenings in our Little Seen and Heard in the Summer new ratings, changes and com- women, and all feel the results plaints for violation of Board of in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, At the regular meeting of the Owing to the exorbitant charges headache and tired, listless, run-Glen Ellen Grange last Friday the made by the transportation com- down feeling. But there's ro This resort is particularly adapt-James W. Gibs in, master; John mail bags the receipts of the Post. "Electric Bitters are just the W. Wood, overseer; Thomas office Department are not suffic thing for a man when he don't EL VERANO. SONOMA CO. CAL, Saturday with Shellville friends. steward; James Cowan, assist Congress should regulate the It gave me new strenth and a Miss Grace Lawlor is visiting ant steward; Mrs. Joel Zane, transportation charges so that good appetite I can now eat any. Notice of Dissolution of Partnerchaplain; C. J. Poppe, secretary; both ends can be made to meet thing and have a good lease on the control of the control Phomas Smith, gate keeper; Mrs. in the financial running of the Drug Store. Every bottle Guaranteed.

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the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in said County of Sonoma, State of California. WILLIAM EDWARD GOETHE, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Kunigunda Nau, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, Cal., September 21st, 1900. Robert A. Poppe, Attorney for estate.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Hobarta Sarah Merlin-jones, de

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	W'k days	Sundays	From Nov. 7, '00 Destination		Sonoma
	6.18 a. m.	6.40 a. m.	S. F., S. Rafael	Sundays	W'k days
	2.45 p. m.	3.37 p. m.	intermediates	10.25 a. m.	1 10 30 a m
	10.30 a. m.	10.25 a. m.	Glen Ellen	7.15 p. m.	7.20 p. m.
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SPECIAL DESIGNATION OF THE PERSON OF THE PER	H C.Y	Whiting	and the second	7.13 p. m.	7.20 p. m.

GENERAL MANAGER

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### LOCAL BREVITIES,

LATE HAPPENINGS IN COMMUNITY.

Viewings of the Valley Taken at Random.

Miss May Estes spent Sunday with home folks.

was in town Wednesday.

to the metropolis Monday.

D. D. Davidson was down from Santa Rosa Saturday.

trip to the metropolis Tuesday.

business in the bay city Monday.

Editor J. P. McDonnel was ornia wells. a visitor here from Sebastopol Sunday.

San Francisco Saturday for a Poppe one of the board of trustees day night and organized a club Mrs. J. W. Morris transacted

business in Oakland Wednesday and Thursday.

relatives here. Matthew Johnson was visiting his parents at the home of Cap-

tain Johnson Tuesday.

afternoon train Sunday.

ial artist, will in the future light his shaving parlors with electric

bay city.

lights.

up again.

J. J Dunbar was among the many Sonomaites who were transacting business in the metropolis Monday.

of Education.

tion of the Trullinger Generator leniency which caused the Judge brooder and brooding house. Los Angeles Monday to spend will be destroyed forever; nine in the electric light works.

Since the Union hotel closed its doors people are going to the Toscano hotel which is making a name for itself as a first class

Rosa visited friends here Tues- dance was unusually large and J. P. Weems will collect his day. Mr. Gage is conductor on much interest was taken in the accounts every month. After 30 the Santa Rosa branch of the gratifying reports made of the years doing business in Sonoma Southern Pacific.

her position as assistant principle in our high school. The res- Graham, overseer; F. A. Riser, The United States Senate's de- pers of late. ignation is to take effect at the lecturer; J. N. Dowdall, steward; cisive action in the passage of close of the term.

senting Sonoma city at the con- secretary; P. Olsen, gate keeper; to by Europe when it comes to vention of California Municipali- Mrs. A. D. Graham, Ceres; Mrs. managing our own affairs. ties which is being held in San J. La Torres, Pomona; Mrs F. A. Francisco this week.

guaged several thousand gallons man, trustee. of brandy Monday for the P. P. Berges winery. It was then given into the care of Storekeeper McGimsey.

