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Report of the Interior Department.

AN IMPROVED CONDITION OF THE INDIAN POPULATION-LAND NEEDED FOR THE CARLISLE SCHOOL-THE

AREA OF LAND GRANTS. Secretary Lamar, of the Interior Department, in report for the last fiscal year, says: There has been a steady though not rapid improvement in the moral, material, and intellectual condition of the mass of the Indian population during the past twelve months. They are more tractable: fewer crimes and depredations are charged against them; more of them than at any prior period are engaged in useful and prefitble industries; more than ever before are located upon individual allotments of lands, tilling the soil and living in houses. More have laid aside the blanket for the dress of civilization. The average attendance of children in the schools is about 1,600 greater than heretofore, and many more of the parents are anxious for the education of

The Cheyenne and Arapahoe Reservation in the Indian Territory furnishes a striking illustration of this improvement. During the past year quiet and order have prevailed upon the reserva-tion. There has been an increase of over 1,500 acres in cultivation: farms have been fenced by Indians, who have built for this purpose 100 miles of fencing. They have cut and put up for winter use more than 400 tons of nds of freight from the railroad to pounds of freight from the railroad to pect.
the agency; and have over 150 more flow the illegal occupation and possessof their children in schools. Nearly sion of the public domain could have vation have become legally married to their Indian wives in conformity to the requirements of this department.

There are other evidences of a different character showing that the work of Indian civilization is progressing under the present management of the Indian Bureau. The estimates presentsning year are \$422,386.20 less than those of last year, and \$1,719,176 less than those of the year previous. These things all considered show that the work of elevating the race is bearing fruit. While the Indians on their part are advancing, the Bureau is re-tiring by the reduction of its expendi-

The salaries allowed Indian agents are too small to secure for such positions men of the broad views and great abil-

paid in labor to be performed by the Indian pupils attending said school, and the grant of authority, with the necessary appropriation, was also requested for the purchase of 109 acres adjoining Carlisle school, at a cost of \$18,000. These measures received the sanction of the Senate, but failed to become laws. The above named from them the means necessary for training the Indian children in farming industries, which, of all others, are best suited to their persent circumstan-

The farming operations among the Indians have increased in extent during the year, but a season of drought especially in the Northwest, has not only limited the yield but greatly dis-couraged many of the Indians who have realized very little from their farming endeavors. Another cause couragement in their farming operations is the difficulty which they have in finding convenient markets for the produce raised by them. There is little if any demand on their reservations for any surplus grain and other products of the soil the result of their labor. They cannot be easily induced to engage in industrial pursuits unless their labor is made remunerative During the fiscal years 1885 and 1886 the Indians, mainly the White Mountain band, located near Fort Apache, on the White Mountain Reservation, in Arizona, raised and sold to the Quartermaster's Department, 127,710 pounds of corn, 74,325 pounds barley, and 1,-481,991 pounds hay, from which they

realized \$20.139.86, The area of public lands disposed of during the last fiscal year and the refrom the report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office foots up to 23,326,099.85 acres. Not included in the foregoing are 2,663,531.83 acres of final homestead entries, and 141,693.97 acres of final timber-culture 141,593.97 acres of final timber-culture entries, made during the year the areas only by study and application, by practical experiment, by exercise in the use of which you have reported heretofore in the original entries of the respective abreast of the world's knowledge, that P. Mason, of the Rensselae. Polytech classes. In addition to the preceding the soldier can be made ready for his ber of pre-emption filings, 50,676; of army transportation during the past number of soldiers' declaratory state year was \$5,080,579.16. The national year was \$5,080,579.16. Indian lands, 6,772; miscellaneous filings 2,621; total 62,460. These filings cover an area of 8,432,000 acres. The cash receipts of the foregoing amounted to \$9,031,084.34.

consideration and immediate action by

As shown by the report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, 375 unlawful inclosures, containing an area of some 6,410,000 acres have been brought to attention up to the present time. It is believed that this does not represent nearly the area illegally in closed Proceedings to compel removal have been brought involving 2,250,000 acres. Decrees have been obtained for his annual report, from which it ap

of employing the number of agents necessary for the prosecution of the work.

