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HEPPNER, MORROW COUNTY, OREGON, TUESDAY, JULY 21, 1896.

Unique Manner.

Depositors Are Charged for Leaving Their Money in the Bank-Some of the Queer Rules of the

Institution. Probably the most independent and aristocratic bank in the world is the

do it insists upon doing in its deliberate Socially, the bank is of considerable week, and these friendly gatherings are said to be most enjoyable affairs. Loans and discounts form the chief sub jects of conversation. No lean or dis count can be made without the approval of three of the directors. Suppose the crone on Monday. You apply to the lorges bank, and are told that the mater will be taken under consideration at the directors' meeting on Wednesday. and you may look for an answer to your application by Thursday. It does not matter in the least that you want the 100 krone Monday, and not Thursday; you simply have to wait. After all there is not so much absurdity or in-

50 miles from Kars. il the hour before he wants it. And the ank is always able to make sure that

> -Each instrument excels in som particular passage, the piaco in scale assages, the barp in arpeggio, the mandolin in the rapid repetition of one note, the banjo in the rapid playang of broken chords, and so with other mements. but the violin can beat theme il on their own ground, while there is much violin music that can be played on no other

> -English is the language that has altered most. Regarded merely as a Teutonic language, it is farthest removed from the parent stock. It is descended from the Saxon, which is the parent of low German and Dutch, and, as it were, the grandparent of English. But besides the Tentonic part, which is the groundwork of the language, it has suffered all the effects of a lengthy Roman occupation.

Attached to It.

are very numerous and widespread, from the days of Pliny downward, says Notes and Queries. The fancy or belief that Judas hung himself upon an elder tree, which will be found in Gerarde and many old herbalists and poets, Ler. Johnson among them, of course, gave the name to the purplish-brown fungus which grows on its bark under the title of "Judas' car," which Coles refers to an Jewes Eare, called in Latin Fungus ambicunus and Auricula judae." The plant appears to have had in England the old cognomen of pipe tree or bun tree, and in Scotland bore tree, no don't rom the facility with which pipes of tubes for musical or other purpose the pith from the younger branches. solder with the German hobbunder arean with the French, in Holland

using, and Spanish sauco. made from the berries in country districts, and the medicinal virtues atributed-and not without reason-to ry folk from time immemorial, and a Conser & Brock, druggists. proportion of which are found in the , is a hunter of renown. The game she pharmacopoeis, have doubtless made it lags is frogs. For seven years she has a popular plant, and gathered around many of the apperatitions, tales, and ven enhanced the virtues it is said to possess. At all events, in nearly every county in England its proises can be

BOUNTIES IN SEALS.

Maine Still Pays a Bounty and Last Year paid bountles on 1,662 scals and on 305 bears in 1895. In 1894 only is hig as herself, and they had that pur- 385 scals and 550 bears were killed. The increase of seal killing is due to a 50wif in being obstreperous. Moreover, cent increase of the bounty, making it y minted half-dollars, but the extreme-ten dollars a week did not satisfy Miss one dollar. The bears have been thinned telden's idea of proper compensation. out by extensive killing. Why there, should be a bounty on scals is plain, nived to invest her savings in a know that in a single year a seal con-frog farm. Friendship being rich in sumes 3,650 pounds of fish, which would es and awamps, Miss Selden bought make 6,060,300 pounds saved by the neres of land, feneed it in, and began killing of 1,563 scals in 1895. Most of ket, to the scornful delight of her neigh- as are used in haiting lobster potsthe fish enten are course-grained, such sculpins, flounders, tomcods, etc.-but not a few valuable fish, like herring, when they learned that she cleared \$1.- these animals. Much difficulty is exsend remained to imitate, and frog- all of the animals killed. Many badly wounded once escape, and probably more than 2,000 scals were killed during

are pull on hinch bears. They are harro-

post, lived as a social outcast, but his

SWIF , PIGEONS.

