rounding the property at present are the prospective conditions of the future, so far as they may be foreseen. We do not believe the position of the government as creditors will in any degree be impaired by delays in such adjustments, which, on the other hand, the ability of the company to discharge its obligations to the government and the public would be materially enhanced, and ultimate payment more certainly insured by such legislation as will permit of consolidation and unification of the system and the extension of the security of the government, either directly or indirectly, to the whole property. The nearly concurrent maturity, in the near future, of the underlying first mortgage bonds, of the debt to the government, and of the collateral notes recently issued, aggregating over a hundred millions, is a fact not to be overlooked or disregarded. It presents possible conditions which a wise forethought should amply provide for and in abundant season.

IN OREGON AND WASHINGTON

about $800,000 has been expended on the Portland & Puget Sound railroad including a bridge across the Columbia river. All this work was immediately suspended on the first suggestion of financial danger, and has not yet been resumed. Every effort was made to retrench expenditures in every department, and it was hoped that no extraordinary measures would become necessary to protect its credit. A crisis in the financial affairs of the company was, however, reached in August, 1887. It became impracticable, if not impossible, to carry the large floating debt any longer through banks and trust companies, and it became necessary to fund it at least for a period sufficient to enable the company to market its securities, the most of which were already hypothecated in temporary loans.

The report then details the methods adopted by the company in the meeting held last month to prevent the present financial embarrassment.

Commissioner Raum's Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The annual report of Commissioner Raum of the pension bureau, submitted to the secretary of the interior today, shows that on June 30, 1891, there were 676,189 pensioners on the rolls, being an increase of 136,216 for the last fiscal year. They are classified as follows: Widows and daughters of revolutionary soldiers, 25; army invalid pensioners, 415,693; army widows, minor children, etc., 108,607; navy invalid pensioners, 3,449; navy widows, minor children, 2,560; survivors of the war of 1812, 9,586; survivors of the Mexican war, 16,379; widows of soldiers of the Mexican war, 6,872. Following are the number of pensions of the several classes created under the act of June 27, 1890: Army invalid pensioners, 97,183; army widows, minor children, etc., 12,506; navy invalid pensioners, 3,976; navy widows, minor children, etc., 1,436.

During the last fiscal year payments were made upon 181,100 original claims, amounting to $31,081,558. This is an increase in number over 1890 of 64,852. The aggregate cost however, being $1,097,301 less. There were 32,921 first payments of every description requiring $198,554,274, being $93,592 less than required for the 159,814 first payments made during the last fiscal year. The average value on first payments was $259. The average payments under the act of June 27, 1890 was $71. The aggregate annual value of 676,189 pensioners on the roll June 30, 1891, was $89,247,290; average value of each pension, $132; average value of each pension under the act of June 27, 1890, $121. At the close of the fiscal year there were 38,574 pensioners on the roll who remained unpaid for want of vouchers and who were entitled to receive $4,893,242, which will be paid out of the appropriation for the current fiscal year, and there remained in the hands of pension agents the sum of $5,713,832, which has since been covered into the treasury. This amount, added to the $8,947,152 appropriation not drawn, makes the aggregate $9,520,984 which was not expended. There will be a deficiency in the appropriation for the payment of fees and expenses of examining surgeons of about $2,000,000.

The total amount disbursed on account of pensions, expenses, etc., during the fiscal year was $119,548,979, as compared with $106,485,309 for the preceding fiscal year, so that it appears 136,216 pensions were added to the rolls during the fiscal year just closed, at an increased cost to the pensioner $12,063,669, as compared with the previous year. During the last year 325 pensioners were dropped from the rolls for various causes, 15,526 being dropped by reason of death. It is estimated that of soldiers of the late war, 1,004,558 were killed in battle or died during and since the war. On June 30 last 124,759 of these deceased soldiers were represented on the pension rolls by widows or other dependents. There are also about 1,256,707 soldiers of the union now living, 520,138 of whom are now on the pension roll. There are, therefore, 966,549 survivors who are not pensioned and 379,369 deceased soldiers not represented on the pension rolls.

The commissioner renews his recommendations of last year as to a readjustment of pension rating under the act of March 3, 1883, and March 4, 1889.

The Flying Machine Flies.

[From the Chico Chronicle.]

Prof. Myers has exhibited his air ship at Little Valley, Cattaraugus, county, and at Newport, Herkimer county. Charles Reikmap was rider.

At Little Valley a strong breeze was blowing, and at the moment of starting, 5 p. m., the wind shifted and struck the vessel broadside, so that it relieve the strain upon it it was released before properly balanced with ballast, and overloaded. Just in line with the air ship was a hill several feet high, with very abrupt, steep sides.

