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FOR THE FREE AND UNLIMITED COINAGE OF SILVER AND GOLD AT THE PARITY RATIO OF SIXTEEN TO ONE WITHOUT REFERENCE TO ANY OTHER NATION ON EARTH.

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MONON TIME TABLE.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 5	10:52 A.M.
No. 3	11:23 P.M.
No. 30	6:21 P.M.
No. 45	8:25 P.M.
NORTH BOUND.	
No. 6	3:25 P.M.
No. 4	4:45 A.M.
No. 40	7:39 A.M.
No. 46	10:00 A.M.
No. 74	9:56 P.M.

*stop on signal.

†daily except Sunday.

THE POST OFFICE.

Money Order Fees.

The post office is an institution run upon the principle of the very best service at actual cost. Money sent by its order system is the very safest, most convenient and the cheapest means of transportation. Every cent that is paid for stamps, or for fees is that much of the nation's taxes paid. It is the duty of all good citizens to patronize the post office in every way possible. The following are the rates:

Orders not exceeding \$2.50 3c.

Orders not exceeding \$5.00 5c.

Orders not exceeding \$10.00 8c.

Orders not exceeding \$20.00 10c.

Orders not exceeding \$30.00 12c.

Orders not exceeding \$40.00 15c.

Orders not exceeding \$50.00 18c.

Orders not exceeding \$60.00 20c.

Orders not exceeding \$75.00 25c.

Orders not exceeding \$100.00 30c.

Rates of Postage.

Merchandise, for each oz. 1c.

Books, printed matter, 2 oz. 1c.

Newspapers, 4 oz. 1c.

Newspapers, (by publisher) 1 lb 1c.

Letters (Canada, Mexico) 1 oz 2c.

Letters, Foreign, 1/2 oz. 5c.

Registering fee, additional. 8c.

Arrivals and Departures.

Mails arrive—7 a.m., 10:52 a.m., and 3:25 p.m.

Mails close—10:22 a.m., 2:55 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Office hours—7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Star Route Mails.

Leave for Blackford and Aix Tuesdays and Saturdays at 1 p.m., returning same day. Pleasant Grove and Valma daily at 12:30 p.m. Collegeville daily at 8:15 a.m.

Call on Melvan Kenton at Surrey for gas burnt tile. Any size, good quality and reasonable.

Nursery Stock for Sale.

I have a full line of fruit trees at Iliff's livery barn. Will sell cheap. Apply to J. F. Iliff.

J. A. WOODIN.

An Unexpected Cut.

Best galvanized barb wire, \$2.35 per 100 lbs; staples to accompany wire, at same price. G. M. WILCOX, Surrey.

Agents Wanted.

To handle the Fountain Rubber Scrubber, also the best rubber window washer and dryer ever made. If you mean business send stamps for circulars and terms.

Fountain Rubber Scrubber Works, Fort Mandison, Iowa.

Short Order Restaurant.

T. H. Robertson has opened up a first class restaurant next to Huff's jewelry store in Rensselaer, where he will serve meals as ordered at all hours. He solicits a share of the public's patronage and assuring all that they will be given the best of service and courteous treatment.

BUCKLIN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. B. Meyer.

Money to Loan.

The undersigned have made arrangements whereby they are able to make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest, with the usual commission. Interest payable at the end of the year. Partial payments can be made on Jan. 1st of any year. Call and see us before making your loan; our money is as cheap and easy as any on the market. Information regarding the loans made by the Atkinson & Rigler Agency at Wabash, Ind., can be had at our office, up stairs in Williams-Stockton building, opposite court house.

WARREN & IRWIN.

SHE WILL WITHDRAW

TOO MUCH PRAYING.

Capt. McGiffin Tells How the Battle of Yalu Was Lost.

New York, May 1—Commander Philo N. McGiffin, who had command of the Chinese ironclad Chin Yuen at the battle of Yalu, arrived here from Liverpool and is stopping at the Astor house. The commander received a number of wounds in the fight and is still somewhat deaf. He has a tattered uniform of the Chinese navy which he wore on the Chen Yuen during the naval battle.

He says it was a stubborn fight and was lost to the Chinese chiefly because they had no shells to use, while the Japanese were well supplied. The Chinese shot passed through the enemy's ships without doing any great damage. The commander carries two wounds in his left thigh. Commodore Lin was supposed to be in command, but was down in his room praying to the gods to preserve him. The commander will soon go to his home at Washington, Pa. He did not come back by the Pacific, as the Japanese had a reward of \$5,000 standing for his capture dead or alive. Mr. McGiffin has been in the Chinese naval service for twelve years. He founded the naval institute at Wei-Hai-Wei and did considerable surveying in Corea.

IMMIGRATION FALLING OFF.

Decrease of 77,664 Appears in Official Figures for Last Nine Months.

