

OUR FINANCIAL HISTORY

How they were changed from time to time and what came of the changes.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The Secretary of the Treasury and other officials of that department are constantly receiving requests for information as to the history of the money system.

The standard of value of the precious metals Congress established by act of April 2, 1792, the standard of value consisting of certain gold and silver coins at a ratio of 15 to 1—that is to say, the value of an ounce of the gold was to be equal to the value of 15 ounces of silver.

Changes in Washington Postoffice. WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—A postoffice has been established in such coin. Up to this time the Government had never issued any bonds payable by their terms either principal or interest in gold coin or in silver coin.

Patents to Northwest Inventors. WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Patents have been issued to the following Northwest inventors:

Oregon—Alexander T. McMurtrie, Medford, Washington—Joseph G. Evans, Waldport, wood cutter; Ulysses G. Kinnison, Aberdeen, dental metal or plugger; Ulrich E. Lemson, Fairfield, design for hinges leaf; Fred W. Brocklin, Seattle, hydraulic air compressor.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT. PORTLAND, Aug. 19.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 64.5; minimum, 49.5.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. The pressure has risen over California and fallen slightly over Washington.

WEATHER FORECASTS. Forecasts made at Portland for the 23 hours ending at August 20, 1900.

AMUSEMENTS. ALBANY'S WINTER GARDEN. ALBANY'S WINTER GARDEN.

COINAGE OF GOLD. In the United States there is free and unlimited coinage of gold, real 19, standard gold bullion, and the gold in the mints in any amount, to be coined for the benefit of the depositor, without charge for coinage.

COINAGE OF SILVER. Under existing law in the United States subsidiary silver and standard silver are coined by the Government.

MEETING NOTICES. HAWTHORNE LODGE NO. 111, A. F. & M.—Stated communication (this Monday) evening, 8 P. M.

DEAD. BLOAN.—In this city, Aug. 18, 1900, John Robert Bloan, aged 82 years, the funeral will take place at 10 o'clock, Monday, at the residence of his brother, M. F. Bloan, 380 North 19th st.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th and Yamhill sts. Rena Stinson, lady assistant. Both phones No. 607.

NEW TODAY. Mortgage Loans. On improved city and farm property, at lower current rates.

CANNERYMEN, ATTENTION! Parties desiring good cannery locations in Southeast Alaska will find it to their advantage to communicate with E. B. Carr, Oregonian.

Mortgage Loans. On improved city property, at lowest rates. Title Guarantee & Trust Co. 7 Chamber of Commerce.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES.

"Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situations Wanted," "15 cents per line, 10 cents per line, 5 cents per line, 25 cents per line, etc. No discount for additional insertions.

UNDER ALL OTHER HEADS except "New Today," 20 cents for 10 words or less; 10 to 20 words, 40 cents; 21 to 25 words, 60 cents; 26 to 30 words, 80 cents. Each additional insertion, etc., no further discount under one month.

NEW TODAY. FOR RENT—LIVING-ROOMS OF 30 rooms, two-story houses, 4 rooms, 2 1/2 baths, with fixtures, on desirable corner, North 10th, corner 3rd and 4th streets.

FORECLOSED PROPERTIES. At bargain and on easy terms. W. H. FEAR, Chamber of Commerce.

Knight's Drug Store. Opposite Oregonian building, 126 1/2 St. Drugs, medicines, prescriptions a specialty.

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