More Than a Mile Made a Minute in a Recent Trial.

resents a speed of more than a mile a minute.

by L. Verschueren, stepped back in its loft at 8:141/2. White Wings was closely followed by nearly half the flock, and 50 ly all our iodine-a body of vast use in arrivals were reported between 8:15 and | medicine. S:17. Inasmuch as every bird spent at least as much as five minutes in circling before starting on a line for home, the speed shown is materially more than a mile in each 60 seconds.

As an illustration of how little ever the best fanciers are able to judge of the merits of their own pets, it is interesting to note that White Wings had been considered almost worthless. Only month ago he was flown from Sixty first street, a distance of eight miles to his loft, and took 16 days to make the journey. That was his first trial, and the skin in small doses operations can he was sent to Monee Saturday quite be performed without pain. A com- as much in the hope that he would be lost as for any other reason.

> The Washington correspondent of the Chicago Times-Herald relates a laughbut was unscated by the house. The these they scatter the seaweed. occurrence, it should be explained, took place some years ago, when Mr. Tarsney was not so well known as he is at pres-

paign, and Mr. Tarsney, who had gone being yet cut and dried (or "win" party, was announced to speak in a burning in the kilns can commence. country town. The chairman of the minded to give the gentleman from Misouri a handsome reception.

est statesmen of the great west. tos famed throughout the Mississippi is the "kelp." valley, a gentleman whose name is to introduce to you Mr .-- Mr .-- "

of the evening, he whispered: "What did you say your name was?"

"Tarsney, of Missouri," whispered the

"Fellow-citizens," resumed the chair-

taken in the night with cramping pains state the piece of glass weighs 6,650 and the next day diarrhoes set in. She took half a bottle of blackberry cordial months of polishing by a novel and sebut got no relief. She then sent to me cret mechanical process before it is mve always been made by pushing out to see if I had anything that would help finished. Its diameter is nearly sever her. I sent her a bottle of Chamber- feet, and it is expected to bring the We seem toget the name from the Dutch lam's Colic, Chloera and Diarrhoea Remedy and the first dose relieved her. Another of our neighbors had been sick distinct us theirs are now at 94 miles, for about a week and had tried different which they believe is the utmost prac-The spiced wine so almost universally remedies for distribute but kept getting ticable limit. worse. I sept him this same remedy. Only four dones of it were required to cure him. He says he owes, his recovvery many preparations made from its ery to this wonderful remedy.—Mrs. bark, shoots, leaves and roots by countainty Sibley, Sidney, Mich. For sale by

ged by 3,640 patents. There are 1,449 different appliances.

for drawing wire. Arkaneas has one invention in every

There are 2,200 patents and models of licet metal wire. There are 5,979 patent locks and

siches for doors and gutes. There are 4,299 different kinds of ows and sawing apparatus.

North Carolina has one inventor to ery 18,597 of its people. The patent office has issued 7,623 pat-

ats on faundry appliances. New Jersey has one inventor to every .557 of its population.

There are 2,155 tools used, or which ony be used, in stoneworking.-Globe-Democrat.

Vulgarizing Rocutgen Bays. Roentgen rays are beenming sulgarzed rapidly. Prof. Broundel, of the

municipal inhoratory of l'aris his used them to find the contents of infernal machiner, and has seen naits, serewa, cartridges and even the grains of powder n a bomb. An Englishman assists that he can tell pure claret from adulaterated by the use of the rays. In Ber-

William Morris says the post lowers to

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Baking

HARVEST OF THE SEA.

A Peculiar Occupation Followed Off the Coast of Ireland. Along the northwest coast of Ireland,

on the borders of the Atlantic, dwells a hardy race of men whose chief occupation, when not engaged in fishing, con-This "kelp" is of great commercial importance, as from it is obtained near-

During the winter months the kelp burners set out in their frail little "curraghs" (small canoe-like boats about 12 feet long, made of canvas) and, proceeding along the coast, fill the boats with sea-weed, from which the kelp is made, In this they are assisted by the women. who, bareheaded and shoeless, take their turn regularly at the oars, and are almost as expert at it as the men. After a storm is the time selected for obtaining the seaweed, as by the force of the waves it has been torn from its bed and is east in along the shore in large quantities.