Washington, May 1—Statistics of immigration for the last nine months, ending March 31, 1895, show a decided decrease in the tide of immigration to this country. The tables show: Number of immigrants arrived in the United States for the nine months ending March 31, as follows: 1893, 259,564; 1894, 218,644; 1895, 140,980; decrease in 1895 over 1894, 35 per cent, or 77,554. Amount of money brought by immigrants, nine months ending March 31, 1895, \$2,395,846, or about \$17 per head. Of the total immigrants landed, 138,440 came from Europe. The sex of the 140,980 landed from Europe and elsewhere, 75,928 males, 64,052 females. The greater number, 21,564, came from Ireland, 16,116 from England, 21,100 from Germany, 19,180 from Russia, and 16,125 from Italy. Of the 140,980 immigrants landed, 19,602 could neither read nor write. Of this class 5,862 came from Italy, 4,519 from Russia, and 1,399 from Ireland. The greatest per cent of illiteracy is shown in the Italian and Russian immigrants.

Gould Talks of His Yacht.

New York, May 1—George J. Gould and his family sailed on the New York for Southampton this morning. They will remain abroad until July, coming back to this country in time for Mr. Gould to enter his yacht Vigilant in the trial races which will be sailed to choose a competitor for the America's cup races. Mr. Gould said that the performance of the Vigilant in her trip across the ocean was gratifying to him and he believed she would give the defender a hard tussle in the trial races. He said that the Vigilant would be put in racing trim at once and that she would be entered in all the prominent spring and summer regattas and races.

Judge's Heart Is Softened.

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—In the United States district court Judge Priest sentenced Ira G. Cook to four years in the Missouri penitentiary for counterfeiting. Judge Priest at first gave Cook seven years. Cook said that he had two little girls and his mother was also living. He drew from his pocket a letter from one of the girls and handed it to the judge. The girl is 10 years old and wrote that she hoped her father would soon be with them and said she and her little sister were going to write to the court to let their papa come home. Judge Priest read the letter and told Cook that his sentence was reduced to four years.

Yellow Fever Aids Cubans.

New York, May 1—A Herald correspondent at Nassau, New Providence, says: "News has been received from Santiago, Cuba, that the ravages of yellow fever, on which the insurgents really to aid them in securing independence, are already apparent in the ranks of the Spanish forces. Many of the soldiers are daily dropping out of the ranks, victims of the disease. Physicians here predict that this will be the worst yellow fever season for many years. The rainy season will soon begin. Then the roads will become impassable even for the infantry."

Takes Part for "Sound Money."

St. Louis, Mo., May 1.—The Commercial Club has decided to send delegates to the "sound money" convention at Memphis. On account of the opposition manifested by a majority of the members of the Merchants' exchange, that organization will not be represented at the convention. Congressman Patterson of Tennessee is expected here soon to induce other commercial bodies to send delegates to the convention.

Haste Results in Death.

El Paso, Texas, May 1—Charles Roberts, residing in Marfa, rushed into the east-bound passenger train at 11:45 o'clock last night to buy a newspaper. The train was moving on his coming out and he collided with Conductor Allen. Both men were knocked down. Roberts going under the wheels. His legs were cut off and he died within a few minutes.

Shoots His Enemy and Surrenders.

Kansas City, Mo., May 1—Charley Clune in Kansas City, Kan., last night, then walked to the police station and surrendered. Eye-witnesses to the shooting say it was done in cold blood. The trouble originated in a quarrel regarding two girls.

Oklahoma Drought Broken.

Kansas City, May 1—Disputes from Oklahoma and Kansas report a general rain last night. In Oklahoma a drought lasting almost nine months is broken and while wheat is beyond help, corn and oats and cotton will be greatly benefited.

GREAT BOOM IN GRAIN.

MAY DELIVERIES CAUSE A ROUSING BULL MARKET.

Wheat at Chicago Up 1 3/4 to 2 Cents. Corn Nearly 2, and Oats 1—Provisions Steady—Wall Street Prices—Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 1.—There was a firmness about the Chicago wheat market this morning which was unmistakable. Although wheat deliveries were calculated all the way from 2,000,000 to 4,000,000 bu. the price for the month opened 16¢ better and moved up 1¢ the first hour. After 14¢ reaction the price for May took another upturn of nearly 1¢ to a point 1 1/4 over last night at mid-day. The July sold up 3¢ early, broke back 2¢ and then moved up to 1¢ over last night. The strength in May or cash wheat was a firm bull feature. The market was dull during the half-hour following 11 o'clock and the only movement of importance was in the industrial stocks. After 11:30 speculation was heavy and prices receded 1/2¢ per cent, except Ohio Southern, which advanced 1 per cent to 19 1/2, and the Leather shares, which continued strong.

Money on call easy; offered at 14 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 @ 5 per cent; sterling exchange, heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 48 1/2 48 1/4 for sixty days; posted rates, 48 1/2—48 1/4 for forty days; 48 1/2—48 1/4 for thirty days; 48 1/2—48 1/4 for twenty days; 48 1/2—48 1/4 for fifteen days; 48 1/2—48 1/4 for ten days; 48 1/2—48 1/4 for five days.

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