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ing women, and making comments in- Due from national banks tended for the ears of passers by. They haven't got enough hair on their faces Due from state banks and to knit a wrestling jacket for a flea, bankers but they throw a couple of beers into Due from approved reserve their emaclated little carcasses, light agents pipes and cigarettes, stand in line, and Checks and other cash items then whenever a petticoat goes by you Notes of other national may hear things like this; "Beaut,' isn't banks she, Perc'?" "Yep, y'like it? I'll go get Fractional paper currency, it for yuh," "H'lo, ah; bright eyes; nickels and cents d'ju see that look I got fr'm that one, Lawful Money Reserve in fellahs?" And many more.

old, and their parents are too busy Legal-tender notes to spank them; none of the women Legal-tender notes passing want to take children to raise; Redemption fund with U. S. they don't seem to fill any niche in the scheme of creation; the dog catcher is a very busy man; the Lord doesn't seem to want them, and if the police will run them in, scare them to death,

and start them up the railroad track Surplus fund 10,000 00 there will be a relieved grunt from the Undivided profits, less exmunicipality.

FOR MATHEMETICIANS.

Sad Fate of First Victim of the Goose Problem.

When The Astorian printed a problem in mathematics yesterday and offered a year's subscription for a correct solution, it was not anticipated that there would be trouble, but there is, and Salem seems to be yawning for some of those who have seen it. The management, therefore, hastens to warn people not to strain themselves.

The problem is as follows:

"A cone 20 feet in diameter at the base, 20 feet high, is wound from base of my knowledge and bellef. to apex with a half-inch rope. If a goose is attached to the end of the rope, and files in a series of curves of increasing radius (keeping the rope taut) this 18th day of January, 1905. how far will he fly to unwind the Tope?"

The first man to try it was the bookkeeper at The Astorian. He was a bright young man, but it's all off with him now. He only dallied with it at first, and then laid it aside, but presently the telephone began to ring, and people wanted to know if the goose starts to fly at the top or the bottom. and whether the cone was square or round or hexagon, octagon, heptagon or otherwise, and if so, how much, and when and was it any relation to Ann. etc. until the bookkeeper got mad. He told one man it wasn't a goose at all, but a lame duck. Then he went down on the water front to cool off. There

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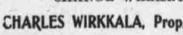
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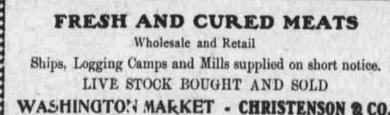
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