Another obstacle in the administra tion and enforcement of the law has een the large grant of lands that has been made in alternate sections to railroads along their lines. In Wyoming the railroads have parted with their the purchasers have erected fences upon them in such a way as not to upon any lands belonging to the Gov-ernment, and yet to enclose large por-tions of the public domain.

The President's proclamation the action of the agents of the Department have arrested the further ap-propriation of the public lands by these unlawful inciosures. They have also produced a more tolerant spirit towards actual settlers. Before this frequent reports of violence and intimidation by those maintaining unlawful fences against citizens desirous to enter home steads came to the Department. Som of the agents now report that those having such fences have erected gates allowing it.gress and egress to settlers who have gone upon lands within their inclosures, and have openly proclaimed that they have no desire to prevent settlement upon the public domain by actual settlers, and the right of way to the public lands is accorded to them. Whilst, however it is claimed that many trespassers on notification bave removed their fences, it is undeniably true that a larger number still main-tain them, and will refuse, to obey the

law except under actual compulsion. In order to obtain direct information on this subject I instructed the two inspectors appointed under the act of the last Congress to give it their special attention and to report to the Department directly. One was sent to the Territory of Wyoming and the other to the Territory of New Mexico. The result of their investigations within the limited time has furnished to the Department enlarged and more special information upon the subject. They information upon the subject. They report a number of inclosures and an area inclosed in these two Territories hay: have hauled over 1,000,000 far beyond what I had been led to ex-

grown to such enormous proportions is beyond my comprehension

In its social, moral and political assults, the existence and growth of such ed for the Indian service for the enaction of the Congress of the United States. When it was first represented Toe name of the President's little

SAY IN HIS REPORT.

Secretary of War Endicott's repor is out, and is very complete. He says that during the fiscal year \$36,990,903-38 were paid out. The Lieutenant General of the army reports that at schools are doing good work, and I the date of the last consolidated returns there were 2,103 officers and 23,-946 enlisted men in the army. In re ferring to the late General Hancock Mr. Endicott says: "He was a brave and accomplished soldier, who served thanked by Congress for his gallant, neritorious and conspicuous share in the great and decisive victory at Gettys burg. He also had in full measure the respect and love of all his country-

erious disturbances in the Division of the Missouri during the past year But constant vigilance has been required of officers and men. In the odian Territory the settlement effected through the visit of the Lieutenant General in July, 1885, with the Chey ennes and Arapahoes has given com-parative peace to that region, and the palatial mansion. Indians are quiet and contented. A considerable portion of the report is devoted in describing the different Indian encounters, the capture of Ger-onome and the death of Captain Crawford, to whom he pays a high tribute. He says that no man should occupy position in the army to which he is not fitted. The discipline of the army is good and the efficiency of the various

arms of the service are well maintained. The reports from the commanding officers of the Artillery School and of the Infantry and Cavalry School are very satisfactory and shows that a high staudard of military education has been established. Soldiers are developed and matured rapidly on the battle-field, but in time of peace it is armory at Springfield, Mass., during the last fiscal year manufactured 39,-527 rifles, carbines and shot-guns, in addition to the repair of arms, the manufacture of swords, sabers, and The constantly enhancing value of the public timber and the rapid destruction which is going on demand careful consideration and lower demand careful progress. The progress with Signal Service. The progress made in the system of cold wave warnings has been highly satisfactory, and the Chief Signal Officer

### Treasurer Jordan's Report.

is convinced that property to the valu

of many millions of dollars has been

saved through its agency.

