

DESERET EVENING NEWS.

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IMPROVED STOCK IMPORTED.

THE necessity of improving their breeds of sheep and other stock has been urged upon the farmers of this Territory for years past, but hitherto very little has been done in this direction. This seeming neglect has been due, to a considerable extent, to the time and trouble required in years past for a journey to and from the East, and to the great risk in bringing sheep and other stock across the plains. As soon, however, as the completion of the railroad rendered that journey a comparatively insignificant matter, it is gratifying to know that steps were immediately taken, under the auspices of the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society, to import into the Territory the best breeds of sheep and cows from the East. The Legislature at its last session appropriated five thousand dollars for this purpose, and placed it at the disposal of the Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society; and some three months ago, the Society deputed Hon. A. O. Smoot to go East to expand this means for the object for which it was appropriated.

Mr. Smoot has performed his mission, and by telegram to R. L. Campbell, Esq., of this city, dated Omaha, 4th inst., we learn that in the course of a day or two, he will reach Ogden with two car loads of sheep, chiefly of the "Improved Kentucky" breed, and two or three Ayshire cows.

The improved Kentucky breed of sheep, when weight and quality of fleece, amount of mutton and hardiness and fecundity are considered, is said to be equal or superior to any breed extant. It is the result of judicious crossing with the most celebrated breeds of sheep in the world, including the Cotswold, Southdown, Saxony, Teeswater, Oxfordshire and others, with native breeds, and the distinguishing characteristics and excellencies of these various breeds are said to be combined in the Improved Kentucky.

The Agricultural Report for 1898, page 336 contains the following notice of this breed of sheep:

"The Improved Kentucky sheep (that is the name by which they have been long and widely known) have always faced the bleakest winters and the hottest and the driest summers without any protection, except that which nature has given them, and yet they have been almost entirely free from all disease, especially from the scab, which often, in winter, affect sheep of the fine wool breeds; and they have been equally free from the smut and foot-rot, which have been so fatal to the long wool breeds. In springs and summers of excessive rains, clothes and the carcasses of the sheep, they bid defiance to the wind, rain and snow, and seem at all times to be comfortable and sprightly. In summer they are changed from pasture to pasture, and they devour almost every green weed. In winter short grass is all they require, and if that cannot be afforded them they will take their corn fodder with the cattle, and thrive well upon it, though at lambing time, like other sheep, they require a more succulent diet."

In the same report, page 338, may be found the following in relation to the size and quality of the fleece of the "Improved Kentucky":

"The fleeces of these sheep vary from eight to fifteen pounds, the whole flock of over one hundred breeding ewes having averaged over eight pounds of merchantable wool, free from burrs, tags, &c.; and though not washed on the sheep's back, still clean enough for domestic manufacture. Though the fleeces of these sheep (like those of all other breeds) are not perfectly uniform as to length, thickness and fineness of fibre, still there is a general uniformity, and the diversity is of no practical disadvantage. Their wool is longer than that of any sheep, except those of the Cotswold family, and is equal in length to that of many individuals of that family, while it greatly exceeds the wool of the Cotswold in fineness and softness of fibre, and in the number of fibres to the square inch. In some individuals it is wavy or curly, but it is never harsh or wiry. Except the face and thighs below the knees, the whole body is covered with a close and compact fleece, which, when full grown, leaves no open line on the back, as with the Cotswold; but gives a perfect protection to the sheep, and causes them to present a smooth, handsome, and portly appearance. Their fleeces have enough of grease and gum to preserve the softness and vitality of the fibres, even to their ends, but not so much as to give the sheep a dark and dirty appearance. Their wool receives domestic dyes without any washing whatever, is easily cleaned by the use of red sand when it is washed in soft water, with soap it readily becomes very white, receives chemical dyes, and preserves its lustre perfectly."

These extracts, from such an authority, are sufficient to prove the great excellence of this breed of sheep. For amount and quality of meat they probably cannot be excelled, a two year old ewe, and a ram and ewe lamb about nine months old, owned by Mr. Robert W. Scott of Ky., the originator of this breed and from whom most of those now being imported into the Territory were bought, weighed respectively 188, 108 and 106 pounds.

Of the Ayshire cow little need be said; as a dairy cow—a milk and butter producer—it has attained a most excellent reputation. In this country, British America, Great Britain and Ireland and in many parts of Europe where it has been introduced, it is acknowledged to be superior in these respects to any other breed.