Mendocino county Tuesday even-

### MAY BURN OIL.

Used at the Home in Place of Wood and Coal

The advisability of substituting Dr. A. E. Osborne of the Home far has brought out the facts in falling struck the roof of the Hugh G. Maxwell was a visitor time amount to forty three dol- age to it. Fortunately no one monthly fuel bill now for a year flying debris. is six hundred dollars. \_ It is esti- The storm has done considermated that the substitution of able damage to trees and fences G. H. Hotz made a business the oil burners in place of the in all parts of the valley. furnaces will reduce this fuel bill The high school will close for at least fifty per cent. This will the holiday vacation next Friday. be quite an item in the expense Skelton Glaister transacted bill of the Home and will give a market for the consumption of the crude petroleum of the Calif-

The practibility of the proposed substitution will probably be came together in the club room Mrs. J. A. Perkins went to made next spring. Hon. R. A. came logether in the Clewe building last Tueshas been appointed to go farther for the purpose of their own enwith the investigation and to re-tertainment and to occasionally port to the board the results. He will leave in a few days for Stockton and other places to ob-Chas. Humphreys was up from serve the practical use of this tury Club and it has decided to San Francisco Tuesday visiting new fuel in factories and institutions now using it.

Sportsman Runs Amuck Last Sunday morning a San Miss Anne Fischer was a past Francisco painter with sports and one that shall ring through senger to the bay city on the man tendecies, who later in the the years of New Twenty as the Steuben's Horace Appleton left Sunday wards took his shot gun and two Sonoma. for Sutter Creek Amador coun- dogs and came up to our valley ty, where a position awaits him. for a days hunting. He trespass-W. E. Landgrebe, our tonsor ed on the Spreckles place early by the Sonoma Dance Orchestra. in the afternoon and bcame rather demonstrative with his Miss Cora Perkins returned lowed on the premises. Mr. auction last Monday and Tueson the evening train Monday Dalzel immediately mounted his day. F. M. Ames, a former well smith was in town Sunday afterafter a three days visit in the fast riding horse and came down known resident of the town, act-L. Modini, who has been dan. tino of the culprit, who in the sale was considered a financial gerously ill for several weeks is mean time had taken the train for success. Of course some things train Sunday. much improved and is able to be home laughing at the sucsess of of value were sold at a great sacand quickly spotted his man and figures placed him under arrest. He brought him to town and sum Prof. Benj. Weed was in Santa the necessary warrant. The of is quite sick. Rosa Saturday attending to his fender plead guilty to a charge Mrs. Lizzie Carriger came up est market prices and will handle hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and duties as a member of the Board of trespassing and was fined ten dollars. He thought this rather expensive for a days pleasure for a visit with valley friends.

Mrs. Gearbart and denotite for a visit with valley friends. town superintending the opera. and with an elequent plea for For Sale Cheap—A good Evelyn Waugman came up from to its normal condition, hearing to reduce the fine to six dollars. Enquire of Will Steuben, the the holidays. They are the cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is but an inflamed It was promptly paid and Mr. jeweler. Mrs. Spencer retuned home Edwards took the next train for Henry Cline of Santa Rosa was of Eden Dale farm, who is Mrs. Monday evening after a five San Francisco hoping that his in town yesterday transacting Gearhart's father. weeks visit in San Francisco day's experience would not cost business for the McDonald packwith her daughter Mrs. Hooper. him his job. Constable Ohm has ing and store house. Deputy U. S. Marshal Hum- decided to make an example of phreys of Nevada was visiting these obnoxous gunners who at the Humphreys home on come from the city with the idea Broadway a few days this week. that they can run things to suit Captain Boyce place has been their own convenience.

