PUBLIC LAND SALES.

Receipts from their Sale During the Past Fiscal Year.

Commissioner Sparks of the United States Land office, has prepared a statement of the disposals of public lands and receipts therefrom during the fiscal year ended June 80, 1885, from which it appears the disposals were

THE TOTAL THE	No of		
	No. of entries.	Acres.	Amount
Alabama		270,901.63	
Alabama	3,950		\$66,885.70
Arizona	2,447	278,174.78	67,876.26
Arkansas	4,393	244,589.90	61,840.85
California	15,818	1,295,909.03	784,031.76
Colorado	10,979	662,611.05	856, 464, 22
Dakota	53,804	4,547,749.77	8,668,769.50
Florida	3,961	282,515.55	198,791.05
Idaho	3,544	284,903.04	111,592.89
Illinois	_	-	_
Indiana	_	_	-
Iowa	215	11,659.86	8,819,59
Kansas	32,574	8,030,846,60	667,983,17
Louisiana	1,889	181,043.60	79, 181, 28
Michigan	1,826	89,511.28	47,941.91
Minnesota	9,198	624,379.49	807,220,91
Mississippi	1,862	111,000.08	28,520,10
Missouri	8,638	291,277.88	66,759.64
Montana		1,112,140.57	198,854.67
Nebraska	87,680	8,698,381.76	908,846,10
Nevada	1,179	171,480.94	6,222,78
New Mexico.		163,981.57	95,878,99
Ohio	~, ***	100,001.01	90,010,00
Oregon	8,481	788,987.71	244,861.60
Tteb		184,858.69	55,880.92
Utah	2,222		907 789 10
Wash. Ter	10,778	1,016,117.75	827,758.18
Wisconsin		218,436.92	101,694,05
Wyoming	8,510	552,967.14	855,480.04

Total.....226,382 20,113,663.38 \$7,686,114.80 The number of original homestead entrie

was 50,877, including 7,415,885 acres, from which the receipts were \$731,843. The number of final homestead entries was 22,066, including 3,032,679 acres, from which the receipts were \$105,152. The number of original timber culture entries was 30,998, including 4,755,005 cluding 4,755,005 acres, from which the re-ceipts were \$425,420. The number of final timber-culture entries was 750, including 90,300 acres, from which the fees were \$2,764.

The total number of acres taken under rail-road selections was 3,558,914, made up as fol-lows (fractions omitted): Alabama, 33,198; Arizona, 133,052; California, 376,445; Colo-rado, 14,252; Dakota, 790,693; Iowa, 6,014; Kansas, 195,046; Louisiana, 19,887; Minne-sota, 108,217; Montana, 793,459; Nebraska, 178,039; Nevada, 60,612; Oregon, 245,886; Utah, 17,123; Washington Territory, 535,216; Wisconsin, 51,819.

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The grand total of disposals of lands (20,-113,663 acres) includes 881,850 acres of Indian lands. This is a decrease in the number of acres disposed of as compared with the year 1884 of 6,535,656, but as compared with the year 1883 it is an increase of 63,630 acres. From sales of Indian lands \$933,483 was realized, making the total receipts from all sales of lands \$7,686,114, a decrease compared with the receipts during 1884 of \$4,159,532, and as compared with the year 1883 a decrease of \$3,086,167. Wisconsin, 51,819.

PERSONAL MENTION.

TENNYSON is about to publish another volume of poems.

PATTI'S spare moments are being devoted to the writing of her memoirs.

ALL members of the family of the czar of

Russia speak the English language. GENERAL JOE SHELBY, the Confederate

raider, is now a dairyman in Missouri. GENERAL McCLELLAN is the only survivor of the commanders of the Army of the Poto-

Dr. Hierme Retsor, an eminent occu-

list, says that the common electric light produces color blindness.

KRUPP, the German gunmaker, is at present chiefly manufacturing guns for China, Turkey, Japan and Egypt.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S stableman says the President does not care much for horses. In taking exercise he much prefers to walk.

MEISSONIER, the great French painter, is the oldest artist in Paris, having been born in 1802. He is as sensitive as a woman in regard to his age.