mitted to the Secretary of the Treasn y removals from more than 1,000,000
acres. Cases embracing 3,750,000
acres are pending examination, and from a part of these fences are now being removed. The total area from which fences have been and are being winds been and are being winds been and are being carres, Cases of revenue over expenditures \$242,483,138. The ing farther information in reference to the purpose of gaing farther information in reference to the purpose of the same and are being winds and the prof. Tucker for the purpose of gaing farther information in reference to the purpose of the same and are being winds and the prof. Tucker for the purpose of gaing farther information in reference to the passage of revenue over expenditures \$242,483,138. The backing powder question. He was found in the extensive laboratory of the Medical College, hard at work, but good naturedly submitted to an inquisitorial interview, the substance of last year making an increase in the been with reference to these enclosures if the Department had had the means that of 1885 of \$30,492,817.29.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Congress met today at noon in the usual way. There was a good representation of both Senators and Members and crowds of people flocked to the Capitot to see the beginning of the new session When the Forty-Ninth Congress met ast December it found the Capitol draped in mourning for the death of Vice President Hendricks. This year it reassembles to find the building swathed in black for Ex-President

After the gavels fell to-day in the Senate and house, and roll calls followed, and new Senators and Representatives were then sworn in. Work is now in order, but the week's programme cannot now be outlined, for convenience must decide to what business each branch of Congress will first give attention.

Among the most interesting annual reports evoked by the assembling of Congress was that of Secretary Whitney because it deals largely with the construction of the Navy. Speak g of the extravagance of previous dministrations, the Scoretary shows that there are now twenty million dollars worth of stores and supplies on hand, supposed to be new, but much of them ruined by decay and rust, or entirely obsolete. There are 25,000 augers which have been lying for years in disused yards and nundreds of thousands other implements similarly going to destruction. An officer reports passing through a yard where the mer were short of out nails, and turning aside he found a wareroom filled from floor to ceiling with barrels on barrels of the needed nails. It is estimated that these nails will still last the Navy

Department fifty years.

The absurdity of the effort among Republican papers to create the belief hat there is some scandal involving the President in the purchase of rea estate here for speculative purposes is really amusing. Neither partisan mal-ice nor personal animosity can fix upon him any taint of complicity in real estate ring transactions or scandalous

police spying in Washington. Even those who criticize the Presi dent's public and political policy ac-knowledge that personally and pecu-niarily, he is one of the most honest men who ever occupied the White peet, not less than in its economic re- House. He might be imposed upon it sults, the existence and growth of such lawless combinations resting upon un lawful inclosures of the public domain free from greed. This sudden spasm and protected by the acquirement of titles, through devious or more openly frandulent methods, to the controling when he locked up Boss Sheperd, Lansources of water supply, constitute to- daulet Williams and the members of day a phenomenon of American life the Whiskey Ring, because certain and a problem of political import that real estate dealers sought to profit by demand the intelligent attention and Mr. Cleveland's purchase of a home, is

country place is still undergoing changcountry west of the 100th meridian had been fenced in by cattlemen, I could not give credence to the statement of such lawsesness and rapacity. But the testimony of the residents of the Top," after which the owner named it "Oak View." Now those who have the testimony of the residents of the

When ex Senator Robeson ran for Congress the last time in New Jersey, his constituents were shown pictures of the south front of the new State, War and Navy Department, and were told that that magnificent granite structure was Mr. Ro' eson's new house in Washington. This was entirely too aristoeratic for the rural voters of his dis trict, and Mr. Robeson was defeated. Ex-Senator Windom of Minnesota was said to have lost his seat in the Senate and accomplished soldier, who served through the scattering of pictures of with distinction in two wars, and was and it is said one reason Mr. Blaine rented his elegant house here and lived in a more simple fashion was from the fear of the political use that might be made of his living at the Capital in

> Street, and picking up a western paper a few days after he was astonish ed to see the statement that he had bought an elegant residence in the fashionable locality of Mr. Blaine's

A BAKING POWDER MATTER. MORE OF THE ALBANY NEWSPAPER IN VESTIGATION.