When the boats are laden, the sea weed is brought to a small creek, and there placed in heaps out of reach of on the backs of men and women to a or touch him. point further inland, where it has to undergo a process of drying.

The drying consists in exposing it to the sun and wind, and the better to do able incident in the career of Mr. Tars- this they have rows of loose stone ney, of Missouri, who was until lately laid about 20 yards in length and a member of congress from that state, few feet in height. Along the tops of The drying takes months, so that

spring is well advanced ere it is ready for burning. This does not matter however, as owing to the fuel-the per-It was in the midst of a political cam- or turf got from the bogs at hand-no to New York state in the service of his it is termed) it is summer before the

The kiln is a deep trench dug in the meeting, a local celebrity, was properly ground. Alternate layers of turf and seaweed are laid in this until full, and the whole is kept burning for about "Ladies and gentlemen," he said, "we three weeks, until it cakes together is have with us to-night one of the reat- a large black mass recembling coke

It is then broken into blocks about you a household word. Permit me to 14 inches square and brought by boat to the villages, where it is sold, to be Here the flow of his eloquence was shipped to more profitable markets.-

EXPENSIVE MIRROR.

Will Bring the Moon Within Thirty Eight Miles of the Eye. A special train brought into Paris man, "it is my proud pleasure to intro- blankets, bound with soft wood hoops few days ago, wrapped in heavy felt

a rough block of crystal, which is to form the mirror of the huge telescope Mrs. Rhodie Nosh, of this place, was at the 1900 exhibition. In its present pounds and has already cost \$20,000. It will cost \$30,000 more and take 30 moon within 38 miles of the eye, bu the chief experts of the Paris observatory say that its images will not be so The Doctor Was Disgusted.

The negro, Simpkins, who cut his threat with a razor, was in front of the doctor's premises at the time. In fact, he was right on the doctor's sidewalk which is a nicely-paved and kept werk of which the owner is rather careful. At the inquest the doctor described the horrible eight when the negro stashed his throat with the razor. "Then," said the doctor, "I shouted to him to get off the sidewalk."

Gave His Portrait. The king of Belgium, when walking one day, called at a farmhouse and asked for a glass of milk. While he was drinking it, he heard the hostess say to her husband in Flemish: "I wonder what that long-nowed Englishman will give us for the milk?" Whereupon the king took out a five-franc piece, and handed it to the woman, saying in Flemish: "Allow me to offer you the portrait of the long-nosed Englishman. -Youth's Companion

Piles! Piles! Dicking Piles.

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Proper servicesty. A number of devices have lately been ovented by which an electric impress e carried about and used like a capalle. or intern. Some of these are complete. in themselves, energing a hattery that The speet complete and useful devices ever operates only when the lamp-which may be of almost any desired shape, that of a pocket flask, for instance—is held in a particular position. When thus held the acid in the reservoir reaches he lattery poles, and the inexadescent ght blaces out. On recersing the lamp the light is entinguished. In other cases stronger light is provided by means. of a reporate intery, which may, howwer, be extried in the pocket. It is proand to substitute this form of partsbe identic timp for the ordinary. untern in the ambulence service of the French army -Youth's Companion.

DOG DETECTIVE.

What Human Sleuths Had Worked Upon Three Months in Vain.

The Cincinnati papers contain an almost incredible story, which, nevertheless, seems to be well authenticated. In the early spring of 1895, a business man of Cincinnati, Charles Hermann by name, disappeared, and no trace of him could be found. For three months detectives worked upon the case with-

Soon after his disappearance, Hermann's dog was found, badly poisoned. and near the point of death. The animal was sent to the hospital for dogs. and remained there two months under treatment, not being suffered to go

out. But his life was saved. When at last the dog was liberated. he began to search for his master; and after a good deal of running about, commenced digging on the banks of the Ohio river, opposit Cincinnati. There, after a time, he nucarthed the body of Charles Hermann.

