

A FETTERED whale has been found in Central America 3,200 feet above the level of the sea.

WILLIAM S. CARROLL, president of the People's Bank of Baltimore, it is stated, will be appointed Consul to Dresden, Germany.

A TRAVELING bank is projected in Idaho, to accommodate a few towns on Kootenai lake, neither of which can support a bank of its own.

NOAH ALLEN, the attorney of the striking coal miners, in Kansas, admits practically that they are about ready to strike and are about ready to go to terms.

GOVERNOR PATTON has appointed John M. Buckalew a member of the Indian Fort Commission, and J. Herman Bosler, of Carlisle, and Charles L. Bailey, of Harrisburg, trustees of the Harrisburg Hospital for the Insane.

It has been decided by the Supreme Court of Tennessee that firemen and engineers on colliding trains in accidents caused by the negligence of the conductor or in charge of the train are not entitled to recover damages from railroad companies.

GENERAL GEORGE MORGAN, who was the only surviving general of the Mexican war, died on Wednesday, at Fortress Monroe, Va., where he had gone from his home in Mount Vernon, Ohio, for his health.

Up to date 3700 men in Denver, Colorado, have registered as out of employment, and the list is steadily increasing. Means are being taken to furnish employment and provide food for the hungry and destitute.

THERE are two classes of pensioners that should be dropped as quickly as possible. One is the fraud who got his pension by manufactured testimony and who never should have been given one.

AUGUST 7, 1893, will be an eventful date in the history of nations. The two supreme legislative bodies of the two greatest countries on the globe will be in session and engaged in the most important business.

The circulation statement issued by the treasury department shows that the amount of gold and silver coin and certificates, United States notes and national bank notes in circulation, August 1, was \$1,611,089,017, an increase during the month of July of \$17,327,606.

A SURPRISING discovery has been made by Pension Commissioner Lochren. 16 pensioners, all of whom were employees of the Pension Bureau, had their pensions retarded during Corporal Tanner's regime.

ALL that is required at the extra session of Congress says, the Philadelphia Record, is to repeal the first section of the Sherman law, which directs the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase, from time to time, silver bullion to the amount of 4,500,000 ounces, or so much thereof as may be offered in each month at the market price, and to issue in payment for such purchase of silver bullion Treasury notes of the United States.

It ought not to take them thirty days to fully discuss and repeal the first section of the Sherman act. Congress could then adjourn, after the performance of so valuable a service to the country, and return to Washington on the first Monday in December to discharge the regular business of legislation.

In speaking of the wonderful advance in the price of hay, a Philadelphia Inquirer says: A year ago it was selling at about \$15 per ton. So rapid has been the advance that \$2 per ton has been added to the price during the past ten days, while the present market price for choice to fancy baled hay along the Atlantic seaboard ranges from \$20 to \$23 per ton.

Few people realize what an enormous business the hay trade is. They fully appreciate the importance of "King Cotton," and when they hear occasionally that some prominent broker has been wrecked in a wheat corner, they conclude that much money is made and lost in that cereal, but the hay trade is considered "small potatoes."

The director of the mint has published statistics showing the "amount of money in the world." From his table it is learned that France stands at the head, holding \$1,500,000,000 in coin, besides \$81,000,000 in uncovered notes, making \$40.56 per capita.

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ONLY sixty-eight icebergs have found their way from Arctic waters to the Gulf Stream this year, against 179 "floaters" that were reported last year.

IN 1850 the United States produced 4.3 bushels of wheat for each unit of the population. In 1860 the quantity grown was equal to 5.5 bushels per capita.

IT is estimated that the peach crop the coming season will reach 56,000,000 baskets. The estimate exceeds those of 1891, which was considered an excellent year, the shipment then being about 3,000,000 baskets.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29, 1893. Secretary Charles is the only member of the cabinet at present in Washington, and he has been confined to his house for several days this week by rheumatism, but next week President Cleveland and the other members of the cabinet will be here.

Attempts are numerous at trying to guess the nature of the President's coming message, but it is nonsense for any outside of the cabinet and a few close personal friends of Mr. Cleveland—and they won't talk about it—to pretend to know.

A special from Caldwell, Ohio, reports great destruction to property by the terrible tornado which accompanied the rain. The handsome Presbyterian church was completely wrecked, falling across North street, crashing into the residence of James Kennell, wrecking it.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report. Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

DESTRUCTIVE STORM. WHEELING, W. Va., July 31.—The drought which prevails throughout this section of the state was broken by a terrific thunder and rain storm which swept over the entire country from west to south this evening.

NEW AND OTHER NOTINGS. Tanning is done in this country in about one-quarter the time usually allowed in Europe.

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VETERAN BURNED TO DEATH. IRVINGTON, N. J., July 31.—Frederick Crompton, an inmate of the soldiers' home at Kearney and a veteran of the Second New Jersey regiment, was burned to death here yesterday morning.

THAT SPOTTED SNAKE. SPRINGFIELD, O., August 2.—The appearance of the monster spotted snake at Mutual II on the 21st of the month, has caused people of that vicinity to be greatly excited.

ALLEGED MURDERER'S CONFESSION. MAX SCHAMBERG, Austrian consul at Pittsburg, has received what purports to be the confession of Karl Smetena, made on his death bed in Bohemia, who sets forth that in 1890, he murdered a Pole named Wolkoski and robbed him of \$210, for which crime another Pole named Olkowski was convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for 10 years.

A TERRIBLE CHARGE. CHICAGO, July 31.—In connection with the grand jury investigation into the cold storage warehouse holocaust, a local paper prints a sensational story to the effect that the fire which resulted so disastrously to human life was of incendiary origin, the incentive being a desire to cover up a wholesale theft of goods stored in the warehouse.

SPIKED A WOMAN TO THE FLOOR. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., July 29.—Robbers perpetrated an unheard-of cruelty at the ranch of Maurice Gomez, a wealthy Italian sheep raiser, a few miles from Santa Fe, where his wife and two children were killed, and the murderer, not content with ordinary methods, drove an iron bolt through the woman's body, pinning it to the floor.

MURDER AND LYNCHING. GALVESTON, Tex., Aug. 2.—Near Montgomery three negroes attacked the house of M. Marsh, killed his wife and his wife murdered his infant and cut out the tongue of his seven year old child. His wife is believed to be dying. One negro was caught and lynched. The other two and posse are searching for the others.

A MONUMENT has been dedicated at Chambersburg, commemorating the burning of that place by the Confederates on July 30, 1864.

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