THE "JOURNAL" REALFIRMS AND EMPHA SIZES THE FACTS-PLAIN TALK PROM PROF. TUCKER -- HIS OPINION ON AMMONIA AND BREAD

The Albany, N. Y., Journal some time since published an interesting re port upon the subject of baking powders, in which it gave the results of some tests of an elaborate character made for the purpose of determining the question of which is the best and wholesomest of these articles. The analyses and tests required were undertaken by Professors W. G. Tucker, of the Albany Medical College, and W. nic Institute, of Troy, chemists of the highest standing and reputation, well known for their extended and valuable services as public analysts. Mesers. Tucker and Mason, the Journal stated. had been directed to procure from dealers in Ablany and Troy packages of baking powder, to analyze and critically examine them, and to make their reports of facts found entirely without

bias or favor. The report proved a matter of in erest and importance, and was widely opied and commented upon. Fro the facts presented housekeepers had no difficulty in determining for themlocal baking powder manufacturer, re-turns to the subject and publishes the ollowing interesting interview with the little boys. Prof. Tucker. The facts before stated are reaffirmed and emphasized in the

"Is there any part of the report, or of your views expressed therein, that you would modify?"

"Not a word. My examination was most carefully and accurately made; the deductions I drew from the tests were the inevitable ones, and the opinions. I drew from the tests were the inevitable ones, and the opinions. I drew from the tests were the inevitable ones, and the opinions. The meeting at Hamilin is still in grogress at this writing. Several have thus far ac-

ions I expressed were unquestionably orrect."

"You say, Doctor, that the Royal baking powder is superior to any other baking powder which you have exam-

"Have you examined many other baking powders?"

"Quite a number."
"Wherein, Doctor, consists this superiority which you find in the Royal over other brands?"

"As stated in my report, in the great purity of its ingredients, in the un-questioned propriety and wholesome-ness of those ingredients, in the exact proportions of the same, and the chemical accuracy and skill with which they have been combined. As I said be fore, it is, I believe, a baking powder 'unequaled for purity, strength and whelesomeness."

"Doctor, the Journal's lady reader would like you to inform them what are the peculiar virtues of a good baking powder over other and more old-fashioned methods of raising bread, biscuit and cake ?"

"That would require a long answer "That would require a long answer, something in the nature of a lecture. Briefly, however, the advantage of such a baking powder over yeast consists in the quicker work it accomplishes, in the preservation of some of the best elements of the flour which are destroyed in the production of the carbonic acid gas by the use of yeas, and in the absolute certainty of sweet, light and digestible food. Over other methods for quick raising, the merits methods for quick raising, the merits of a pure baking powder are great. It is always ready for use, the soid and al-kali are combined in exact proportions to produce definite results, or to render the largest amount of leavening gas and leave nothing more than a neutral residuum, which is not the result where cream of tartar and soda are bough separately and mixed in the kitchen for it will always occur where this i done that one or the other of these substances will predominate, making the food yellow, heavy, bitter and unwholesons. Besides, the cream of tartar which can be procured by the housekeeper is mostly adulterated, adding ing to the uncertainty of the results or the unwholesomeness of the food All these difficulties are avoided in the use of a pure, properly-made baking

the testimony of the residents of the proper ment the best and most economical plans of procedure, to insure the successful advancement of the Indians. It is believed that the saving, which would result from the intelligent work of such a commission would many times exceed the amount required for its maintenance.