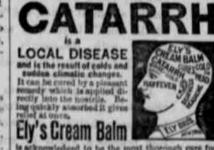
There are indications that a murder was committed, and that poison was administe ed to the dog at the same time. Very likely it was thrown to the tide. From this it is carried in creels him by malfactors who dared not shoot

The body was identified, but unfortunately the sagacious dog could do

Southern Educational Advancements. According to Prof. Alexander Hogg, state manager of public schools in Texas, while the south has gained 54 per cent. in population in the last 20 years, the increase in the enrollment of school attendance has been 130 per cent. In the same period the value of the school property has increased from \$16,000,000 to \$51,000,000, an addition of nearly \$2,-000,000 per year. Of all the people in the south, white and black, one in five is in attendance at school during some part of the year. This is the proportion in Saxony, which excels all countries in Europe. It is estimated that of the \$320,000,000 expended for education in the south in the last 18 years one-fourth has been for the colored ruce.-Detroit

Squeezed to Death in a Stump-George Bennett, of Eden, Ont., met with a horrible death the other evening. He was assisting in the operation of splitting large stumps with a jackscrew and had one nearly split, when he stepped into the opening. Suddenly the jackserew sprung out, the stump closed like a shot, entering Pennett, and he was alowly squeezed to death.

A Chinaman's Greatest Crime. A Chinaman at Shanghai committed the other day what is the greatest of all crimes in Chinese jurisprudence, by murdering his grandfather. The penalty for this is to be "cut up into 10,000. pieces," and the marderer's father also is punished for having brought up such a criminal.



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STATISTIUS NAY ERR. Figures Never Lie, But Their Basis May Be Faulty. Figures may not lie, but on the basis

of statistics may sometimes be very faulty. Commenting on this limitation of the statistician's science, Carroll D. Wright points out that, in the matter of crime, the number of sentences in a given state may vary with the legislation. Laws are constantly being passed, Mr. Wright says, to raise moral delinquencies to the grade of positive crimes, and then, after a time, such laws may be repealed, with the result of vitiating conclusions obtained by comparing one year with another. This is illusrated by the record of liquor legislation in connection with crimes. Prohibitory legislation seems uniformly to increase drunkenness, for the reason, in large part, that it increases, if enorced, the number of convictions. A new class of statistics is called into existence. It is to be noted also that, as a rule, the authorities of large cities ire opposed to prohibitary laws, deemng licenses more rational or expedient. They are accordingly often led to enforce prohibitory laws with extreme igor in order to make them odious and ccure their repeal. With a license law hey are lenient in making arrests of lrunken persons. Thus it comes about hat statistics seem to prove prohibition xtremely prolific in crime, while lienses promote virtue. In any case, errors enter the record by reason of vant of uniformity in methods in varius parts of a given state. This want of uniformity at a particular date is exeeded by the variations between diferent dates. In recent years statistics re better kept than formerly, with the feet of appearing to show an increascrime. But appearances are deceptive

WOOD MOST USED. Pine Is Fashioned Into the Greatest Va-

this case, Mr. Wright thinks. In 1880

e number of convicts in penitentiaries

vas 37,538, or 709 to the million of popu-

ation. In 1890 the number of convicts

vas 45,233, or 722 to the million of popu-

riety of Products. Oak can be put to the greatest variety of uses, but as a matter of fact pine vood is most used. A phenomenal denand for the latter in the wood-pulp ndustry has arisen within recent years. over 1,000,000 tons of wood pulp were produced in the United States alone in 1894, and 240,000 tons in Norway and Sweden, the bulk of it from pine. Pine is also largely used in ship and house carpentry, and it is adaptable to that it has come into almost universal ...E. L. Freeland tracted from it, as are also tar, pitch, This national resin and lampblack. Splinters of the resinous roots are used by the High-