STANLEY is fitting apartments in London where he will open out the great store of African curiosities and Oriental fabrics which he has packed away.

DR. GEORGE B. ELLIOTT, the specialist whose microscopical investigations revealed the true nature of General Grant's disease, and who pronounced it cancer and incurable, is not more than twenty-seven years of

GENERAL SHERMAN positively declined to be president of the St. Louis Grant Monument association, or to have anything to do with it. "Grant," he said, explaining, "was worthy of every monument that can be raised to his memory, but I think that the one over his grave should be finished before others are

A NEW HAVEN SENSATION.

A Society Belle Elopes While Preparations Are Being Made for Her Marriage.

A great sensation was created in society circles by the announcement that Honora, youngest daughter of Dr. Edwin Harwood, rector of Trinity church, and one of the most prominent citizens, had eloped and married a rich New Yorker named Truman Hemingway and sailed for Europe in the steamer Werra. Besides the elopement there is the added sensation that invitations had been sent out and extensive preparations made for the lady's marriage in Trinity church on Wednesday next to Mr. Pruyn, son of the late Hon. John V. L. Pruyn, of Albany. N. Y., who is a millionaire. A number of valuable wedding presents had already been received at the Harwood resi-

A Remedy for Sprees.

A young wife had just settled in her new home. All seemed fair and promising, for she did not know her husband was a drunkard. But one night he came home at a very late hour and much the worse for liquor. When he stag-gered into the house his wife was very much shocked; he told her he was sick and must lie down at once; and in a moment or two he was comfortably laid on the sofa in a drunken sleep. face was reddish purple, and altogether he was a pitiable-looking object. The doctor was sent for in haste, and mustard applied to the patient's feet and hands. When the doctor came and felt his pulse, examined him, and found he was only drunk, he said: "He will be all right in the morning." But the wife insisted that he was very sick, and that severe remedies must be used. "You must shave his head and apply blisters," she urged, "or I will send for some one who will." The husband's head was accordingly shaved close and blisters were applied. The patient lay all night in a drunken sleep, and, notwithstanding the blisters were eating into his flesh, it was not till near morning that he began to beat about, disturbed by the pain. About daylight he woke up in the most uncomfortable consciousness of blistered agonies. "What does this mean?" he said, putting his hand to his bandaged head. "Lie still; you mustn't stir," said his wife; "you have been sick."
"I am not sick." "Oh, yes you are; you have the brain fever. We have worked with you all night." "I should think you had," groaned the poor vic-tim; "what's the matter with my feet?" "They are blistered." "Well, I am better now; take off the blisters-do," he pleaded piteously. He was in a most uncomfortable state—his head covered with sores, and his feet and hands still worse. "Dear," he said, groaning, "if ever I should get sick in this way again, don't be alarmed and send for a doctor, and above all, don't blister me again."
"Oh! indeed I will! All that saved you were the blisters. And if you have another such spell I shall be more frightened than ever, for the tendency, I am sure, is to apoplexy, and from the next attack you are likely to die unless the severest measures are used." He made no further defence. Suffice it say that he never had another attack

The Famous Notre Dame.

On the 30th of last January, the sisters of the most noted Catholic ladies seminary in the United States, the famous Notre Dame, at Govanstown, near Baltimore, Md., made public a card, certifying to the beneficial results attending the use of Red Star Cough Cure in that institution. They state that they found it efficacious alike for relieving coughs, oppressions on the chest and irritation of the throat. Officials of the Boards of Health of Brooklyn, Baltimore and other cities have likewise publicly proclaimed the virtues of this new discovery, which is entirely free from opiates, poisons and other objections.

LOSING THE MONEY.

The lesson was on profit and loss, and the teacher was endeavoring to make her pupils reason out the problems.

"If a man bought a hat for five dollars and sold it for three, how many dollars would he lose?"

"Two," answered a bright little fellow who could subtract three from five.

The teacher surprised at his quickness and apparent knowledge of arithmetic, asked him to give the reason why. "How did the man lose the money?"