It was a startling and beautiful sight to see Reikmap climbing heavenward only a few feet above the hillside with the screw sail facing the wind and the elevating planes and rudder like buoying the vessel up like a kite uplifted by the wind. Above the crest of the hill he mounted into quieter air, where for some time he described various evolutions, turning around and going upand down and from side to side. Finally he went out of sight over the crest of the hill.

Later he landed in a strong wind near Lillooutville, leaving his anchor of soft steel in the ground, and thinking every weak feature of the bicycle and steering and propelling appendes, so that everything except the air ship proper seemed a complete wreck. It was, however, completely restored at Prof. Myer's workshop at Frankfort.

HOG LOSS.

Notes from the Experience of a Successful Kansas Butter Breeder.

My first, or starting point, is to get the kind of hog wanted into my herd, then breed it up by selecting a sow to suit my idea, which should be one of medium length, with short, straight legs, and standing firmly on her feet, deep down in the side and good breadth, indeed depth is sacrificed for breadth, small, clean head, disk face, thin ear, broad forehead and deep bone—or, as it is sometimes spoken of fine wool cheap, wool to the hocks. So the hog should be built, quarters low down. In selecting a sire, select one that has been driven together with a sledge hammer from all points, or in other words, a low and short rather than long body; heavy quarters, with hoss hip and bottom long and heavy; good shoulders both well loaded with meat, good jowl, between the eyes and ears. Such hogs almost instantly give some of these points to their progeny. Hogs raised from the described sows good will be able to sell at any time you choose, if you give them good care, as they are easy keepers, the side quiet and quickly fattened. They will put on the most pounds of meat from the same pounds of food of any hog we have ever tried, and we have tried nearly everything, from the "wimpers" to the thoroughbred, but the hardest one we ever tried to manage was one of those double back action gale lifter, sun cracker, apple grinder and sidehill plow, all in one.

Care should be taken to see that they are mated when you want them, and not turned together at any time and trust to luck to have the pigs come when you want them, for luck is a hard master unless you make him come to your assistance. The sows should be allowed plenty of range, such as good clover pasture, until about two weeks before farrowing, when it is best to shut them in a small pen, where they may be kept quiet and have a good dry place, which is very essential to the success of the small pigs. Give a small quantity of fine dry straw for bedding, feed but little corn the first week, after which you may give for a liberal supply, but use to it that she has plenty of good rich slops, such as bran, shorts or milk.

You may wean the pigs at from 6 to 8 weeks old if you will give them plenty of the kind of food described. Never feed a pig very heavily on corn before he is 6 months old. We prefer clover or rye pasture, with good rich slops and a small quantity of corn. You will thus get good bone and muscle, after which you may put on the extra fat. As to the time of breeding, each must settle that for himself, but we prefer to have pigs farrowed in March and September. The March pigs will start right off, as there is not likely to be any more cold weather, and they will be ready for market by January or February. If you take good care of your September pigs they will be ready for market by the 1st of June, if they run after cattle. You can keep them on pasture the next summer and put them in a small pen with a good floor about the 1st of September for two months, and have fine hogs at 12 or 13 months old with two months' feeding, or, by crowding when taken from the cattle, in considerable less time.

Put occasionally a little hard wood ashes or finely powdered tobacco in the food of sheep. This kills the internal parasites which trouble this animal in particular.

Spring lambs are now very common among horses otherwise sound. The cause is attributed to heavy weight sheds and standing too long at a time in the stable.

Good skimmilk and linseed meal will never fail, that's what we're made of—raised on the pail," is what a litter of remarkably intelligent pigs is made to say in Rural New Yorker.

MR. J. H. SHEPPARD, manager of the Paris Cooperative Mercantile Institution, Paris, Idaho, says that for cholera morbus, by change of drinking water, Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is without an equal. It is quite and effectual and leaves no bad effects. For sale by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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How Chess Viewed Society.

Mrs. M. E. W. Sherwood has been looking into fashionable society as differentiated in the cities of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Washington. In Lippincott's Magazine she gives her impressions, after an absence of some time from her native land but enabled her to view matters impartially.

Of course, New York is the self appointed leader of whatever is called society in America. "You know," says the New York woman to her sister who lives in St. Louis, "we consider every place outside of New York a mere country village." The rest of the country will be thankful if Chicago shall become a bigger town than the empire, if for no other reason than to end the name of New York conceit.

Mrs. Sherwood reviews New York society and thinks her state that it is in the first place—decent. There are no Tenky Oofi stories or other scandals such as disfigure the fair fame of the British aristocracy. The Vanderbilts and Astors are respectable, moral people, and to most reports as example to their fellow countrymen. But New York society—say it in a whisper—is tedious. There are gloss, glitter and jingle, and a great wave of splendor and money, but intellectual brightness and flavor are wanting.

