

GET THEIR TIPS FROM CROOKS

Bank Officials Take Means to Protect Their Treasure from Thieves. It is said by a police official at city hall headquarters that some of the city banks, whose hoard of surplus cash has been increasing largely of late, have been experimenting with an expedient long in use by the Bank of England officials of paying known crooks for information of any contemplated raid upon their vaults.

MORE ENGLISH IRON.

Timely Discovery at Kent in the Dover Coalfield. When the coal boring was put down at Dover about six or eight years ago, by Mr. F. Brady, on the site of the old Channel tunnel works, there were indications in the cores of the presence of iron ore in the strata between 500 and 600 feet from the surface.

MORE GLACIERS THAN GOLD

Scientists Found Many Natural Wonders Up in Alaska. Two members of E. H. Harriman's scientific party that has been exploring the Alaskan coast for some months past have returned to Vancouver and bring accounts of their cruise on the steamer Elder, which indicate that Mr. Harriman and the scientists will return laden with many laurels.

FAMOUS OLD CLOCK.

That for 510 Years Has Regulated the City of Rouen. Rouen, one of the principal cities of France, and the great seat of its cotton manufacture, possesses the oldest public clock in the world. The great Rouen clock has held its place in that city for 510 years and is the pride of its citizens.

St. Winifred's Well to Be Protected.

Mr. Justice Byrne has thrown the protecting ermine over the High Court of Justice over St. Winifred's Well, in England, and declines to allow the water of the famous fountain—which is supposed to be endowed with miraculous powers quite as wonderful as any in the Grotto of Lourdes—to be bottled and ticketed for home and foreign consumption, like soda water or lemonade.

Some Mythology.

Detroit Journal: When the maiden in the old Teutonic myth saw the dragon approach, she was much terrified. "Are you going to devour me?" she shrieked, clasping her hands agonizedly. "No, Maude," replied the dragon, sarcastically, "I'm simply going to take your chewing gum away from you!"

No Immediate Danger.

Sandy Waysides (reading)—"Here's a brand-new microbe jested made its appearance." Yawning Yergason—"Den dere's no immediate danger. We never get nuttin' till it's second-hand."

Long Day.

In Spitzbergen the longest day is three and one-half months.

The heathen still outnumber all the various religious beliefs put together. According to the latest statistics, there are in the world 143,000,000 Protestants, 98,000,000 followers of the Greek church, 230,000,000 Roman Catholics, and 176,000,000 Mohammedans.

The Sun's Carbon Shell.

It has often been suggested that the brilliance of the sun's disk is due to incandescent particles of carbon, and within a few years past the presence of carbon in the sun has been demonstrated by the spectroscope.

Largest American Flags.

George Main of this city in 1855 or '56 made the biggest specimen of the Stars and Stripes ever manufactured, which was flung to the breeze at a reception to President Franklin Pierce.

Monkeys Escape.

Two monkeys have escaped from their cage in the garden of the Bull and Bush hotel, Hampstead, England, and have been exploring, not only the heath near Golden's Hill, but have also enjoyed themselves in the well-kept grounds of houses adjoining the heath.

Highest Buildings in the World.

The ten highest structures in the world are in order as follows: The Eiffel tower, Paris, 984 feet; Washington monument, Washington, D. C., 555 feet; the city building, Philadelphia, 535 feet high; the cathedral of Cologne, Germany, 511 feet; the cathedral of Strasbourg, Germany, 466 feet; the chimney of St. Rollox chemical works, Glasgow, 455 1/2 feet; St. Martin's church, Landshut, Germany, 454 feet; St. Stephen's church, Vienna, 453 feet; the great pyramid of Egypt, 450 feet; and St. Peter's church, Rome, 448 feet.

Blue Roses Grow Wild.

An account of the blue rose has been given by the German gardeners in Slavonia, Chwiczka and Bltz, who are cultivating it. Reports came of blue roses that grew wild in Serbia, and a specimen was sent to them two years ago with violet blue flowers.

A Sure Coffee Test.

There is no drink more delicious than a cup of coffee when the beverage is made from the best seed. To test coffee put a spoonful gently on the top of a glass of water. If the coffee is pure it will not sink for some minutes and will scarcely color the water; but if chicory is mixed with it it will sink to the bottom immediately, rapidly absorbing the water and also giving it a dark-reddish tinge.

A Wonderful Natural Bridge.

Down on Pine creek, near Camp Verde, Ariz., is a natural bridge that is probably greater than any other in the world. It is nearly five times the size of the natural bridge of Virginia, and has a span of more than 500 feet across Pine creek, which is dry 300 days in the year. The height of the bridge is about eighty feet, and it is about 600 feet wide.

Carrier Pigeons Armed.