anders instead of candles. Fishermen make ropes of the inner bark, and the Kamtchatkans and Laplanders steep the latter in water to make a coarse kind of bread. The oil obtained from the shoots of the dwarf line is used medicinally by the peasants of Hungary, while the soft-grained silver fir is used for the sounding boards of musical instruments, and the Germans employ it almost exclusively in their vast toy factories. The wood used in the manufacture of lucifer natches is mostly pine, and the aggregate amount of pine wood used in these carlous industries exceeds that of all

other kinds of wood put together.

COINED IN CHINA. Clew to Source of Counterfeit Half-Dollars Circulated on the Coast. At last the United States secret servce authorities have struck a lead to the source from which have come the thousands of almost perfect imitation half dollars circulated throughout the

Pacific coast. It is believed the counterfelts, which absolutely defy detection, except when inder a powerful magnifying glass in the hands of a clever expert, were made by Chinese in their native land and rought to this country last summer y the members of the troupe of Chise actors who came to America to perform at the Atlanta exposition. Al most the entire troupe is now in San Francisco, having been filling engage-

nents in Chinatown theaters since reurning from the east. It is estimated that \$20,000 of the unauthorized coins have been disposed of by the Chinese, and that "Little Pete," the Chinaman of recent racetrack-job notoriety, was back of the scheme. However, the \$20,000 realized has not been clear profit, as the counerfelts contain almost the same mount of pure silver as do the regularlow price of allver bullion gave the

counterfeiters a good profit.

TREE-CLIMBING RABBITS. ep That Love Snalls and Insective Birds That Feed on Grain. It seems almost a stretch of the imagination to think of rabbits climbing trees. Yet in Australia many rabbits have somehow acquired the tree-climbing habit, having been forced, on account of the persecutions of dogs and

other unimais, to drop burrowing and imitate aquirrela. An Australian sent on to England reently the two front feet of a rabbit in Friendship. The other shorters sell that had been killed on an acacia, three their game to Miss Selden, who in turn 180%. yards from the ground, and he wrote in his letter that this was not at all a remarkable thing, and he had often found

It Is Conducted in a Safe and

BANKING IN NORWAY.

Norges, or National bank of Norway. It | be shown. seems to be wholly indifferent to doing business of any kind, and what it does

convenience to the borrower in this arangement as seems at first glance. Ie who may want a loan only anticiates his reeds and prepares for it a few lays in advance, instead of waiting un-

ts loans are safe ones. The origin of this institution was as culiar as its management is unusua! oon after the nominal union of Norway nd Sweden, in 1814, the latter country egan to feel the need of greater mone acilities to meet the demands of the apidly-increasing commerce. The sit nation was not unlike that in the Unite-1 itates at the formation of the first

United States bank. The problem of securing the necessary apital for a great national institution was a very simple one for the Norwegian covernment. It raised stockholders for he bank just as it raised soldiers for its rmies. Every well-to-do citizen was compelled to take so much stock. He was always at liberty to take more if he chose, but always in amounts divisible by five. Bookkeeping was made easy on a new principle, in accordance with o many purposes, and is so abundant, which sums ending in other figures than five and zero were to be excluded

This national bank is also a national pawnshop. It is authorized by law to end money on any non-perishable goods, provided they can be deposited n the bank and kept under lock and key. For this service it charges rather less than the usual pawnbroker's interest, which may, perhaps, account for the rarity of private pawnshops in Norway. In the regular loan department the curious rule is enforced that loan; may not be made for less than one month nor for more than six, and

only for sums of at least 400 krone (\$120). American bank managers would look askance at the rule which subjects all teposits to a charge of one-tenth per cent, for taking them in. Vengeance is also taken with a liberal hand on the unlucky wight who happens to overlraw his account. He is fined one per ent, of the excess amount, which fine is mmediately charged against him, and mynisht of the draft is totally refused. If by accident or for any reason an offi sial bonors such an overdraft, he is personally responsible. The Norges ban's unquestionable does a safe husiness,-

Detroit Free Press.

