

IT IS PERNICIOUS.

Judge Coffey on the Present System of Education.

Interviews With Prominent Persons on the Prevalence of "Cramming" Youthful Minds in the Public Schools.

In its issue of the 12th inst. THE MORNING CALL noted editorially, in connection with a letter from a lady, the prevalent system of "cramming" studies, not in vogue in the public schools, but in vogue in this city, but elsewhere as well.

"When I was a boy," said the Judge, "I was taught Euclid as it was taught then and is probably taught now. I know and could demonstrate every proposition in the book, but I confess that I did not understand it.

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CONDITION OF TRADE.

Decrease in East-Bound Overland Shipments in August.

Increase in Bank Clearings—Coffee Declining. Coal Arriving More Freely—Cereals Rule Quieter.

Local bank clearings last week showed an increase, being \$16,254,544 against \$15,103,900 for the same week last year.

The overland shipments made and unshipped showing last month, as will be seen by the table below, were not particularly slow. The general aspect of trade remains unchanged, and beyond the decreased overland shipments there are no new features.

THE GRAIN MARKET. Cereals are not very interesting this week. Wheat has been unsettled for some days, with a number of ups and downs, but at the present time it is rather quiet.

Barley is showing firm symptoms and is fractionally higher at the close. Oats, too, are rather stiffer, but the market is liberally supplied and not very active.

Rye is higher, probably in sympathy with the upward tendency in wheat. Corn is irregular and prices are lower than for some months. Small round yellow is better cleaned up and held higher, but the other descriptions are dull and weak.

Grain bags are quiet. There is a very fair demand at steady and unchanged quotations.

GENERAL COUNTRY PRODUCE. General country produce of fruits and merchandise from California via Southern Pacific lines in August were as follows: Apples, 1,116,414; Sacramento, 17,232,130; San Jose, 5,530,570; Stockton, 2,238,200; Marysville, 1,000,000; Portland, 1,000,000; total, 60,535,980 pounds.

August, 1890, the shipments were 75,867,180 pounds, showing a decrease this year of 15,011,200 pounds. This is the first year since 1887 that the shipments have decreased, and it is due to the large crop in the East, which has been unusually large this year.

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Beans are dull and weak, and whenever a change occurs it is generally downward. Hops are very quiet. Dealers say there is about a normal supply of hops.

Wool is quiet and unchanged. Domestic fresh butter is lower under increased receipts, but picked and Easterns are both advanced; the former owing to a good demand, and the latter owing to a shortage of supply.

G. M. Williams, carpenter—The public school system of instruction is all that is needed. The curriculum should be broadened to include the sciences that are so essential to the progress of the human race.

John A. Steinbach—There is too great a number of studies in the primary grades, and the child is overworked. The curriculum should be simplified and the child allowed to study at his own pace.

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GRAND JURY.

A Number of Cases Now Being Investigated.

The Grand Jury had quite a busy session yesterday afternoon, and a long train of business was in attendance.

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MRS. WIELAND'S WILL. Her Estate Was Worth Two Million Dollars.

Mrs. Sophie Wieland's will was filed for probate yesterday. The estate, consisting of real property, bonds and stocks, is valued at about \$2,000,000.

Among the real property are a lot and improvements on the corner of Franklin and Washington streets, valued at \$100,000, and a corner lot near the corner of Ellis and Powell streets, valued at \$100,000, and a corner lot near the corner of Ellis and Powell streets, valued at \$100,000.

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