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THE streets of Wheeling in their present condition should be put on wheels and trundled over the country as a horrible example.

WEST VIRGINIA advances steadily as a producer of pig iron. The product in tons for the past four years shows a handsome actual and relative increase: 1887, 82,311; 1888, 95,259; 1889, 117,900; 1890, 144,970. Nearly the whole of our product is Bessemer pig.

THE opposition of the Patrons of Labor of Marshall county to an appropriation for a World's Fair exhibit, needs explanation. The INTELLIGENCER did not suppose that there was anybody in West Virginia who would not desire the State well represented at Chicago.

LATER reports add to the details of the *Mammoth mine disaster*. Nothing can add to the horror and the heart-aches. If there had been no flaming lamps there would have been no slaughter. The lamp of flame should be driven out of the mine. The electric light is the thing for that hazardous work.

THE INTELLIGENCER is glad to be able to inform the newspapers of the country that they are in error when they say that the Federal election-World's Fair resolution passed the West Virginia Legislature. It passed the House and ran afoul of enough big Democratic snags to lay it away in the Senate. West Virginia has been saved this disgrace.

WHEN Democrats declare that if Congress does not listen to them they won't have anything to do with the World's Fair, they unconsciously say to the country that the Republicans have a higher patriotism than Democrats have, that the failure of the exposition would hurt Republicans more than it would Democrats. This is not what they mean, but it is the meaning of what they say.

ENGLISH manufacturers of cutlery estimate that their business has been cut in half by the McKinley tariff act. This is encouraging to the wage earners of this country, who will have a chance to do this much of the work that has been done across the ocean; and to the users of cutlery, who will presently be buying their cutlery cheaper than ever. So it has been with every manufactured article sufficiently protected.

UNCLE AARON MORGAN'S move in the House of Delegates in behalf of the fish of Fishing creek is altogether commendable. He wants ladders erected for the fish of that much fished stream. There is no other way for the fish of Fishing creek to get away from the fishermen of Wheeling and intermediate points. If the State won't provide them with fire-escapes they are done for.

Convicts on the Public Roads.

At the instance of Delegate Johnston, of Monroe, the House Committee on Penitentiary is instructed to inquire into the expediency of employing convicts on the public roads. It gives the INTELLIGENCER pleasure to second Mr. Johnston's efforts. In no other way can the convicts be so well employed. There would be the very least competition with free labor, which shows no disposition to work on the roads.

A recent excellent job of road building by convict labor in Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, shows what can be done in this way under competent supervision, without which no road-building or road-keeping can amount to anything. The cry of the times is for good roads. Let West Virginia set about to get them, and at the least cost for lasting improvements.

Tinplates.

Some very knowing persons insist that we cannot make tinplates in this country. Very fine specimens adorn the INTELLIGENCER'S sanctum, but nothing of this sort is so instructive as something of another sort from the London *Ironmonger*, which is well up in its business and is not prejudiced in favor of anything American. Says the *Ironmonger*:

The American manufacturers will have many difficulties to contend with, no doubt, but the tariff will make the home market well worthy of being strenuously fought for, and they have accomplished too much already in metallurgy to be daunted by a process such as tinplate making. We do not indulge in prophesy, but if we did we should be inclined to forecast that within three years from now a great many tinplates will be made in the United States. As a natural sequence of that impression we would advise the Welsh manufacturers to lose no time in endeavoring to open up new markets.

However little the Welsh manufacturers may relish the situation, the Anglo-American Free Traders will take even less kindly to it. With the Welshmen it is merely a matter of bread-and-butter; with the other fellows it is a matter of high and mighty principle.

A Lesson of the Storm.

The storm that struck New York last Sunday so demoralized the telegraph service that the chief city of the country was practically cut off from the rest of the country. In fact it was very much cut off from a considerable part of itself. With this great inconvenience came the danger of crossed wires. All which moves the *Tribune* to say:

The plainest possible lesson of this experience is that wires of all kinds in both city and country should be put underground with as little delay as possible. The same lesson was taught by the blizzard, though with less crushing force. But the telegraph companies are extraordinarily slow to learn. Despite all the talk concerning underground wires during the last five years little real progress in that direction has been made. The telegraph, telephone, railway and other companies must see, however, that they cannot afford many visitations like that of yesterday, and that as a matter of self-interest it is their duty to bury their wires as soon as possible.

"As soon as possible" is not very definite, though nothing can well come to pass sooner than that. As we understand the question the burying of wires is even now physically possible. The companies object to the cost and insist that the wires do not work so well underground.