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It is becoming quite common to distinc "Will baking powders keep! How long will they hold their strength!" "If properly made, until used. A perfect baking powder must combine ing powder. I have seen an analysis of a baking powder which showed 21 per cent. of Rochelle salts. The baking powder was not fresh, and because of the improper manner in which it had been made the ingredients had combined, forming the purgative salt. I give this as an illustration of thos baking powders whose keeping qualities are sacrificed to present strength

> quality is the secret of baking powde "Doctor, what about ammonia baking powder !" "Serqui-carbonate of ammonia metimes used in the higher class of

How to get both strength and keeping

baking powders." "Is it injurious or objectionable !" "Nons nse! Quite the coutrary. It has been used for generations in the finest food. It is a very volatile agent. The character of these city homes is ing no residuum. Were it used in sufsometimes exaggerated, however, as ficient quantity to do the entire work was that of Senator Vest. Recently of aeration, I am inclined to believe it ficient quantity to do the entire work purchased a modest little house on would be the acme of leavening agents Some of the bighest authorities, a Hassall, recommend its exclusive use for this purpose in preference to yeast or other kinds of leaven. It is universally admitted to be a wholesome and valuable agent, and no chemist of reputation will class it otherwise. have become indignant when I have read the silly charges that have frequently been made through ignorance

or otherwise against it." "Then those manufacturers who ad

est rubbish. A man disgraces himself when he lends himself to any such statements. It is particularly unfair for baking powder manufacturers to seek to pervert the truth, or prejudice the ignorant or unwary by statem that it is either harmful or dirty. Am monia exists in the very air we breathe, and is largely present in nature as wholesome substance."

Stern Winter has again stretched his doubt, smoothed the rough and tardy road to the enviable state of-matrimony. Hog cholera has not wholly destroyed

and the smaller fry to be looked after by

Our young, fair maidens, these long

"Doctor," said the reporter, "it appears that one of our local baking channels, barriers that seem to bid defiance to other outlets. So far as the general buspowder manufacturers attempts to discredit the report some time ago published in the Journal with reference to baking powders, for which the analytical examinations were made by yourself and Prof. Mason. Were your analysis and opinion printed correctly to the content of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching, so far as the general business of the community is concerned it does not matter, but, there are three eminent physicians located at that place, whose practice necessarily is far reaching.

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Hearing people talk one would suppose that the Wilkes-Barre and Western railroad will go up every stream and ravine that crosses the valley—even part of the time occupy the track of the B. & S. A. little too much railroad, that. Sammy Gibbons contracted a very severe

Daniel Ashelm in has a sick horse, which

offers from pneumonia Rev. Boone, Charley Kase, Harmon and Andrew Stine captured six rabbits on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Warra McHenry, of Cambra, is or

the sick list and suffering from sore throat,

Sile McHenry reports foxes very scarce. Thanksgiving week pork and poultry (turkeys) sold at 5 and 9 cents respectively SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR. Wellington Hughes' herd of hogs has again increased to several hundred head, all of which he has decided to winter over. All of Cambra is in a fair way of becomlog supplied with soft water from an ex- sterling merit. It there takes the place of a doctor cellent spring below town, by means of an and costly prescriptions. It is a hydraulic ram.

Hygiene has not disturbed our public chools thus far this Winter. The thermometer of the moral atmosphere registers 0—(zero), as the boiling (maddening) point, and—20 below, fighting heat. 1, 2 and 3 above, cold, chilly and indifferent.

Simon Tubbs is now in his 88th year The last lot of peanuts, sold by Davie Kauff, were very large and deceptive shells, enclosing little, shriveled kernels, but, Oh! how "bitter-sweet." Merchandise is the hobbic of cousin Davie. Our people are anxiously awaiting rail-road developments. Wash Ipher expects to prospect for coal very soon again on his farm, near Cambra. He exhibits samples of coal found by boring, at a depth of about 40 feet.

Court Proceedings.

The regular session of December court began on Monday the 6th, Hon. William Elwell and associates Hons. F. L. Shuman and James Lake on the bench.