William Penn and Dr. Franklin laid the foundation of society in Philadelphia, and upon that base it rests to this day. Philadelphia life is elegant, beautiful and perfect, but quaint, intensely quiet. People there rather prefer to flatter themselves and making much of a show of their wealth. There is a sort of a Quakerlike sparkle to it all that the writer finds charming. The women speak with a soft, slightly southern accent, and best society is tinctured of science and high and noble thought.

Then she comes to Chicago. Mrs. Sherwood finds society here strangely fascinating. There is enormous wealth, yet the people do not seem to be money worshipers as the actors they are in New York, and the beauty, that indescribable something which is conspicuously absent.

Chicago has a society without center. It is as fluid as a river. It has her unmixed mass of great wealth, wonderfully large, beautiful and generous, and yet the element is not of educated and refined women, each of whom is a social center, and of literary women in the best like another Corinna Sappho. Who should do her? They have all come from distant states and cities, and they have not yet become amalgamated. They are good women, are they more than those with thousands of every society, they are good women, they have the good temper and good will which belongs to youth and health and prosperity. There is in them a very good deal of interest in Chicago society.

It is only when talking on about Chicago that Mrs. Sherwood becomes really warmed up and enthusiastic. She finds that city full of gentlewomen who are gifted, sparkling talkers, of energetic and interesting men, of beautiful girls and handsome, manly boys. In short, the believer there is more solid enjoyment to the social square inch in Chicago than in any other city in the Union except Washington.

There her real partiality crops out. Chicago would fill her eye completely, from a moral point of view, if her heart had not already been captured by the charms of Washington. To a lively society lady fresh what thousands and thousands of intelligent people have already found before her—that one is a social charm about the capital city that is absent by any other place in the world, of either Europe or America. Every year wealthy Americans retiring from business are more and more discovering this same fact, and erecting beautiful homes in the city George Washington himself planned out for the American of the future. "One may well be proud to have a foreigner introduced into society in Washington," writes M. E. W. S. Further:

Washington is now the most domestic place of residence in the whole continent of America, free from the extremes, its great streets, beautiful homes, and apartment houses, excellent markets and good society, with the certainty of society the year round. Even the climate, with its mildness and absence of wonted tempests, is to said to be not disagreeable. In spring it is the fairest flush on the cheek of Penelope. To end, excepting the Riviera, is more beautiful. A drive to the Soldiers' home in May is a darling dream of paradise enchanted.

Then those stately squares, each of which enclosure a form, with a perpetual benediction of peace, that towers over the Capitol, and a dome an architect's dream, crowns the hill and finishes one's perspective, all this and more has always made Washington pleasant, and, since prosperity has crept in, now makes it the ideal of all others where a rich American should live and enjoy the fruit of his labors. Washington has done "a stately pleasure house indeed."

Mr. Sherwood and his fashion in making it a retreat for the literary men, and had a theory that "no one grew other one should go north." It was a wise theory, for he left gained and gave to E. M. Stoy Adams and Mr. Stoy John Hay have followed his example, and many other literary men of the government have brought their libraries and established themselves in luxurious homes in Washington after the fatigues of a political life are over.

Babbitting Bells.

An extraordinary feature in the career of bells is their undergoing the process of baptism before being used. This ceremony is performed by the Roman Catholics at the present day, who say that the bells thus receive power to act as preservatives against thunder and lightning and storms. An boundless rite is observed in the Protestant church, and the celebration which take place are more of a festival than a religious character.—Exchange.

Fairs given to raise money for charitable objects have long been recognized as among the quickest means known for emptying pocketbooks and leading unwary purchasers with all sorts of things for which they have no use, and the prices demanded for the articles are said to be usually quite out of proportion to their value.

In Prussia man on entering the bonds of matrimony renders himself totally responsible, not only for the support of his wife, but for that of her parents, in case they should become destitute, and the same obligation is incurred by the wife in regard to the father and mother of her husband.

Sending a March.

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IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A meeting of the Stockholders of Zion's Co-operative Mercantile Institution will be held at the Office of Zion's Co-operative Factory, on South Temple street, between East Temple and First East Streets, this city, on Monday, October 5th, 1891, at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing reports, the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

T. G. WEBBER, Secretary.

Salt Lake City, Sept. 15, 1891.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the People's Equitable Cooperative Association will be held at the office, 1 and 3 Main Street, on Monday, Sept. 28th, 1891, at 7 30 p. m., for the purpose of hearing the financial report, the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

A. FREEMAN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the Fort Wood Co-op. Store will be held at the Store on Medical Hill, Sept. 26, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of hearing the financial report, the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

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