

OUR NEW CURRENCY.

Bills of Same Denomination Will Bear Close Resemblance.

Secretary Gage Inaugurates a Sensible Change—One Dollar Silver Certificates of the New System Are Nearly Ready.

Secretary of the Treasury Gage long ago decided to have bills of the same denomination look alike.

The first of the designs under the new system is for the one-dollar silver certificate. The notes will soon be out.

The central device on the face of the note is an American eagle with wings partly spread, clutching the flag.

The seal upon the silver certificate will be in the same ink. The mechanical work and the technical finish of the engravings are superior to anything ever before issued from the bureau of engraving and printing.

The object of a clear display of white paper on both sides of the note is to afford a safeguard against counterfeiting.

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The present condition of affairs will require this increase, he said. "This must be done in order to permit of the mustering out of the volunteers. The volunteers should be mustered out, and this cannot be done until the army is increased to 100,000.

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WILL MARRY ON CASH BASIS.

California Girl Waives Her Dowry Before Wedding a Chicago Man.

Charles Witte, of Chicago, and Adele Muller, of Santa Barbara, Cal., are about to enter the state of matrimony on a cash basis as well as a mutual understanding.

The contract states that Mr. Witte and Miss Muller are contemplating marriage, and have practically agreed to get married at an early date.

ELECTRICITY FOR PARALYSIS.

A Successful Experiment Made on Two Patients in the State of New Jersey.

Before the Practitioners' club in Newark, N. J., has just been performed an experiment to test electricity as a possible cure for paralysis.

This is the first time patients on stretchers have been brought before the club. The principal demonstrator and speaker was Dr. Peterson, of New York, who said there were four forms in which electricity might be used for paralysis, the static, galvanic, faradic and cyanuric.

MAMMOTH ICE CRUSHER.

Just Launched in England—To Be Used in Keeping Battle Sea Open All Winter.

There has just been launched in England, at the yards of Armstrong, Whitworth & Co., what is, without a doubt, the largest ice-breaking steamer in the world, for its displacement is no less than 3,000 tons.

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PLUCKY WOMAN WHIPS BULL.

Uses a Pitchfork and Saves Edward Able from Death Near Bloomington, N. J.

Edward Able, a farm hand employed by Theodore Timeman, near Bloomington, Hunterdon county, N. J., narrowly escaped being gored to death by a vicious bull.

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NEED NEW LEADERS.

What is Necessary to Open Up a Bright Future for Porto Rico.

Bitter Hatred and Rankling Disensions of the Past Must Be Overiterated by New Blood and New Brains.

It is said in San Juan that Porto Rico needs new leaders—that the men of today are not fit, because of the rankling disensions of the past which cannot be forgotten, to lead the island to the brilliant future that awaits it.

The weight of four centuries of error has torn the Spanish flag from Porto Rico. "The passionate and uncontrolled Spanish government that during its sway succeeded in poisoning all local organizations of administration has also succeeded, by reason of the inevitable influence of constitutional power, in killing the faith of the people.

SCORES EMPEROR WILLIAM.

Duke of Westminster Says He Has Placed Himself Outside the Pale of Civilization.

The duke of Westminster has written a letter in which he says: "After what has been said and recorded in Blue Books about the misdeeds of the sultan and his complicity in the murder of 100,000 of his subjects, I feel that Emperor William's acceptance of the hospitality of a monarch who by a series of unparalleled crimes has placed himself outside the pale of civilization must be deeply regretted and deplored."

TABLET FOR THE OLYMPIA.

City of State of Washington After Which the Cruiser is Named to Give Her a Memorial.

The souvenir committee appointed by the people of Olympia, Wash., have made arrangements for the purchase of a commemorative tablet as the most suitable memorial for the flagship Olympia.

BREAD AND BUTTER CLUB.

Robert Rennett, the hotel proprietor who recently died in Baltimore, was an organizer of the unique Bread and Butter club, at whose annual dinners neither bread nor butter was served.

SWITZERLAND'S RED LAKE.

Lake Morat, in Switzerland, has the curious property of turning red every ten years, owing to the presence of certain aquatic plants which are not known in any other lake in the world.

Bulletin Financier.

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GRAINE DE COTON ET SES PRODUITS.

Grains de coton—Le 50 sacs a par ton.

Table of cotton and product prices, exchange rates, and market movements.

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VINS ET LIQUEURS.

Cognac—In Wood.

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