

TO PROTECT SONG BIRDS.
Reward Offered for Conviction of Persons Who Kill Them.

A reward of \$10 will be paid by State Game Warden Quonby or his deputy at this place, for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person destroying song birds and other small birds classed with them.

The law on the subject of killing song birds is as follows:

"General laws of the state of Oregon, to protect the native song birds within the state of Oregon.

"Section 1. Every person who shall within the state of Oregon, for any purpose, injure, take, kill or destroy or have in his possession, sell or offer for sale, any yellow breasted chat, meadow lark, robin, song sparrow, lark, junco, variegated thrush, wood thrush, hermit thrush, American goldfinch, bluebird, snowbird, oriole, lazuli finch, house and winter wren, pine-linnet, California linnet, warbler, vireo, swallow, tanager, grosbeak, ringlet or horned-lark, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

The second section of the law declares that every person who shall within the state of Oregon, destroy or remove from nests any of the above named birds, or any egg or eggs of such birds or have in possession or offer for sale any such eggs, or willfully destroy the nests of any such birds, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

"Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this act, or any other act or parts of acts, for the protection of game or song birds, not in conflict herewith, and for which no penalty is fixed, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$15 nor more than \$200, together with the costs of the prosecution of said action, or by imprisonment in the county jail of the county wherein such offense may have been committed, not less than seven or more than 100 days, or both such fine and imprisonment."

It is desired that the school teachers and parents make the law known to children, for the slaughter of our song birds is a shame and must be stopped. The game warden has instructed his deputies to keep a strict watch and make those who disregard the statutes amenable to the law.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid fever, that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I could not even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Blakeley & Houghton's drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

Rebels Charged With Murder.

MANILA, Feb. 20.—A military commission meets at Calamba tomorrow to try the Filipino members of the guerrilla band which attacked a squad of Americans on February 2, killing a corporal. The charges are murder and assault with intent to kill. The case is important as foreshadowing the policy of treating guerrillas and bandits. It is supposed one reason which has hitherto deterred the American authorities from adopting this policy is that the insurgents have more than fifty American prisoners and may retaliate.

No Right to Egliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at Blakeley & Houghton's drugstore.

Manuense Was Unseaworthy.

FAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—Chief Engineer McDonald, of the transport Manuense, has admitted, on cross-examination before British Consul Pickersgill, that he signed an incorrect statement while under pressure of favoring the owners of the vessel. This statement was to the effect that he considered the Manuense was in a thoroughly good and seaworthy condition.

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Bottle at 25c, 50c and \$1 a bottle, throughout the United States and Canada; and in England, at 1s, 2s, 3s, 4s, 6s. If you are not satisfied after buying, return the bottle to your druggist and get your money back.

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THE ENGLISH AND ALASKAN BOUNDARY

They Will Beat Us if Dispute is Ever Allowed to Go to Arbitration—They Are Dishonest, Unjust and Highly Trained—Aim to Control Pacific.

New York, Feb. 20.—President T. C. Mendenhall, of the Worcester, Mass., polytechnic institute, formerly head of the United States geological survey, delivered a lecture last night in Chickering hall before the Army Geographical Society on "The Alaska Boundary." In 1892, Dr. Mendenhall was a member of the commission that surveyed the line which this country contends divides its northern possessions from the Canadian Northwest territory. He said:

"We are exceedingly lax in accurately fixing our boundaries, and in our disputes over them—naturally with England—on the whole we have lost. The trouble has been lack of diplomatic training and the difference of the people. In 1867, when we bought Alaska from Russia, the same language was used in the treaty as in that between Great Britain and Russia in 1825, and it is ambiguous. The boundary of Lower Alaska was to run from the summit of mountain ranges parallel with the coast, never more than ten marine leagues, or about thirty-five statute miles, from the coast. There is no range of parallel mountains, so the line must be located by degrees.

"Great Britain has contended that the coast means the coast of the islands. In that case she would have all of the coast line. Lately she has given up that claim, but seeks to get a harbor, most probably Pyramid harbor. Then, I personally believe, she wishes to secure a naval base. Already she has in Equipment, on Vancouver island, one of the strongest stations in the world, far ahead of anything we have. Should she control Southeastern Alaska through another naval key, she would have chief command of the Pacific.

"Lately both nations have been too busy with more important immediate troubles, but within a few years the Alaska boundary question will have to be settled. I hope the American people will not, from sentimental or any other reasons surrender what is theirs by right, and what, until the presence of precious metals in the region was discovered, they possessed without dispute. But if they submit it to arbitration they will again lose valuable territory, for they will have to contend against men of the highest diplomatic training, the most faithful devotion to duty that the world has yet known, and men who, when their nation's trade is at stake, are absolutely regardless of every principle of honesty, justice and international law."

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EX-CONSUL MACRUM OFFERS PROOF

The British Authorities are Familiar With American Consular Code

CABLEGRAMS TO SAVE TIME

He Has the Envelopes Which Were Opened by British Officials and Still Bear Both British and American Seals—Other Pertinent Facts.

New York, Feb. 20.—A special to the Journal and Advertiser from Washington says: Charles E. Macrum, late consul at Pretoria, furnishes proof of his charges that United States official mail was opened by the British censor. Mr. Macrum has several envelopes, each bearing the British sticker applied to the envelope after it had been opened by the censor.