"Must have dropped it somewhere," said the little innocent, who was better at guessing than reasoning.

WHAT HE THOUGHT.

He was a Western Senator not used to fashionable ways, and was a guest at a Washington ball. Entering a brilliantly illuminated suite, he suddenly stopped, backed toward the door, and in horrified tones exclaimed:

"My stars! I've made a mistake!"
"My dear Senator Blank," said the hostess, hurrying toward him, "what's

the matter? You look ill." "Oh, nothing, nothing, only I am such a dolt! I came very near entering this apartment by mistake. Please pardon me, and show me the way to the ball-room.

"Why, Senator, this is the ball-room. What did you think it was?"

"The-the ladies' dressing-room," murmured the Senator, mopping the perspiration from his brow-Boston REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Interesting Personal Experience of Well-Known Philadelphia Lady. From the Philadelphia Times.

The following remarkable statement, lately made to one of our reporters, is vouched for by Captain Harry Mitchell, residing at No. 316 Jarvis street, a prominent Republican of the First ward, and formerly Captain of the Watch at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. Mr. Mitchell happened to know that we had lately devoted considerable time to the investigation of cases where bodily relief had resulted from the use of that new favour medicine Program Proprietres. where bodily relief had resulted from the use of that now amous medicine, Brown's Iron Bitters, and meeting the reporter the other day in front of Independence Hall, said: "I can tell you of something that may interest you. I know an elderly lady down town who told me yesterday that she had been rescued from the very jaws o leath by using Brown's Iron Bitters. She is an intimate family acquaintance of mine, and I knew she had been very sick and was hardly exknew she had been very sick and was hardly expected to live from hour to hour. Her name is Mrs. Margaret Springfield, and she resides at No. 812 Pierce street. She is the mother of a grown-up family of children, and is well-known in the southern section of the city." Captain Mitchell then offered a personal introduction to Mrs. Springfield, and an appointment was made. They accordingly met and proceeded together to Mrs. Springfield's residence. The lady was not at home, but was found at the house of her daughter, corner of Eighth and Tasker streets. Our reporter states as follows: "I found Mrs. Springfield a well-preserved elderly lady of pleasing manners and good conversa-tional powers. Learning the object of our visit, she made the following statement in the presence of Captain Mitchell and her daughter: 'I can say that I thought I was on my death-bed, and none of my family or friends believed that I would recover. People were calling at my house continually asking about me, and from day to day I was supposed to be dying. I am quite well now, and I can say that I consider my wonderful recovery entirely due to the use of Brown's Iron Bitters. I was bedfast for three weeks, and for at least five weeks I could not eat anything. My greatest trouble was excessive pains in my side and breast, and I had the worst kind of malarial symptoms. I became so weak that I could not even lift my hand, and was completely prostrated all over. For some time I really felt more dead than alive. I know I contracted a very heavy cold, and it seemed to permeate every part of my system. I suffered terribly, and got so bad I could not take any-thing at all. In sheer desperation I resolved to try Brown's Iron Bitters because I had read about them. I sent for a bottle and commenced taking it, and to my great delight and astonishment I began to feel a sense of relief at once. I continued using i, and it seemed to drive out the pains in my breast. I began to gain a little strength, and my appetite gradually returned. Brown's Iron Bitters appeared to be just the thing my prostrated condition required, and, as I have said, I believe it saved my life. Certainly I never took anything in my life that did me so much good, and I can certainly say that Brown's Iron Bitters brought me to strong life when everybody thought I was dying."

Miss Julia Roquemore, Forsyth, Ga., says: I suffered from kidney trouble, had no appetite; the little I did eat disagree! with me. I tried many remedies without relief. Brown's Iron Bitters restored my health and appetite,

and increased my weight 20 pounds."
Mr. Cassa Campbell, Six Mile, Ala., says: 'I suffered for several years with general weakness. Doctors said I had consumption, for which they treated me, without giving relief. I tried Brown's Iron Bitters and experienced the most beneficial results."

Mr. Albert Gregory, Quincy, Fla., says: "I tried many remedies for chills and fevers, but nothing ever did me any permanent good save Brown's Iron Bitters. I cheerfully endorse this remedy.