#### Grange Officers Elected

last Saturday evening for the because of the ill health of its mates. purpose of electing officers for regular pastor J. J. Pardee. Mr. and Mrs. J. Gage of Santa the ensuing term. The atten-

R. J. Dowdall, master; A. D. month, every month. Hon. R. A. Poppe was repre- ver treasurer; Miss E. Kearney, determination not to be dictated Riser, Flora; Mrs. Frank Weaver, A blacksmith shop on west side U. S. Guager R. A. Temple lady assistant steward; T. Skil- of plaza. Apply to

#### Ah Jim Died Yesterday

man employed on the J. B. Mor-W. N. McGill returned from ris place near Agua Caliente died after many years spent as a nuts, orange peel, citron, curing where he has rented a stock laborer in this valley. Deceased ranch. He reports the weather was a native of China apparently cranberries, and onions. J. P. in that county as being delight- about seventy years of age, and ful and is entirely free from fog. death was due to old age and general dibility The remains The board of directors of the were laid to rest in the Valley gregational church Sunday Dec clectric light company are again Cemetery by Undertakers Clark ember 16th. Morning subject using the crude oil gas gen- and Albertson. Ah Jim has "Beauty." Evening subject erator. This time it is working worked on the various ranches days trial before its final adop- since he went to work for Mr. tion. It is rumored that their Morris he has been a regular is going to be a change in the Sunday passenger on the C. & N. management, but this is not road between Sonoma and Agua Bears the Caliente.

### WRECKED BY WIND.

California Petroleum May be The Morris Home Badly Damaged by a Falling Tree This Morning

About 10:30 o'clock this morncrude petroleum burners for the ing when the terrific storm, furnaces now in use at the Feeble which struck this portion of the Minded Home is being thorough- valley, was at its height a large ly investigated by the Board of gum tree just north of the J. B. Trustees. The investigation so Morris home was uprooted and that the fuel bills at the present L of the house doing much damlars per day. The average was hurt by the falling tree or

#### Will Give A Century Ball

With a feeling that the closing century should not die unattended and the new century born unescorted into time without an expression of enthusiasm and joy in Sonoma a few young men

give a dance or entertainment for the valley people in general.

give a grand new century ball on the night of December 31st. The members are sparing no pains to make the affair a fitting close for Old Nineteenth Century day gave his name as Phil. Ed- greatest social event held in Clarence Nauman was a Sun-

The ball will be held in Weyl's hall and music will be furnished

#### Auction Sale at Union Hotel

gun, when informed by Foreman All the furniture and fixtures Dalzel that no hunters were all of the Union hotel were sold at at Steuben's jewelry store. to give Constable Ohm a descrip- ed as auctioneer. In general the his bluff. When the train reached rifice but this was made up on Schellville the constable got on things of less value going at good serving as one of the twelve men ear. There is only one way to

Joe Ryan drove to Benicia

As we go to press we are informed that a large barn on the badly wrecked by the wind storm this afternoon.

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day visitor here.

Frank Burris was down from Santa Rosa Sunday J. M. Berges spent Sunday at

the Victoria winery.

James Ruffner was a passenger swollen. to San Francisco on the afternoon

selected to serve on the jury in the water suit at Santa Rosa. John Batto & Son are now

guests of the Hon. Robt. Howe condition of the mucous surfaces.

CASTORIA.

A very successful entertainment was given at the Feeble Minded Home Friday and Saturday nights by McCormick, the Rev. F. T. Addis has been whistling imitator. It was given assigned temporarily to the in order to obtain money to brigh-The El Verano Grange met Methodist pulpit of this place ten the holiday season for the in-

Otto Van Geldern of San Fransisco visited relatives at this place Sunday. He is the father Goods At Cost: vorable comment in the city pa-

F. Clewe has put the electric lights back in his store.

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Remember goods at COST at | Henry Bates came up from the bay city Sunday to spend the day with relatives and friends.