He has one envelope which contained mail matter from Consul-General Stowe, at Cape Town. It is the regulation blue of the consular service. It bears upon its face the legend "U. S. Consular Service," and a stamp "Mail Suspended." On the reverse side is the United States government seal, impressed upon the red sealing wax of the consular service. The British sticker, resealing the letter after it had been opened, bears the potential initials, "V. R.," the initials of the clerk who opened the letter, the name of the place where it was opened.

This letter was mailed at Cape Town October 4, by Consul-General Stowe. It was held there one month apparently, for the next postmark is that of Durban, dated November 4. From Durban it was sent to Pretoria and reached Mr. Macrum in its mutilated form. The circulars to consuls issued by the department, are not in themselves important, but nevertheless "official mail" never reached Mr. Macrum. They were confiscated without apology or explanation by the British censor. As for Mr. Macrum's personal mail, he never heard of it.

The British authorities are familiar with the American consular code. On November 8 Mr. Macrum sent a cablegram in code to the state department, urgently requesting that he be permitted to come home. Usually cablegrams, because of the difference in time between South Africa and this country, consume two days in transmission; that is to say, the cable sent by Mr. Macrum on November 8 would normally have been received by the state department on November 10. But on November 9, before the cablegram was received by the state department, certainly, and before it was sent from South Africa, probably, the British papers in Natal, hundreds of miles away, announced in impressive type that Mr. Macrum the American consul at Pretoria desired to be permitted to go home.

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A Convincing Answer.

"I hobbled into Mr. Blackmon's drug store one evening," says Wesley Nelson, of Hamilton, Ga., "and he asked me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, with which I had suffered for a long time. I told him I had no faith in any medicine as they all failed. He said: 'Well if Chamberlain's Pain Balm does not help you, you need not pay for it.' I took a bottle of it home and used it according to directions and in one week I was cured, and have not since been troubled with rheumatism." Sold by Blakeley & Houghton.

"I had bronchitis every winter for years and no medicine gave me permanent relief till I began to take One Minute Cough Cure. I know it is the best cough medicine made," says J. Koonz, Corry, Pa. It quickly cures cough, colds, croup, asthma, grippe and throat and lung troubles. It is the children's favorite remedy. Cures quickly.

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Proposals for Refunding Water Bonds, Dalles City Oregon.

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of water commissioners of Dalles City, Oregon, at said city until 8:30 o'clock p. m. of the 28 day of Feb. 1900, for twenty-five thousand dollars and twenty thousand dollars of refunding water bonds of said city, as it is not settled as to whether the total amount of bonds will be \$25,000 or \$30,000. Authority is extended to the said board to issue refunding water bonds in the sum of \$25,000, but if found not to be necessary, the issue will be for no more than \$20,000; and at a rate of interest not exceeding four per cent per annum payable twenty years from date of issue, interest payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States, at any city therein, at the option of the buyer.

The bonds mentioned will be issued under the provisions of the several legislative acts of the state of Oregon, approved Feb. 26, 1885, Feb. 19, 1889, and Feb. 14, 1895, and in pursuance of an ordinance adopted by the common council of Dalles City, approved January 25, 1900. The proposed refunding water bonds are intended for the redemption of outstanding water bonds in the sum of \$25,000; but in case the board of water commissioners prefer, it will issue refunding bonds for \$30,000 only, therefore bidders may make proposals for both \$25,000 and \$30,000, and in the denomination of \$500 each.

No bid will be entertained for a rate less than par value of the bonds. Premiums and rate of interest will be taken into consideration in passing on the value of all bids. Bidders must deposit with the president of the board a duly certified check on some responsible bank equal to 2 per cent of the amount of bonds bid for, or accompany his bid with cash of such amount as will equal such per cent of his bid, and such certified check made payable to the president of the board of water commissioners of Dalles City, Or., as liquidated damages in case the bidder shall fail or neglect to receive and pay for, at the office of the city treasurer of said city, the bonds awarded to him on his bid, on or before the first day of March, 1900.

Attention should be given the fact that the board will not issue and dispose of more than \$20,000 of such refunding bonds, unless it shall be deemed necessary to do so, but otherwise, if the board shall find that it is necessary to issue bonds in the sum of \$25,000, it will then offer and issue the full sum, (\$25,000). The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the said board of water commissioners.

Bids should be addressed to the president of said board, or to the city recorder, Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, and noted "Proposals for refunding water bonds."

By order of the Board of Water Commissioners, and with the consent of the Common Council. This 25th day of January, 1900.

T. J. SECRET, President of Board, NED H. GATES, Recorder of Dalles City.

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NOTICE of Application for Liquor License.

To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, J. J. Wiley, will at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Wednesday, the 27th day of March, 1900, the same being the regular March 15th term of court, apply to the County Court, of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, for a license to sell spirits, wine, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon, in the town of Shaniko, in Antelope Precinct, in the county and state aforesaid, for such period as his receipt from the County Treasurer of said county may call for, and his petition for said license, which he will present to the said County Court on said date, is herewith set forth.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1900.

J. J. WILEY.

Petition for Liquor License.

To the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco, We, the undersigned residents and legal voters of Antelope Precinct, in the County of Wasco, and the State of Oregon, respectfully petition your honorable body to grant a license to J. J. Wiley to sell spirits, wine, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in the town of Shaniko, in said Antelope Precinct, in the County and state aforesaid, for such period as his receipt from the county treasurer of said county may call for.

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