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LABORERS' FIND OF ANCIENT COINS.

While digging in a field in Gothland, England, a laborer found some coins dating from the year 1000, and a further and more exhaustive search brought to light about seven thousand Anglo-Saxon and 1,000 Byzantine coins.

The authorities were acquainted with the discovery, and the valuable collection is to be transferred to the museum at Copenhagen.

A National Waste.

The United States grows annually 8,000,000 tons of flax straw, which should produce 2,000,000 tons of finished flax fiber, which, if manufactured into linens, would add millions of dollars every year to the commercial value of the United States.

Sermons at All Prices.

"Brethren," said the visiting preacher, "I've got a eight-dollar sermon, an' I've got a six-dollar sermon, an' I've got a five-dollar one, an' a three-dollar one, an' den I've got one I kin let you have fur jest' one dollar. Now, I want you fur to take up the kerlection right now, an' we'll see which one uv dese sermons you wants."

Bloodthirsty.

Boys used to run away from home with an ambition to go west and fight Indians. A fifteen-year-old lad left his home north of Ahlens the other day and when found in Salina said he wanted to get a job in a garage so as to learn to run an automobile.

At a Funeral.

A writer in the London Lancet mentions lurid incidents at a funeral. A man was supposed to have run danger of being buried alive; for when his coffin was moved a knocking sound was heard within.

Not Mixing It Up.

Mrs. Sububs (sternly)—"Norah, are you aware that the furnace went out last night? Why don't you start it?" New Servant (calmly)—"It's on account iv me peaceful disposition, ma'am; I never start anything in another person's house!"

An Exception.

She (protestingly)—"That's just like you men. A man never gets into trouble without dragging some woman in with him. He—Oh, I don't know. How about Jonah in the whale?"—Boston Transcript.

In the Midst of It.

"Did you find that local atmosphere you were looking for?" "It found me," responded the novelist. "I got mixed up with a cyclone before I had been fooling around two days."—Pittsburg Post.

Mourning Wedding Rings.

In Russia it is the custom for peasant women to have their wedding rings covered with black crepe upon the death of their husbands and to wear them so decorated for six months.

Not Counted.

"Mamma, are the hairs of our head all numbered?" "Yes, darling." "Well, then, how many is there is that wad o' hair you leave on the dresser at night?"

SHOW REAL EFFECT

VALUE OF PAYNE BILL PROVED BY CUSTOMS REPORTS.

Figures Refute Absurd Claim Made That the Tariff Had Not Been Revised With a View to Reduction.

After many years of tariff controversy, in which each side has supported its intentions with its own arrangement of the same figures, the prudent reader has learned to regard any general conclusions drawn from tariff statistics with reserve.

The revenue yielded during this period, to begin with, \$252,000,000, was greater than was yielded in a like period by any previous tariff.

Of more importance than this is the statement that the proportion of importations free of duty is greater than under any previous tariff, except during the period of the McKinley tariff, which admitted sugar free.

The extension of the free list is generally understood. Controversy has been chiefly whether the actual duties upon dutiable imports had been revised upward or downward.

We need take these figures only for what they show, and without reference to particular commodities. They at least justify the general claim that the revision of the tariff has not only removed many duties previously imposed, but has generally lowered the average of duties retained, while at the same time the revenue derived from customs has increased.

HAS PROVED ITS GOOD FAITH

Government's Triumph in Sugar Refining Cases Stands as a Rebuke to Calumny.

The conviction of Secretary Charles R. Heike of the American Sugar Refining company is a smashing answer to a vast deal of cynical comment which has followed this trial from its original inception.

It has been freely said that the government would never really seek to punish the higher officials through whose orders the outrageous weighing frauds upon the government were committed.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding all these bits of wisdom the secretary of the American Sugar Refining company now faces the same prison sentence which faces his humble subordinates.

Tariff Attack III Timed.

Democrats who expect to put Republicans on the defensive on the tariff schedules will find out their mistake when the campaign opens up.

Proper Credit Withheld.

When this administration does something pre-eminently Rooseveltian, the country does not seem to rise to it.

A Smallpox Plague.

London had a population of about two hundred and fifty thousand in 1740, in which year there were 2,725 deaths from smallpox.

SAFE IN REPUBLICAN HANDS

Practical Impossibility That the Democrats Will Soon Control National Legislation.

"I would rather be speaker for two years than United States senator for 18," Representative Champ Clark of Missouri is reported as saying.

Mr. Clark may be exaggerating a little about that 18 years in the senate as not to be compared with two years in the speaker's chair, but due allowance must be made for enthusiasm.

Well, suppose, for the sake of argument, he should; what could he accomplish? In any event, the senate would be Republican.

And, in that event, what would become of Speaker Clark, the leader of a lost cause and of a repudiated party?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

President's Rebuke of a Congressman.

Why all this pother about the disinclination of the president to receive Congressman Francis Burton Harrison? The New York congressman made some offensive remarks about the president.

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For example, that anthracite coal joined the upward procession; no tariff. A tariff on many cotton manufactures, which have scarcely advanced, though raw material and labor have.

There is plenty more. Let's have it all, faithfully and officially. Then, perhaps, the people of the United States will understand that this cost of living question is a problem rather deeper than the average shallow pate that undertakes to show us why something is that isn't and something isn't that is.—New York Press.

Firm and Manly Protectionist.

Vice-President Sherman made a forcible and effective address in St. Louis, where he spoke before the Citizens' Industrial association, most of his talk relating to the tariff and to some misconceptions regarding the present law.

The President and the Bench.