In China carrier pigeons are protected from birds of prey by apparatus consisting of bamboo tubes fastened to the birds' bodies. As the pigeon flies the action of the air passing through the tubes produces a shrill whistling sound, which keeps the birds of prey at a distance.

Preferred Water.

One sensible man in Winterport, Me., who has wanted city water put in his house, but felt that his income was hardly equal to it, this year concluded to drop the use of tobacco, after thirty years' use of the weed, and put in the water.

Labor Day celebration.

At a regular meeting of Mark Goodland Post, No. 24, G. A. R., it was unanimously carried that we call a mass meeting to celebrate Labor Day under the auspices of said Grand Army Post and Veterans of '61 to '65.

In accordance with said resolution we hereby invite, call upon, and urge the citizens of the South Fork country in particular, and the county of Holt in general, with the adjoining counties of Wheeler and Garfield to meet with us at Chambers, on Monday, the 4th day of September, 1899, that being a national day set apart to dignify and exalt labor.

Man is generally conceded the noblest work of the Creator, and as labor is decidedly the most noble occupation of the creature man, it is meet and proper that we meet together in mass convention to honor and glorify labor.

The meeting will be on the fair grounds and will be accompanied with an immense picnic dinner. The Chambers Cornet Band will enliven the meeting with some of their most charming music. The triple quartet will discourse some of their magnificent songs.

There will be public speaking interspersed with recitations and declamations. By order of Wm. LELL, R. D. PARSONS, Adj. Commander. (County papers please copy.)

No Right to Ugliness.

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.

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Mr. John Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Pulaski, Ky., says: "After suffering for over a week with flux, and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me." For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Delivered the Goods.

The statement that Rud and Kip had received a shilling for a story in an English magazine induced a wag to write him and to close a shilling postal order. "He r. that wisdom was being retained," shilling a word," writes the joker, "I enclose a shilling for a sample." The wag kept the order and sent back the word "Thanks."

live. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change for the better; by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boggs, Stumptown, Gilmer Co., W. Va. For sale by P. C. Corrigan.

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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 couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected soon to 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 P. C. Corrigan's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

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The Junior Epworth League of the Methodist church had an outing in Doyle's grove yesterday.

The case of John Carr vs. Maurice Cavanaugh, for malicious trespass, which came up in Judge Selah's court yesterday, was won by Cavanaugh.

Miss Ethel Morse left Thursday morning for Des Moines, Iowa, where she goes to complete her course at the Highland Park college of stenography.

A free and easy expectation is produced by a few doses of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, in all cases of hoarseness, sore throat, or difficulty in breathing. Price 25 and 50 cts. P. C. Corrigan.

Frank Pribil stopped long enough to tell us that during this spring and summer he had sold \$5040 worth of fat cattle. He is now ready to reinvest his money in others, and we hope will do as well on them.

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The case of the state of Nebraska vs. John Marty, sr., father of the escaped cattle rustler, for complicity in the stealing, came up before Judge Selah Monday, but through some legal technicality was dismissed. Mr. Marty was again arrested and had a hearing before Justice Slattery and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500.

A petition has been presented Judge Kinkaid calling for a special term of court to try Bagley and Welsh. County Attorney Butler had a consultation with Judge Kinkaid this morning as to the advisability of going to the expense of calling a special term when the date for holding the fall term is so near at hand, and they will mutually decide whether it would be expedient to call a special term.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice. Emily Gard, defendant, will take notice that on the 21st day of August, 1899, L. C. Gard, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against said defendant, alleging willful abandonment, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a divorce from her and for such other relief as equity may require. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1899. C. G. ARR, Plaintiff. By Alex. Searl, his attorney. 8-4w

LEGAL NOTICE.

C. F. Hiven (real name unknown) trustee, and Joseph Frein, defendants, will take notice that on the 24th day of August, 1899, Michael F. Harrington, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, against C. F. Hiven, (real name unknown) trustee, and Joseph Frein, defendants, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a divorce from her and for such other relief as equity may require. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1899. Dated this 24th day of August, 1899. Michael F. Harrington, Plaintiff. 8-4w

Notice of Sale.

In the District Court of Holt county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Reuben Bruce, Jr., a minor. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of M. F. Kinkaid, Judge of the District Court of Holt county, Nebraska, made on the 17th day of July, 1899, for the sale of the interest of Reuben Bruce, Jr., a minor, in and to the following described real estate, situated in Holt county, his said interest being an undivided one-half interest in and to an undivided one-seventh interest in and to the real estate hereinafter described, there will be sold at public sale, to be held at O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, on the 11th day of September, 1899, at ten o'clock, a. m., at public venue to the highest bidder in cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half (1/2) of the south half (1/2) of section seven (7); the west half (1/2) and the south half (1/2) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of section eight (8); the south half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section nine (9); the southwest quarter (1/4) of section ten (10) all in township twenty-seven (27) range thirteen (13) west sixth (6) north (N.).

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