If the wires were to go down often as they did in New York last Sunday and as they did in wheeling a short time ago, no system of underground conduits would be so costly as the overhead system, and the other objections would be removed quickly enough.

Concerning Politics and the World's Fair.

Some of the Democratic Legislatures have gravely resolved that they will appropriate no money for World's Fair exhibits if Congress passes the Federal election bill. An effort was made to commit the Legislature of West Virginia to this childish policy, but good sense on the Democratic side in the Senate has knocked the scheme in the head so far as West Virginia is concerned.

There are some Republican Legislatures in this country. Suppose these were to retaliate in the same childish way and declare that unless Congress passes the election bill they will not permit their respective States to spend a dollar on the World's Fair. This would be quite as just and business-like as what the Democratic Legislatures have done, and what a fine pickle the World's Fair would be in—its failure made certain no matter what Congress might do with the election bill.

The INTELLIGENCER has no thought that any Republican Legislature will place itself in so ridiculous a light before the country. The Democrats who have gone into this peculiar diversion will be allowed to have it all to themselves.

BREAKFAST BUDGET.

Put camphor gum in the box with the silver to prevent it tarnishing.

Decorated china is having its innings at the fashionable dinner parties.

A charitable lady has presented a brand new graveyard to Jefferson City, Missouri.

For rapid pronunciation: An anonymous Ananias is an anomaly and an anachronism.

It is said that the easiest way to clean rubber shoes of any kind is to rub them with vaseline.

The proprietor of a Philadelphia cigar store has posted a sign in his place forbidding smoking.

A cluster of fine ferns frozen in the heart of a block of ice decked a Philadelphia dinner table lately.

"Bleak House," the scene of the novel, and for a time Dickens' residence, is for sale. It is at St. Albans, not far from London.

The great show piece of the recent fruit fair held at Marysville, Cal., was an exact copy of Sutter's famous fort built entirely of oranges.

Kansas City Star: Salt is cheaper in some parts of Kansas than plastering sand. At Knapolis it is selling at from $1 to $3 per wagon load.

A carload of maple sugar was received at St. Joseph, Mo., the other day from Canada. It contained 20,410 pounds, and was valued at $1,480 45.

In sixteen cities of Virginia the negroes own property worth $3,324,542, the greater part of which is real estate. In Richmond their possessions amount to $850,138.

"I am sorry to trouble you so late at night, doctor," apologized a lady patient who had severely burned her hand. To which the man of medicine politely rejoined: "The trouble is a pleasure, madame."

The largest olive oil factory in the world will soon be built at Los Guilicos in Sonoma county, Cal. The plant will cost a quarter of a million. The company has sixty acres of six-year-old trees and is planting 700 acres.

The following is a copy of the return made by a colored constable on a warrant in Liberty county, Ga.: "I have this Day Rest the Body of Kate Ann Lecounte. I have Hir in My Cust. This the 5th day of the 17th of Jan. 1891."

A curious scarfpin worn by a Nashville man is a petrified human eye set in a gold frame. The present owner of this singular ornament found it in Peru while he was on an exploring tour in the land of the Incas with a party of scientists.

"Your cheeks are pale," said a bibulous father, of Jefferson City, Mo., to his daughter, who goes out washing. "Yes, but they wouldn't be colorless only your nose is so red," quietly said the girl, as she raised her eyes to the face of her unfortunate sire.

The matrimonial state can hardly be said to have been extravagantly lauded by the bachelor who exclaimed, "I am glad of it," when he heard that an acquaintance of his was just married, and then, after a moment's reflection, mused aloud: "And yet I don't know why I should be—he never did me any harm."

Experiments were made last week in Lake Como with a submarine cannon. The gun can be lowered to any depth desired and remain quite invisible when in the water. Its projectiles may be discharged at will with most destructive results without the use of electricity. The gun is destined for the defense of ports, bays and gulfs.

Root Hog, or Die.

Globe-Democrat.

Secretary Noble declares that he is in favor of making the Sioux work for a living, "as white people are doing." This is the sensible and practical view of the matter. The policy of supporting Indians in idleness has been thoroughly tested, and the result is a miserable failure. Now let the opposite policy have a fair trial, and see if it will not prove more successful.

"WHAR de precher talk 'bout to-day, Brudder Julius?" "Oh, he tole 'bout Samson beat de Philistines, an you know I mose cry to think dem poor creeters couldn't get no Salvation Oil."

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Protect Your Health.