Reports of constables taken. The following opinions were filed: Catawissa Deposit Bank vs. S. C. Creasy, new trial refused; estate of Elias Krumm, exceptions to auditor's report on distribution, exceptions overruled; Joseph Michael et al. vs. John Hoofnagle, case stated, decided in favor of defendant; A. E. Cadow vs. D. L. & W. R. Co., nonsuit taken off; J. Lewar's admr', vs. J. Weaver et ux.

The following auditors' reports were filed: Distributing proceeds of sheriff's sale of real estate of T. F. Young; estate of Stephen Crawford; estate of Julia Puff; datate of Levi Miller; estate of A. L. Davis; estate of Levi Miller; estate of J. J. Stiles; estate of W. J. Allen; estate of J. J. Stiles; estate of W. J. Allen; estate of J. J. Stiles; estate of W. M. Dewitt; distribution of praceeds of sheriff's sale of real estate of W. R. Cox. Return of sale in the following estates were confirmed nist. Luydis Spouepher.

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were confirmed nisi: Lydia Spouenberg,
Margaret A Davis, H. M. Parker, Sarsh A
Eck, William Stiler, Jacob Chamberin.
Order of sale continued in estates of
Henry D. Knorr, Elizabeth Clark.
On petition, sales ordered in the following estates; J. A. Hess, Jonas Doty, Samuel Smith, Lydia Fedder.
On petition, J. A. Hess committee of
Fannie Coleman a lunatic, discharged.
Dr. J. H. Vasting appointed forgens.

Dr. J. H. Vastine appointed foreman of grand jury.

Resignation of David Stroup constable of Mt. Pleasant filed, and on petition G. M. Ikeler appointed to fill vacancy.

Exceptions to the incorporation of Espy as a borough filed.

Registers accounts confirmed nisi.

ROAD REPORTS.

Hemlock township near D. Yocum's, Beaver near Daniel Singley's, Greenwood near G. W. Ikeler's, Main near Daniel Fish-er's, Roaringcreek near Isaac Brazelton's, Mt. Pleasant near Hartzell's dam, Mt. Pleasant near B. Layceck's, Mt. Pleasant near Stohgers harn. near Stohners barn.

Inquest on body of an unknown man found in the river near Berwick approved and filed.

Bessie Vantassie vs. I. W. Vantassie, report of commissioner confirmed nisi.
Commonwealth vs. D. F. Seybert. And now Dec. 6, 1886, defendant pleads not guilty and enters bail of \$1,000 for his appearance at next court in Union county on the charge of burglary.
Partition awarded in the estate of Elias George, estate of Leonard Sponenberg.
Order to viewers of a bridge over east branch of Fishingereek in Sugarlaaf continued.

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Widow's appraisments confirmed nisi.
Report of viewers of a county bridge over Raven Creek confirmed nisi.
Commonwealth vs M. B. Shuman, nol pros allowed.

Commonwealth vs Wilham' Cross, larceny, pleads gullty, sentenced to pay a fine of six cents and costs, restore goods, undergo imprisonment in jail for 4 months.
Commonwealth vs. Albert Anderson, tramp, pleads not guilty. After evidence is in pleads guilty, and sentenced to 4 months in jail.
Commonwealth vs. T. J. & J. C. Stiles, selling liquor without license, and on Sunday, true bill on each case. Plead guilty.
On motion of Geo. E. Elwelt Esq. S. W.
Dickson was sworn in as an attorney-at-law.

"Then those manufacturers who advertise that their powder does not contain it"—

"Confess that their powder lacks a most useful, wholesome and excellent ingredient."

"But they say its origin is filthy!"

"Its origin and method of preparation are no more filthy than are the origin and preparation of bread. All this talk about ammonia in baking powder and its filthy origin is the veriginal powder and its filthy origin is the veriginal powder and its filthy origin is the veriginal powder.

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Commonwealth vs James Kelly, fornication and bastarily, child lived it months: pleads guilty, sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and costs, and \$65 to prosecutive.