The Deseret Agricultural and Manufacturing Society are importing these improved breeds of sheep and cattle, not to speculate upon, but solely to improve the stock of the Territory; to cover ex-

penses of importation is all they aim at; hence they will sell them at as small an advance on first cost as possible, so that all classes of farmers may have a chance to reap the benefits that may accrue from their introduction.

This is but the inauguration of the movement; as soon as this instalment is sold off the Society will immediately make arrangements for the importation of more, and they design to send East two or three times during the present season on this business. The opportunity now presented to the farmers of the Territory to improve their stock is most excellent, and if they are as fully alive to their own interests as they should be, they will not be slow to avail themselves of it.

(Special to the Deseret Evening News.)

By Telegraph.

GENERAL.

New York.—Thomas' flour mills, at Brooklyn, were burned last night; loss \$15,000. Hall's moulding mills were also burned; loss \$6,000.

Hartford.—The Legislature was organized today, with David Gallop, President of the Senate, pro tem, and O. H. Platt, Speaker of the House. Governor Jewell was inaugurated.

Philadelphia.—John Ely, recently appointed U. S. Marshal for the Eastern District of Pa., died suddenly on Sunday night at his residence.

Colonel Wood, chief detective of the Treasury Department, having resigned, Major C. Whitney, of Boston, has been appointed.

Professor Aeph Hall, now attached to the naval observatory here, has been ordered to the Pacific coast to make observations of the eclipse of the sun, August 7th.

Commander W. Rogers Taylor has been ordered to take command of the Northern Division of the Pacific naval station, hoisting the pennant on the Osage.

Chicago.—Advices from Camp Wichita represent that Indian matters continue unsettled in the Southern district; many warriors are disaffected from the failure of the Government agents to furnish the supplies stipulated. Many Indians only await the grass to grow to renew hostilities.

Louisville.—A storm last night did considerable damage in this city and vicinity. The cellars were overflowed and several buildings were struck with lightning. It is reported two men were killed by lightning on a farm near the city.

New York, 5.—Five men have arrived here, in Irons, charged by the U. S. consul at Batavia, with murdering the first and second mates of a whaling bark at sea. They were committed to Ludlow-st. jail.

Marshall Barlow has been all day endeavoring to learn the facts of the alleged sinking of the Cuban expedition last night, but he could get nothing verifying the report.

Charleston.—Information has been received from Florida of the appearance of the cotton caterpillar.

Albany.—The Senate has passed a resolution ceding the rights of the State in the Gettysburg cemetery to the United States.

New York.—The name of the vessel carrying the Cuban expedition is the *Yorot*. Two tug boats carried down 25 men, who freely stated that Cuba was their destination.

St. Louis.—It is reported that the project for bridging the Mississippi at the foot of Washington Avenue is abandoned, and that a bridge for the railroad will only be erected at Bessemer, a point four miles above Center City. It is not improbable that a bridge for wagons and foot passengers will be built directly opposite Center City.

A fight occurred on Monday at Hays City, Kas., between a lot of colored soldiers belonging to the thirty-eighth infantry and some citizens; which five citizens, including the United States Marshal, were wounded; some five hundred shots are said to have been fired.

San Francisco, 5.—Legal tenders 743. Worcester, Mass., 6.—The seventeenth annual session of the Massachusetts Episcopal diocesan convention assembled in this city yesterday, bishop Eastburn presiding. Nearly all the parishes in the State were represented by their pastors or lay delegates. The bishop in his address reported 831 churches, and seven deacons and two priests ordained in the diocese during the year. The reports of the churches and charitable societies show a good degree of prosperity.

New York.—The *Herald* states that the steamer *Arago* put to sea on Monday, not Tuesday, and up to the hour when she was left by the pilot had not taken on board any munitions of war nor adventurers, but only the full complement of men to work her. She goes to relieve the *Peruvian* service a vessel just lost, and goes with the permission of our government to change her flag while out.

Washington.—A dispatch states that our government has resolved not to prevent the departure of any vessels whether loaded with arms or not, provided their apparent destination is not for Cuba, in other words, vessels cleared for Nassau, Jamaica, Mexico or any other place with which we are on friendly terms will be allowed to leave, no matter how much war material nor how many passengers they may carry.

In reply to inquiries from interested parties including, it is said, the Spanish Minister, our government has declared that such war material must be regarded as merchandise, and people on board of such vessels as travelers or persons leaving our ports on legitimate business.