Cold and moisture combined have a torporizing effect upon the bodily organs, and the digestive and secretive processes are apt to be more tardily performed in winter than in the fall. The same is true, also, of the excretory functions. The bowels are often sluggish and the pores of the skin throw off but little waste matter at this season. The system, therefore, requires opening up a little, and also purifying and regulating and the safest, surest and most thorough tonic and alterative that can be used for these purposes is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Persons who wish to escape the rheumatic twinges, the dyspeptic agonies, the painful disturbances of the bowels, the bilious attacks, and the nervous visitations, so common at this time of the year, will do well to reinforce their systems with this renowned vegetable stomachic and invigorant. It improves the appetite, strengthens the stomach, cheers the spirits, and renovates the whole physique.

WINTER WISDOM.

Exchange.

Don't be afraid of fresh air, but avoid draughts.

Don't go out of doors for a second without extra covering.

In selecting your winter underclothing, choose that which is warm and yet more or less open in texture.

Take off your overcoat when you enter a warm place, whether office or private dwelling, even if your visit is to last only three minutes.

If you catch cold or develop a cough, get rid of it at once. This is better than feeling "blue" and thinking that pneumonia or consumption has marked you as a victim.

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OUR TOTAL AREA.

Size of the Various Counties in West Virginia—Gross Area of the Country.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 28.—The Census Bureau has issued a bulletin showing the area of the United States by States and Territories and by counties. The gross area of the State of West Virginia is 24,780 square miles. The water surface is given as at 135 and the land surface is 24,645. The area of West Virginia in square miles by counties is as follows:

Barbour	395	Mineral	370
Berkeley	320	Monongalia	365
Boone	515	Monroe	460
Braxton	563	Morgan	230
Brooke	84	Nicholas	723
Cabell	309	Ohio	120
Calhoun	266	Pendleton	650
Clay	323	Pleasants	150
Doddridge	475	Pocahontas	765
Fayette	750	Preston	709
Gilmer	230	Putnam	350
Grant	196	Raleigh	570
Greenbrier	1,059	Randolph	1,175
Hampshire	59	Ritchie	512
Hancock	9	Roane	476
Hardy	40	Summers	400
Harrison	464	Taylor	177
Jackson	470	Tucker	500
Jefferson	283	Tyler	330
Kanawha	825	Upshur	350
Lewis	400	Wayne	345
Lincoln	460	Webster	415
Logan	675	Wetzel	550
McDowell	68	Wirt	290
Marion	314	Wood	375
Marshall	248	Wyoming	660
Mason	446		
Mercer	420	Total	24,645

The gross area of the United States is 3,025,600, of which 55,600 is water surface and 2,970,000 is land surface.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Corporal Tanner has been a guest for a few days of Colonel Barker, of Malden, Mass.

Rev. Joseph Cook thinks all rumsellers should be excluded from church membership.

A portrait of Roscoe Conkling by Cuyler Ten Eyck, of Albany, is now on exhibition in New York.

A book on the "Childhood and Youth of Charles Dickens," by Robert Langton will be published soon in London.

Francis W. Newman's volume on the earlier life of his brother, the cardinal, will be published in London at once.

Sir Edward Arnold's residence of several months in Japan has been terminated. He started for home last week.

Captain Schley, of the Baltimore, loves his family, but adores his ship. He says: "She is the finest, fastest and best war vessel in the world."

Charles Villiers, the oldest member of the House of Commons, has been a diner-out for more than sixty years and has his stomach with him yet.

M. Eiffel, whose tower has made his name widely known, is running for legislative office in the Department of the C'ote d'Or as a workingman's candidate.

Walt. Whitman writes to a New York acquaintance: "Am having an extra bad spell these days. May blow over—may not. Best respects to New York friends."

The venerable James Parton works six hours a day at his home in Newburyport. His desk is his place of rest and recreation, for that is what literary occupation means to him.

Miss Rose Coghlan first came to this country from England when a girl, with Miss Lydia Thompson, playing a subordinate part in a company under the management of the latter.

The late Cardinal Simor, though the son of a poor cobler, rose to be the primate of Hungary, who, in point of rank, took precedence of everybody in Hungary except the emperor and empress and the heir apparent.

The Queen of Roumania, during her recent sojourn in England, say foreign papers, visited a needle factory. While watching the work one of the men asked her majesty for a single hair from her head. The Queen granted hisrequest, with a smile. The man, who was engaged in cutting the eyes in the needles, placed the hair under the needle of his machine, bored a hole in it, drew a fine silk thread through the hole and then presented it to the astonished queen.

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