L. Litzius of San Francisco was in town Sunday shaking We are sorry to state however that it was with his left hand, as he received a scratch on one of M. Turley, the Glen Ellen black- poison set in. It was feared at one time that amputation of the finger would be necessary as his hand and arm were so badly

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they can-J. E. Kearney of El Verano is not reach deseased portions of the cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the hay. They are paying the high rumbling sound or imperfect closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be Mrs. Gearhart and daughter taken out and this tube restored

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## Yesteday Ah Jim an aged china-nan employed on the J. B. Mor-Cash Store.

For the Young and Old

rants raisins, mince meat, 40 bbl. Santa Claus has visited our store and you are invited to come and inspect the grand assortment of

### Ploliday Goods HE LEFT WITH US.

alright but will be given a thirty in our valley for many years and a.m. Endeavor Service 6:30 p.m. Among them you will find presents for the Children, the Mother and Father. The grand parents can also be pleased. Come early while the assortment is complete.

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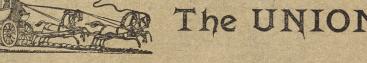
#### YOUR MOTHER-IN-LAW

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moned Judge Cheney to issue Thursday to see his mother who gaged in buying and shipping tube gets inflamed you have a In all shapes and sizes, styles and prices for Babies, Children, Ladies and Men at

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#### CONDITION OF MILK.

Many Ways In Which Milk May Be Records That Are Important and

Spoiled. To have milk in its best condition till as they should be, the milk may be spoiled by subsequent handling. The first thing that should be done after milking is to cool the milk. Where This process should be performed only ord of all the animals. in the purest air on the premises. After this the next important factor is in milk from the 80 cows. We have

The season just ending has many les- with her first calf has much for conof the country dry weather has very give her another year's trial or not. materially shortened the hay crop. Just here I wish to ask if the two Where men did not foresee the coming trials in a quarter is a safe plan to decorn to supplement the shortage in keeping or rejecting or can I adopt a stock on hand. This stock must either herd accounting, never having examsult is cattle are very low in price. as any one. Not once in a lifetime do we see cows less than that. Calves, sheep and lambs box stall.

is needed or not.

go along with cows in price. If we had been a little more cautious about getting overstocked with cows, we would be better off. The pendulum didn't know it, and many of us are sadly lamenting the fact now.

Teaching Patrons.

In too many instances factory men patrons assume it is because the patron is determined not to do as well as he knows, says Hoard's Dairyman.

on him. Get the desired knowledge into food, and which will be destroyed by it will hold him in most instances. At a palatable of all the fat foods that man ada, E. Agur. Brownsville, stated that so one of the most digestible. There of his milk, because he did not know vegetable oils, but there is none among how. He gave a personal experience, the animal fats that we know. It in which he had shown a patron who should be regarded as a necessity rathhad always sent inferior milk, and er than a luxury, particularly for chil-Professor Dean thought that the only be given up and a liberal use of pure This, he said, was to a certain extent economy to limit the use of any whole-

Easy to Keep.

The bookkeeping part of the mancare must begin before milking with agement of a large dairy is of the the cow, her surroundings, her food greatest importance, since on the staand her drink, says Texas Farm and Ranch. Milk may be spoiled by being neatly taken from a healthy cow and large verment dairy is given through improperly handled thereafter. A filthy The Country Gentleman by J. Wilder tarn or stable will serve to spoil milk and shows how carefully all points are without assistance. But suppose the looked after by those who make dairy barn and the cow and the milking are ing their whole business. Mr. Wilder

no ice is cold well or spring water may are part full blood, registered, and part be used. To get rid of the animal odor common to the best milk it should be 26 2-year-old heifers to come in bethoroughly aerated. Where there is no improved implement for this purpose tention is to keep a herd of 100 cows, it can be sufficiently done by pouring the limit of our stalls. In building up it from one vessel to another. Pouring this herd the plan is to bring it to 300 it through a strainer that will separate pounds of butter each year and over. the body of the milk into numerous weeding out all that do not come up to small streams, holding the strainer as this standard. For this purpose the high as convenient, is better than sim- proprietor engaged me to come April 1, ply pouring from one vessel to another. 1899, and institute a system to keep rec-