Key West, 5.—The British steamer *Salvador* cleared today for St. Thomas via Nassau. She had neither arms nor ammunition on board. There is much excitement in Havana with regard to her, as it is generally believed that she is engaged in serving the insurgents.

New York.—The *Times* Washington dispatch says Jay Gould notifies the Postmaster General that unless the department increases the pay for the Erie Railroad service from \$180,000 to \$330,000, he shall refuse to carry the mail. The Postmaster General notified Gould that this demand cannot be acceded to, the pay now received by the Erie Company being the same per mile, per annum, as that received by other roads.

The coroner's inquest on the bodies of the victims of the recent slaughter on

the Long Island Railroad concluded yesterday. The jury found a verdict, holding the company liable for the death of the different persons in consequence of the defective state of the rails and their negligence in not keeping the road in proper repair.

FOREIGN.

Quebec.—The trial of Chalonier for shooting Ensign Whitaker for the seducing of his sister, terminated last night; the jury was out all night, and returned a verdict of "not guilty." Chalonier was loudly cheered outside the court room.

Washington.—The Navy Department has advised from Admiral Hof, dated Havana, April 26th, where he arrived after a short cruise in the Gulf of Mexico. He reports political matters in Cuba exceedingly quiet. A large expedition, supposed to have sailed from Yucatan, consisting of large steamers and several large sailing vessels, had attempted to land men and arms for the Cubans on the south side of the Western Department near Penar Del Rio; the Spanish Admiral left Havana in his flag ship with several other vessels, in search of the party, but no news had been received. A transport, with political prisoners, which left a month ago, put into Porto Rico for repairs. The Captain General of that island had determined to send some of the prisoners to the Canaries and some to Cadiz. Both Cubans and Spaniards appear to be exceedingly quiet.

The London *Times* has another article on the *Alabama* treaty saying that the question is on law, not on feeling, and it remains to be shown that Great Britain can be held answerable for any infraction of law or any excess over the ordinary practice of both countries.

Thos. Lefray, late chief justice in Ireland, died yesterday, aged 92 years.

Madrid.—Spanish journals maintain that the capture of the brig *Mary Lowell* it was a legal act, and that the British Government, at the instance of the United States, has not made any demand on Spain for the restitution of the vessel.

New York.—The *Mail* states that the *Arago*, sometime since purchased by the Peruvian Government for \$200,000, has sailed for St. Thomas, with supplies for the Peruvian ironclads there. The *Mail* says the Cuban expedition has sailed, but intimates that the *Arago* is not the vessel which carried it. Captain Gray, of the steamship *Alaska*, publishes a card denying the truth of the statement that deaths from small pox had occurred on board during her last voyage.

London.—The Chester cup was won by Knight of the Garden, carrying 124 pounds, by four lengths from the St. Mungo, carrying 86 pounds.

London.—In the House of Commons Sullivan moved for leave to bring in a bill to disable the Mayor of Cork acting as a magistrate; after considerable debate leave to introduce the bill was granted.

Madrid.—Salustriand Olazaga and his friends demand the establishment of a directory; it is believed that Prim is not unfavorable to the scheme.

Florence.—The Ministers have tendered their resignations, Menzies is engaged in forming a new cabinet.

Berlin.—The North German Parliament has passed a resolution in favor of providing for the payment of deputies; the resolution was strongly opposed by the Federal Council.

The *Herald's* Washington dispatch says that a dispatch has been received by the British Minister from the English consul at Havana giving an account of other Spanish outrages on the high seas. According to this dispatch a Spanish war vessel, the *Albatros*, a brig at sea and the latter refusing to stop was fired into by the Spaniards and sunk. This is the substance of the dispatch which Minister Thornton immediately sent to his government over the cable. The dispatch is extremely meagre, not stating whether the information respecting the outrage was received originally from the Spanish man of war or from some survivors of the sunken brig, the authorities here scarcely know whether to credit it or not.

Hayti, April 24.—The blockade of Aux Cayes has been raised. The revolutionists are gaining in the south of Dominique and had captured the town of Tobock.

The news at St. Thomas is that Baz troops have been defeated in a pitched battle. The revolutionists under Cabel were advancing.

The British gun boat *Favorite* arrived at Havana yesterday and took aboard four sailors who were captured on the *Mary Lowell*, and who have since been confined in jail here. She sailed for Nassau this evening. The insurgents are again burning plantations around Sagra Grande and Santiago. Several insurgents have recently been executed at Santiago and Bayamo.

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