In little more than a year the president has had two vacancies on the Supreme bench to fill, and has filled them both in a way to meet the approbation of the country regardless of party.

A Complete Equipment.

"Suppose there shouldn't be a flood after all," said Japhet after he had fed the animals.

HOW LANGE MAKES SILVER

Scranton Alchemist Tells Secret of Turning Base Metals Into More Precious Stuff.

Scranton, Pa.—Dr. F. W. Lange, the Scranton physician and amateur alchemist in whose laboratory Charles C. Dickinson, the banker, inhaled the fumes which were the remote cause of his death, has given out a signed statement discussing his supposed discovery of a means to transmute base metals into silver.

Doctor Lange's first experience with metals was gained as an apprentice tinsmith in Scranton, where he was born in 1861. He began work in the tinshop when he was fifteen and by working days and studying nights, saved money and prepared himself to enter Wesleyan university, at Middletown, Conn.

He studied chemistry under Professor Atwater and biology under Professor Conn, and after taking his degree of bachelor of philosophy in 1888



Dr. F. W. Lange.

entered Hahnemann college, in Philadelphia, where he was graduated in 1891. Since then Doctor Lange has practised medicine and has interested himself in several industrial enterprises.

In his statement, which he calls "The true story of Dr. F. W. Lange's sensational discovery," he discusses in very general terms his reported discovery of at least a piece of the philosopher's stone and says:

"What I have been evolving may be an apparent confirmation of the theory of alchemy, in which, however, I have no interest, as the things that interest me are only such things as can be done scientifically."

At the same time he asks in large capitals; "Is my new metal silver? Does its manufacture mean that I have transmuted metals?"

"An investigation of the chemicals involved in the preparation of a new smokeless powder," Doctor Lange says, led him into investigation "along the lines of nitrates and chlorides and the carbonates."

This then is Doctor Lange's specific claim that he is able to combine silver with fluxes and obtain a greatly increased amount of silver.

As to how far in his opinion the growing of silver can be carried, Doctor Lange says that the report that he can make a ton of silver from an original small quantity is quite ridiculous and that he has succeeded "in multiplying molecules in that proportion."

Reviewing his discovery Doctor Lange says that while his discovery "may be an apparent confirmation of the theory of alchemy," that doesn't interest him, and that he does not care "to waste time about the philosopher's stone."

Bunyan's Birthplace.

Judith, countess of Huntingdon, the niece of William the Conqueror, who founded the abbey which gave its name to the hamlet of Elstow gathered about its gates; Sir Humphrey Radcliffe, into whose hands the property passed at the dissolution of the monastery; and the Hillesdon family, who afterwards built their mansion there, would be but names on a rarely turned page of history.

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MIGHT HELP HIM.



"Do you think Miss Pink would marry me if I should ask?" "She might. Women are proverbially foolish."

SKIN BEAUTY PROMOTED

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Grief is the agony of an instant. The indulgence of grief is the blunder of a life.—Dunegan.

Stimulate the heart to love and the mind to be early accurate, and all other virtues will rise of their own accord, and all vices will be thrown out.—Coleridge.

Right Name at Last.

"Let me show you our latest novelty," said the clerk in the haberdashery. "Here is the 'north pole' collar button. Named in honor of Cook and Peary."

"By Jove!" laughed the humorous customer. "They couldn't find a better name for a collar button."

"Because it is so hard to locate."

Good Scheme.

"It's a shame," commented the friend of the restaurant proprietor.

"What's a shame?" asked the restaurant man in surprise.

"Why, that you should give that pretty waitress all the tough steaks for the patrons at her table."

"Oh, I pay her extra for that. You see she is so pretty not one man would kick if the steaks were so tough they pulled his teeth out."

Paired.

She was an amiable old lady, and volunteered much information to the fair stranger who had come down to see an important event in the country town—the laying of the foundation stone of the new church.

"Yes," prattled the old lady, "that is the duke and duchess, and the couple behind them are the mayor and mayress; and those two to the right are the vicar and—er—vixen."

A Tart Tongue.

Col. Robert C. Carter, at a Nashville banquet, was talking about campaign comrades.

"Then there was Dash of Company A," he said. "Dash had the reputation of being the nastiest-tongued man in the regiment."

"It was Private Dash, you know, who, out foraging one evening on a rich estate, came accidentally upon the owner's wife, a grande dame in evening dress."

"Dash asked her for food. She refused him. He asked again. But, still refusing, she walked away."

"No," she said, "I'll give you nothing, trespassing like this! I'll give you nothing. My mind is made up."

"Made up, is it?" said Dash. "Like the rest of you, eh?"

Post Toasties

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To Make Table Cloths Last. Table linen is expensive. It costs more today than it did five years ago. When it begins to wear in holes, to come from the wash with worn spots that tell how soon it will be no good, no wonder the housewife despair.

Honored by the Governor.

Effusive compliments have been paid to Governor Marshall many times, but it remained for an old Irish woman to cap the climax.

"Ah," she said, "an 'tis the gov'nor," and she swallowed up the governor's slim right hand in her own right hand, made large and muscular by many days of toil.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Similarity. Eva—Then you are not fond of pressed flowers? Jack—No, they always remind me of a kiss through a telephone.

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Not a Musician. "What is a man called who plays on a saxophone?" "You mean what does he call himself or what do his hearers call him?"

PERRY DAVIS' PAINKILLER is the best, safest and surest remedy for cramps, colic and diarrhea.

It is quite useless expecting to find perfection when we do so little to promote it ourselves.—Royston.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, featuring a circular logo and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

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