thoroughly clean vessels. A piece of six milkers. Milking begins at 5 in the unsterilized curd so small as to be in- morning and 5 at night, letting no othvisible to the naked eye may be the er work prevent the rule being combreeding ground of germs sufficient to plied with. We have six milking sheets spoil a large can of milk in a few covering seven days, recording the hours, so rapidly do these growths multiply. Every vessel, can, pan, cup, dip.

weight of each cow's milk morning and night. This is added up, and the per, strainer, spoon or whatever may week's result is recorded in a special rome in contact with the milk should not only be made scrupulously clean, ter). My plan is to test the cows the but should be submitted for several last week of the first month in the minutes to boiling water or, what is quarter and the first week in the last better, to steam under pressure. The month of the quarter. I add the two very common custom of pouring a bit tests together and divide it by two to of boiling water into a vessel, giving it a shake and turning it out is not suffi. get the average for the quarter. This gives the butter fat, which is extended clent. Several minutes' boiling is required to destroy many injurious germs of milk. Soap should not be used, but sal soda should take its place and should be freely used at least once a week in combination with boiling water. There is no arganic substance cording to the calculations made. water. There is no organic substance cording to the calculations made.

more subject to rapid deterioration

I have a herd ledger, with two pages
for each cow. The left hand page for man, animals and organic germs so shows name of cow, herd number (if infinitely small as to be detected only with the most powerful microscopes.

In the best of birth of cow, dam and sire and date In the hottest summer weather milk of dropping calf. If the calf is to be may be kept sweet for 12 hours with. raised, its herd number, name, sex and out ice or even cold water if proper the sire, if registered, are added; if precautions are taken. If the patrons of city milk dealers would test their ed, so record it. On the right hand know whether efficient milk inspection yield, butter fat and butter for each quarter. Adding the four quarters together gives the production for the E. L. Vincent of New York, writing of the cow, whether she is profitable them is that general farming is in the drops her calf and the general points long run most reliable. In many parts for a good cow-to decide whether to trouble and put in liberal pieces of termine the quality of the cow for hay winter stares them in the face better system of accounting to obtain be carried through cold weather on ined how others keep their records, grain or turned off at a loss. The re- and desire to have the best or as good

I have another book in which I keep selling as cheaply as at the present all the dates of service, with name of time in those sections which were most sire and when due to drop the calf. seriously affected by the drought. Good 'This I report to the man in charge of cows coming into milk in the spring the barn two or three months in adare today worth only from \$15 to \$20 vance, so that he can be on the lookout a head, and many are selling for even and properly provide for the cow in a

The Kansas experiment station has been testing skimmilk and buttermilk has been swinging toward dairying for in a private dairy of five cows to ascera few years back, and now we are tain how much butter fat there was caught. We must get out the best, when the milk was set in ice water, way we can. But should we not firmly cold water or cold air, as compared resolve that hereafter we will not run with the loss when a separator was so largely to one branch of farming? used and run properly. They found Mixed farming is the safest. Again, from three to seven tenths of 1 per we should learn from the experience of cent of fat in the skimmilk and 1 1-10 this year that it is wise to be prepared Per cent in the buttermilk. The herd for any kind of a season that may of five cows tested showed a loss in chance to come. It is said that any this way of 129 pounds of butter in the fool knows enough to carry an umbrel-skimmilk and 31 pounds in the butterla when it rains. It is a wise man milk in a year. This 16 pounds at 20 who takes one along when the sky is cents a pound, for which price the dalfair. Who could have foretold last ryman was selling it to private cusspring that the hay crop would be so tomers, was a loss of \$32 a year or nearly a failure in 1900? If we had all \$6.40 per cow, and from a herd of 20 known that, we would surely have cows which were doing as these did planted a good piece of corn. But we there would be \$128 per year saved by using a separator. That the milk and would be by the average dairyman we the butter was being sold, which is creamery rates in Kansas this year.

