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Currency Laws Must be Enforced.

CHICAGO, July 28.—A Times-Herald special from Washington says President McKinley is determined to secure currency reform legislation. To this end he will have the active co-operation of Secretary Gage. The currency commission bill passed by the house on the last day of the session is dead, and it is not likely the president will revive the project of having a monetary reform measure framed and recommended by a commission.

It is now planned that an administration plan shall be formulated during the summer and autumn and submitted to congress when it convenes in December. By the time Secretary Gage submits his first annual report to congress, next December, he will in all probability have a plan formulated, which may be submitted to the administration as a scheme of currency reform.

Miners Intimidated by Women.

FAIRMONT, W. V., July 28.—Polish women armed with stones and sticks kept several men from going to work at Monongah today. Others have been warned not to enter. Colonel B. A. Fickinger said today, if the men in the mines were not at work by Friday noon other men would be brought in.

More Mines Closed Down.

COLUMBUS, O., July 28.—Fred Dilches, of the national executive committee, wired the national headquarters of the miner's union that the Sugar Creek, McDonald, Turkey Knob and Dunlop mines have closed down by a vote of the miners at a mass meeting in the new river district.

LIFE IN GREAT CITIES.

It Is Less Enervating Than That in Isolated Communities.

And as to the tendency of the growth of great cities to enervate nations, there is no proof of it at all, unless we identify the life of great cities with the passion for idleness and pleasure and self-indulgence which sometimes, but by no means universally, accompanies their growth, says the London Spectator. When you get a large proletariat, living as that of ancient Rome and possibly of Nineveh and Babylon did, on the alms of the rich and powerful, then no doubt you have the conditions of a thoroughly unnatural and unhealthly life, and no one can wonder at the rapid decay of such cities and of the nations which gloried in them. But where the honest working class far outnumber the proletariat, where the middle classes of distributors and manufacturers and professional men are laborious and energetic, and even the class that lives on its accumulated wealth contains a considerable sprinkling of serious and disinterested workers, we do not believe that there is the smallest evidence of any greater danger in the life of the agricultural village or the pastoral tribe. Indeed, we should regard Olive Schreiner's picture of the life of the modern Boers as indicating a condition of things more prolific of morbid elements, with its almost complete absence of any stirring or active intelligence, than any kind of modern life that is honestly laborious at all. The Boer life is too sleepy, too destitute of stirring thought or effort, to be altogether natural. It needs at least the old element of danger and necessary vigilance to render it even bracing.

THE BIGGEST CAT.

It Is Thirty Inches Long and Weighs Twenty-Four Pounds.

Just plain "Tom" is the unpretending name of probably the greatest domestic cat in the world.

Edward Simmons, a fish and oyster dealer of New York, is the proud possessor of "Tom." This giant of cats is 30 inches in length, from his head to the tip of his tail. He is a foot high, and weighed last spring 24 pounds. The recent hot weather has caused him to drop a few pounds of flesh, but has not impaired his health or happiness.

Thomas is black and white, and is rather peculiarly marked. He has two complete rings of white around his tail, which makes him look like first cousin to a raccoon.

Mr. Simmons picked up the cat two years ago while walking along South street. Thomas was but a stray kitten then, so that his pedigree has never been ascertained, and it is not known whether or not heredity has had anything to do with his enormous size.

Yellow washing powder will make your clothes the same color. Avoid this by using Soap Foam. It's pure white.

A Great Bargain.

From now on until all are sold, \$50 will get a large-sized Chicago Cottage organ at Jacobsen Book & Music Co., The Dalles, Or. jy16-tf

MARVELOUS CURE OF LOCKJAW.

Recovery of a Man Who Has Suffered for Twenty-Five Years.

A cure that borders on the miraculous has been effected in the case of William White, a well-known carpenter of this city, who had suffered from lockjaw for almost a quarter of a century, says the McKeesport (Pa.) Times. Mr. White recently arrived home from the hospital and the improvement in his condition was simply wonderful.

When a boy of five years Mr. White was attacked by fever. The disease settled in his jaws and locked them tight. For 20 years he had been unable to eat anything except food which had been especially prepared for him and which he forced into his mouth through an opening made by the extraction of several teeth. While he could converse in a way with his friends it was an extremely difficult matter to understand him. After consulting with numerous specialists, he left several weeks ago for Chicago, where he was treated by a noted physician with great success.

Mr. White was kept on the operating table for eight consecutive hours, during which time an incision was made in his cheek and the jaw bones sawed apart. The bones had become jointed and had grown together during the progress of the fever. Mr. White then gave up a strip of skin from his breast which was pasted over the parts that had been operated upon. He is now able to use his jaws and his teeth as well as any person who has never had the misfortune to go through such a siege.

INGENIOUS BIRD.

Queer Performance of Feathered Resident of Somali Land.

The honey bird, of which we saw several during our travels in Somali Land, is well worthy of mention as a natural curiosity, says a writer in the Nineteenth Century. It is a little gray common-looking bird about the size of a thrush. It first forces itself upon the notice of the traveler by flying across his path uttering a shrill, unlovely cry. It will then sit on a neighboring tree, still calling and waiting for him to follow. By short, rapid flights the bird will lead its guest on and on, till after awhile the traveler notices that the bird has stopped its onward course and is hanging about among a certain half-dozen trees. These being visited one after another, and carefully examined, the search will be rewarded by finding a nest of bees in one of them. The probability is that there will be honey in it. I have never known the bird mistaken. It is a matter of honor with the natives to set aside a good portion of honey for the bird. Although this action of the honey bird is an established fact of natural history, it is none the less unaccountable, and it would be interesting to know whether he ever tries to entice quadrupeds also to assist him in obtaining his much-loved honey.