A FROG HUNTER.

New Jersey Girl Is Accumulating a Large Miss Mona Selden, of Friendship, N. been supporting berself by her unique thietic exercise. Now she is one of he most prosperous citizens in the little town, and she is reputed to have bank account which, if it keeps on beard, and wondroos tales in connec-

give up from shooting.

Before she took to frog shooting Miss Selden taught school in the country re-gions for ten dollars a week. She did oof particularly enjoy teaching, for her upils were frequently boys about twice icular form of humor which shows it-Consequently, when she found that rogs were a costly luxury, she reo raise from for the New York marbers. They thought she was a harmless and amusing lunatic when they saw her practicing shooting frogs. But on the first season, those who came to shooting became a popular occupation.

wells it to the market. Last summer one of our grand childmarkable thing, and he had often found them, or at least the traces of their claws, on the hark of trees four, five and six yards high.

For a parrot to eat sheep is another remarkable thing, and yet the ken of New Zealand has become a sheep eater, having changed to this article of food from a parety vegetable diet.

The tradition of the island is that at one time these purvots were unable to obtain their usual supply of vegetable to give prompt relief when a special outenat, but his action one time these purvots were unable to obtain their usual supply of vegetable to give prompt relief when the prompt relief to the prompt relief when the prompt relief when the prompt relief to the prompt relief when the prompt relief to the prompt relief when the prompt relief when the prompt relief to the prompt relief

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY.

-Prof. Albert Koebele, of California, has made a three years' contract with the Hawaiian government to destroy the insect pests of the islands. His method is to get insects harmless to man to kill noxious insects.

-X rays are to be applied to practical agriculture. Dr. Gractz, of Munich,, has taken a picture of a one-dayold pig, showing its bony structure. By continuing to make pictures of the pig the action of food on its growth will

-New possibilities in the use of the Roentgen rays have been discovered by Dr. Frenzel, of Berlin. Twelve sheets of bromide of silver paper laid one upon the other were placed in the holder and mportance. The directors meet twice the picture of a frog taken. The image was equally well defined on each sheet.

-In Germany last year ships of 101,-402 registered tons were built, against 117,621 tons in 1894. This is a considerable advance as compared with 1892, with but 45,208 tons, and 1893 with 66,lirectors are to hold a meeting on 474 registered tons. The report does Wednesday and you want to borrow 1:0 not include the ships built in the government yards. -Russia is publishing the construc-

tion of the Tiflis Kars railway as fast as possible, and will probably have it completed by August next. It will enable her to carry an army from the Caucasus to the doors of Turkish Armenia. The line is 190 miles long, and is already built as far as Alexandrapol, -Dr. Pize, of Montelinar, France, has

discovered a new anaesthetic. He has found that by injecting gualacol under mittee appointed by the academy of medicine has inquired into the value of the discovery, and has congratulated Dr. Pize upon his achievement.

instrument.

Some of the Traditions and Superstitions The traditions attached to this tree

dierboom, Italian sambueo, Rusaian

growing, will eventually enable her to tion with it will be found to exist.

Aided by a southerly wind and a per-fectly clear sky, the first test of the pigeons which are to represent the first Chicago Homing club in the National federation races this year was a most notable success, says the Chicago Chronicle. The trial was remarkable in more than one feature. Two hundred and eighty-one birds, the largest number which the club has ever liberated from one racing station, made the trip, and of that number every bird was reposing peacefully in its loft by one o'clock in the afternoon. The time made by the first birds to arrive home was the fastest ever made over the course, and rep-

The birds were noerated at Monee, 42 miles away from the nearest loft, at 7:30 o'clock, and White Wings, owned sists in the manufacture of "kelp."

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