

CURRENCY SHAPES DEBATE

All Subjects Lead the Senate to the Same Goal.

FREE WOOL AND GOLD SHIPMENTS RELATED

Senator Mitchell Ascribes to the Operations of the Wool Schedule of the Wilson Tariff Law the Loss of Yellow Metal.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The proceedings of the Senate today were dominated by several features. Senator Sherman offered a financial resolution for the protection of the gold reserve and Senator Mitchell of Oregon delivered a strong argument in favor of an amendment to the house revenue bill, affording still further protection to the wool interests of the United States.

Senator Sherman's resolution, it was as follows: Resolved, That by injurious legislation by the Fifty-third congress the revenues of the government were diminished to the extent of \$100,000,000 and the fund created for the wool tariff law was exhausted.

PROCEEDINGS IN ROUTINE.

When the senate met today Mr. Perkins, republican of California, asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a resolution directing the committee on finance to report an amendment to the law tariff bill, laying an additional duty on raw sugar equal to the other increased duties.

Mr. Chandler's resolution offered yesterday, directing the committee on navy affairs to investigate the price paid by the government for armor plate and as to whether any official of the government was interested in patent processes for armor plate.

Mr. Gorman explained that it was well known that an armor plate company had competed with England for furnishing armor plate for a battleship.

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Mr. Mitchell declared that no industry had received such a staggering and deadly legislative blow as that inflicted upon the wool industry by the Wilson tariff act.

Senator Mitchell said the tariff bill passed by the house would probably increase the revenue \$40,000,000 a year.

SLIM SHOW FOR BEET SUGAR

President Oxnard Has No Hops of Securing Favorable Legislation.

SENATORS OPPOSE HIS PROPOSITION

Will Wait a More Opportune Time for Pressing the Demand for Sugar for More Revenue Protection.

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TWO SECTION MEN KILLED

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VICTIMS TRYING TO AVOID A WRECK

Alex Craigie and Ferdinand Reiket Meet Death While at Their Post of Duty.

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WE'LL SHELL THE TOWN

At \$25 a hundred—Sportmen know our reputation, but inasmuch as this price seems entirely out of keeping we will just say that they are the same shells that you regularly pay as high as \$2.00 for—and let it go at that.

TAKE GOOD ADVICE

It is so much easier to sell than to invoice that the wise merchant is willing to sacrifice profit rather than hold over goods. That's our fix exactly. We invoice next week and we will give you a big reduction on almost anything in the store between this and then. Now is your time for bargains.

LOOK AT HIS FEET

That's where you get onto his shape—every good-looking guy wears our policeman's shoe—a shoe that we had made up especially for men of his calling—waterproof—warm—easy-light. Not only the police of this city wear them, but men all over the west who are exposed to weather send us for them—felt lined, \$3.00 and \$3.50. The Esquimaux boots are \$2.50 felt lined and worth more money.

BIG DIFFERENCE IN DOGS—

Some are big and wise—some honest and true—other little and cute—some cross and mean—and a whole lot of them are black and tan—just like our life size dog that you can't buy for less than a quarter anywhere else. The colors of his undercoat are gray, brown and tan, and range in price from \$1.48 a suit up to \$3.88. That's no ordinary dog, but a dog that will keep you up before involving. We don't handle any \$1.50 dogs, but we're selling some \$1.50 dogs at that price.

Demise of a Nebraska Veteran.

BERLIN, Neb., Dec. 31.—(Special.)—John Moody, an old soldier and a prominent farmer living four miles west of this place, died very suddenly of heart disease Sunday. The deceased leaves one married daughter, with whom he has made his home of late. Willing to serve his country in the Union army, he was a member of the 1st Nebraska Cavalry. He has suffered exceedingly for many years.

Work of Three Hundred Wolf Hunters

WISNER, Neb., Dec. 31.—(Special.)—About 300 hunters engaged in a wolf hunt today, a number from Norfolk, Platte and West Point, uniting with the nineros of Wisner.

Cross Gun Co., Sporting Goods, 116 S. 15th St.

A. Hospe, jr., Music and Art, 1513 Douglas St.

Drexler Shoe Co., Men's Furnisher, 1419 Farnam.

A. bert Cahn, 1322 Farnam.

THE OMAHA SUNDAY BEE. Haggard's New Romance African Adventure "Black Heart and White Heart" By H. RIDER HAGGARD Author of "She," "King Solomon's Mines," etc. Will begin publication January 5th, and run four weeks. Illustrated by Dan Beard. In this Romance of the Dark Continent the author has produced a story of fighting and love, of adventure and daring, which will not suffer in comparison with any of the earlier romances by which he won his fame. The chief characters are: Philip Hadden, with a black heart, but a white heart. Nanea, a copper-colored beauty (with whom both fall in love). Cetwayo, the famous Zulu king, about to make his last disastrous war upon the English, and Inwanga—the bee—a witch doctor, who conjures with a snake and lives in the mystic Forest of the Dead, supposed by the Zulus to be the home of Ghosts, but really populated by cannibals. With these elements Haggard has woven one of his very best romances. From beginning to end the story is full of life and dash, and abounding with thrilling incidents, one of which is an encounter between Hadden and a leopard at the moment when Hadden is treacherously about to murder Nanea, who, at the risk of his own life, magnanimously saves that of his adversary. Another is the awful leap of Nanea into the Pool of Gloom, from which she escapes by chance to be reunited to her lover after a series of weird adventures in the Forest of the Dead. Throughout the story the action is rapid and the interest sustained, and few who begin it will fail to read to the end.