Healthy Cows and Wholesome Food. from the fact that the patron lacks made that it does not need to be renomilk and lacks it in such a way that vor which it can obtain only from what he does know her but little effect healthy cows, fed upon wholesome recent dairy meeting in Listowel, Can- can take, or most of men, and it is al- drives and promenades. the patron very often did not take care | may be exceptions among the pure since that time the milk had always dren and invalids, and we think that been excellent. In answer to a question | many of them would be benefited by a as to the best way of teaching patrons, more liberal use of it. Good food is President Millar stated that the best cheaper than the use of medicine, and way was for the maker to go and see | we think the dose of cod liver oil so the patrons himself and instruct them, often advised by physicians might well way, as the maker could not spare the cream and good butter be taken in its time, was to employ a man to go about place to the advantage of the health and give the necessary instructions. of the patient in many cases. It is not being done in eastern Ontario. Circu- some food product that the stomach lars and meetings did not reach the can digest at the risk of enfeebled health.-American Cultivator.

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## INDUCEMENTS

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### Geographical and Geological

Sonoma Valley extends from within a few miles of Santa Rosa on the north to San milk by this rule, they would then page is recorded the average test, milk Pablo Bay on the south, a distance of thirty miles. It is nowhere more than eight miles wide, the average width being five miles. It embraces portions of Petaluma and Hui-The Season's Lessons For Dairymen. Year. From that we estimate the value chica Ranchos, and the Agua Caliente and the Los Guilicos Ranchos, the Pueblo, in The American Agriculturist, says: to keep in the dairy. Of course a heifer Sonoma. The valley is separated from Petaluma valley on the west and Napa valley on sons for the thoughtful man. One of sideration-her sire, age when she the east by low ranges of volcanic mountains.

### Industries.

with empty mows and an abundance of the knowledge desired? I am green in The principal industries of the valley are fruit growing, wine making and dairy farming Here also may be found the most extensive basalt quarries on the Pacific Coast. The wine of Sonoma is famous all over the United States. It commands the

highest price, and is more eagerly sought than any other wine produced in California. All Fruits and Grapes are grown

## Without Irrigation.

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#### Climate and Scenery

The climate of Sonoma valley is unsurpassed. The fogs which prevail in other portions of the State are here conspicuous for their absence, being shut out by the range cream were as well handled as they of mountains on the west. The intense heat of Summer prevailing on the great plains can only judge by the price at which of California, is here tempered by the gentle breezes from the Pacific. The proximity of who complain of poor milk from their above dairy rates, and even the average the ocean also tends to equalize the temperature in Winter, rendering the climate of Sonoma Valley mild, gentle and agreeable. Along the banks of Sonoma Creek may be We think poor milk is nearly always Good butter, pure butter, so well found some of the prettiest scenery in the state of California. Extensive picnic grounds knowledge of what constitutes good vated and that has the aroma and fla- may be laid out in numberless places along this stream. Sonoma mountain and Bennett peak on the west side of the valley are conspicuous objects to the traveler. Good roads his mind once in a thorough way, and uncleanly surroundings, is the most radiating from Sonoma and Glen Ellen to all points of the compass, afford excellent

> Good schools under the management of able and experienced teachers are to be found in Sonoma Valley, affording the best of instruction to the youth of the country.

### Historical.

SONOMA is an Indian word and means "Valley of the Moon," and was the name originally given to the beautiful valley from which the County was afterwards named. The tribe of Indians inhabiting the valley were called Cochuyens. On the arrival of the first expedition to establish a mission, the name Sonoma was given to the Chief by Jose Altimira, the priest in charge, and after the Chief, the tribe and the valley they inhabited took the name Sonoma.

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