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allowed.
Inquest on body of Clemuel W. Well approved and filed.
Commonwealth vs. W. M. Hughes, true bill on second count (manslaughter.)

Trade Dollars to be Redeemed. Vashington Special to the Baltimore Sun.

Holders of trade dollars have the assurance of several prominent Con gressmen that an effort will be made this winter to pass a bill providing for the redemption of this much-abused coin. Similar efforts have been or outdoor work, locked his icy chest, and of outdoor work, locked his icy chest, and the bulk of this coin is held by specumade in previous Congresses, but they suspended many fond hopes, but, no lators. It is said that four or five years ago a concerted movement among New York speculators depreciated the value of the trade dollar, and the facts presented housekeepers had no difficulty in determining for themselves the best and most wholesome baking powder to use. The Journal, its facts having been questioned by a local baking powder manufacturer, returns to the subject and publishes the cause certain capitalists determined to buy it up for speculative purposes. They were purchased at an average of 85 cents and withdrawn from circula-

Three Peculiarities Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier and regulating medicine, is characterized by three peculiarities, namely:

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"I recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all ay friends as the best blood purifier ca my friends as the best blood funfor ca earth." Wm. GAFF, drugrist, Hamilton, O. "Hood's Sarsaparilla has tured me of scref-ulos. humor, and done me worlds of good otherwise." C. A. ARNOLD, Arnold, Me. A book containing many additional state-ments of cures will be sent to all who desire.

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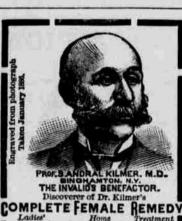
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New York MARKETS.

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New York Dec. 6, 1886.

The continued cold weather gives our marker a healthy tone and a ravorable outlook for all shipments of poultry, game, eggs etc. The egg market is very firm; selling fresh stock at 25 cts. fency white leghorn, 3s center limed, 18 cts. Inectits of poultry continue liberal, and the consumption will be large and domaind good from this time on until atter the holidays. We look for ready others for all choice stock, out poorly atted or half dressed poultry will sell at low prices. Choice torkeys bringing from 18 to 1 cts.; chickens, 11 old cts. fews, 8 to 10; ducks, 12 to 13 cts. gease, 10 to 12 cts; rabbits 35 to 40 cts. per pair. There is an active dem in for fancy grades of creamory butter, and all such selling from 25 to 25 cts., tibs and pairs, 24 to 25 cts. property of the dairies, extras, 22 to 25 cts. Dressed years, 11 to 12 cts., grassers, 5 to 7 cts. Dressed years, 11 to 12 cts., grassers, 5 to 7 cts. Dressed years, 11 to 12 cts., grassers, 5 to 7 cts. Dressed pork sty to 755 cts. Groote Greening apples are scarce and selling fram 25 so to 83 50 per bbl. Kings, Spitz etc., 25 m to 83 50 per bbl. Hings, Spitz etc., 25 m to 83 50 per bbl. Hekorynuis also scarce and selling at 25.75 per bushel. Choice Rose and Burtank potatoes, 21 60 to 5.15 per bbl. Onions, fir; selling choice white from \$4.00 to \$1.50 per bbl., red and yellow, \$2.00 to \$2.25. Cabbage, \$1.00 to \$1.50 per 196. There is a seriety of evaporated apples and quot- a further advance in prices; selling choice stock from 11 to 115 cts., sun-dired 4 to 5 cts., chopped apples 3 to 4 cts. Fancy stock would bring 12 cts. Evap raspectries, 15 to 19cts. sun-dried, 10 to 10 cts. Ryap peaches, peach. 5 to 85 cts. Sun-dried, 6 to 9 cts. No 1 hay, \$5 to 90 cts per cwt., medium, 41.6; Honey, white clover, 11-to 16 cts., buck wheat, \$5 to 10 cts. Purs. Just beginning to arrive, and sel tog, mink, from 70 cts. to 5 1.00.

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