Old Bilkins-"Yes, sir-ee. I never made no mistake when I gave my son an education,"

Old Pilkins-"Doin' well since he went through college, eh?" "Well, I should say he was. He's

just that smart now he can make more in a month than I make in a year." "You don't say so? Well, well! Edi-

cation is a great thing, that's a fact. What's his business?"

"He's a baseball pitcher."-Phila.

"I would not live alway." No; not if dissase is to make my life a daily burden. But it need not, good friend, and will not if you will be wise in time. How many of our loved ones are mouldering in the dust who might have been spared for years. The slight cough was unheeded, the many symptoms of disease that lurked within were slighted and death came. Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery" cannot recall the dead, though it has snatched numbers from the verge of the grave, and will cure consumption in its earlier

The wings of a party do not necessarily make it angelic.

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been a great sufferer of dry catarrh for many years and I tried many remedies which helped me, but I had none which did me so much benefit as Ely's Cream Balm, it completely cured me.—M. J. Lally, 39 Woodward Ave., Boston Highlands, Mass.

The heat of discussion often cooks the debater's goose.

Best, easiest to use and cheapest. Piso's Remedy for Catarrh. By druggists. 50c.

"The Mite'y Dollar"-That made up of church collection pennies.

Ben't Hawk, Spit, Cough, suffer dizziness, indigestion, inflammation of the eyes, headache, lassitude, inability to perform mental work and indisposition for bedfily labor, and annoy and disgust your friends and acquaintances with your nasal twang and offensive breath and constant efforts to clean your nose and throat, when Dr. Sage's "Catarrh Remedy" will promptly relieve you of discomfort and suffering, and your friends of the disgusting and needless inflictions of your loathesome disease?

If a man have love in his heart, he may talk in broken language, but it will be eloquence to those who listen.

Pain and Dread

attend the use of most catarrh remedies. Liquids and snuffs are unpleasant as well as dangerous. Ely's Cream Balm is safe, pleasant, easily applied with the finger, and a sure cure. It cleanses the nasal passages and heals the in-flamed membrane, giving relief from the first application. 50 cents at druggists. 60 cents by mail. Ely Bros., Owego, N. Y.

The camel is the only bird that we yearn to hear after listening to a man learning to play

Young or middle-aged men suffering from servous debility, loss of memory, premature ald age, as the result of bad habits, should send 10 cents in stamps for large illustrated greatise. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Over fifty musical compositions, marches and songs have been put on the market since General Grant's death.

MENSMAN'S PEPTONIZED BEEF TONIO, the only preparation of beef containing its entire nutritious properties. It contains blood-making, force generating and life-sustaining properties; invaluable for indigestion, dyspepsia, nervous prostration, and all forms of general debility; also, in all enfeebled conditions, whether the result of exhaustion persons prostration over result of exhaustion, nervous prostration, overwork or acute disease, particularly if resulting from pulmonary complaints. Caswell, Hazard & Co., Proprietors, New York. Sold by druggists.

Seneca: Enjoy present pleasures in such a way as not to injure future ones.

If afflicted with sore eyes use Dr. Isaac Thompson's Eye Water. Druggists sell it. 250

Charity:—A service that the receiver should remember and the giver feeget.

been troubled with catarrh from boyhood and had considered my case chronic until about three years ago I procured one bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and I count myself sound to-day, all from the use of one bottle.—J. R. Cooley, Hardware Merchant, Montrose, Pa.

It will cost \$500,000,000 to complete the Panama canal.

Now is the time to prevent and cure Skin Diseases, and to secure a white, soft and beautiful complexion use "Beeson's Aromatic Alum Sulphur Soap." 25 cents by Druggist, or by mail. Wm. Dreydoppel, Philadelphia, Pa.

Man is made out of the dust of the earth, and ome of them are terras all their lives.

25c. buys a pair of Lyon's Patent Heel Stiffeners, which makes a boot or shoe last twice as

If we can't inherit a good name, at least we can do our best to leave one.

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