A HOLE IN THE MOUNTAIN.

Wonders of a Cave Near Chattanooga That Puzzle Geologists.

"The most peculiar cave I ever saw," said a Chattanooga man to a Washington Star writer, "is on Raccoon mountain, near Chattanooga. It has never been explored, and no one really knows whether or not there is much of a cave. The Indians have several legends concerning it, and it is remarkable that no one has ever entered it. It was supposed by the Indians to be haunted, and there are some gruesome tales told about it. The only opening yet discovered is on top of the mountain. It has been sounded with a line of considerable length without finding a bottom to the chamber through the roof of which the opening exists. There is a constant roaring sound, like the wind sometimes makes. It does not seem like water, and is undoubtedly caused by air circulating in the immense hole in the mountain. There are no volcanic indications, and the cave is a puzzle to geologists."

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7. Because it is the most prompt and most reliable medicine in use for bowel complaints.

8. Because it produces no bad results.

9. Because it is pleasant and safe to take.

10. Because it has saved the lives of more people than any other medicine in the world.

The 25 and 50c sizes for sale by Blakeley & Houghton.

Save Your Grain.

Few realize that each squirrel destroys \$1.50 worth of grain annually. Wakelee's Squirrel and Gopher Exterminator is the most effective and economical poison known. Price reduced to 30 cents. For sale by M. Z. Donnell, Agent.

CIGARETTES OF GREEN TEA.

They Tell Us That They Are Now Smoked in "Society."

The green tea cigarette has arrived, and promises to cause greater ravages than its predecessor, the slender roll of tobacco, which now poisons the air almost everywhere in Asia, Europe and America. The person who first discovered that green tea would smoke is responsible, says the New York Journal, for millions of disordered nerves, stomachs and heads, but is probably too far gone in adoration of the elevating habit to feel any remorse. Already the new fad has taken possession of England; it will soon storm the walls of Paris, and before we can fortify against it here we shall be besieged. It will penetrate the boudoir of the ladies, and even the strait-laced, orthodox public will see no harm in an innocent tea cigarette. But none the less a deadly peril lurks within it.

New areas for the growth of tea are constantly opened up in the east, and the product will be pushed with all the energy of merchants determined to make fortunes. We can even foresee the time when to every pound of tea purchased for legitimate consumption as a cheering and noninhibiting beverage the subtle grocer will add the dainty package of tea cigarettes, enveloped in paper covered with pretty Chinese or Ceylonese designs, thus urging the entrance of the demon into the household. There is but one compensating feature in the whole business, and that is that at its worst the tea cigarette can never furnish an effluvium so stifling as that of the American paper roll with which every office boy deliberately exposes his lungs to partial paralysis daily.

The merchant who tells you he has something else as good as Hoe Cake soap is a good man—to keep away from. a2 3m

AN ELABORATE MOSAIC.

Executed for a Beautiful Palace in Vienna.

The British vice-consul in Venice in his last report says that mosaics still continue in great demand there, says the London Times. A well-known company executed last year a splendid mosaic for a palace now in course of construction in Vienna. It measures 1,000 square feet and is copied from cartoons by the painter, Edward Weith. It represents the five parts of the world. Europe stands in the center of the frieze, represented by the symbolic figures of its various nations, having on one side the emblems of industry and trade and at the top the emblem of the flying genius of light. On the right are the figures of Asia, India, China and Japan, with their rajahs, mandarins and the allegorical chrysanthemum. Next follows Africa, with camel-drivers, palm trees and other African symbols; on the left, America and Australia, with natives on horseback and on foot, foliage and other emblems.

All this variety of types, from the fair Circassian down to the negro, and the display of costumes, from the most decorative to the simplest, have enabled the painter to arrange 24 figures with great delicacy of color and in an artistic manner. Over these figures, which rest on an ornamental base, a blue sky reflects all around its light so as to unite all the tints of the mosaic and to give the whole a harmony of effect which is said to be most delightful to the eye. The same company is executing another important mosaic for theapse of the Guards' chapel at the Wellington barracks in London from cartoons.

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NOTICE—SALE OF CITY LOTS.

Notice is hereby given that by authority of ordinance No. 292, which passed the Common Council of Dalles City April 10th, 1897, entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the sale of certain lots belonging to Dalles City," I will, on Saturday, the 15th day of May, 1897, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, all the following lots and parts of lots in Gates addition to Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, to-wit:

Lots 9 and 10 jointly, in block 14; lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, jointly in block 15; lots 7, 8, 9, and 10, jointly in block 21, known as butte; lots 10, 11 and 12, in block 27; lot 9 in block 34; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, in block 35; lots 2, 3, 4, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 36; lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 44; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 45; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 46; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 47; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 48; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 49; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 50; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 51; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 52; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 53; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 54; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 55; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 56; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 57; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 58; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 59; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 60; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 61; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 62; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 63; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 64; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 65; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 66; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 67; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 68; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 69; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 70; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 71; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 72; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 73; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 74; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 75; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 76; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 77; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 78; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 79; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 80; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 81; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 82; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 83; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 84; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 85; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 86; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in block 87; lots 1, 2,