

AVANT COURIER.

AN INCH A YEAR.—A Minnesota farmer gives, in the St. Paul Pioneer, his experience with plowing a field for wheat one inch deeper every year.

THERE seems to be a probability that the prices charged by the first-class hotels in the cities will soon be reduced.

A GENEROUS BUTCHER.—One of the things you read of recently occurred in Wilmington, Delaware. A man was detected hurrying away from a butcher's stall with a steak which he had stolen under his coat.

THE financial editor of the Philadelphia Public Ledger has received a letter from one of the most wise and experienced financiers of the country, in which it is predicted that there will be an abundance of currency in all the channels of trade within sixty days.

HON. ALFRED T. GOSHEN, Director General of the Centennial Commission, on the 19th inst. addressed a circular communication to the Governor of every State and Territory in the Union, soliciting their co-operation in getting up State Boards for the purpose of securing thorough representation at the exhibition.

SHOULD the Queen Victoria attend the marriage of her son, the Duke of Edinburgh, in St. Petersburg, in January next, it will be the first instance in which a royal personage has visited a foreign country to witness and honor such a ceremonial.

A SPREAD EAGLE orator of New York State wanted the wings of the bird to fly to every town and county, to every village and hamlet in the broad land, but he witted when a nauty boy in the crowd sang out, "You would be shot for a goose before you had flew a mile!"

Among the leading names chosen to the Legislature of Massachusetts will be found that of Gen. N. P. Banks to the Senate by a large majority, and to the Lower House, Charles Hale, ex-Congressman to Egypt, and ex-Secretary of State.

OUT of forty girls at a boarding school, none of them could tell how many years George Washington was President, but they knew to a cent the cost of any kind of bustles in the market.

A VERMONT woman undertook to paint the cellar stairs. She found a pail of paint and commenced at the top, painting herself into the cellar, and had to crawl out of the window.

AN Illinois woman, who wanted to go to a masquerade party as Mary Queen of Scots, looked through the Bible to see how the character was dressed.

A MAN advertises for a competent person to undertake the sale of a new medicine, and adds that "it will be highly lucrative to the undertaker."

THERE is said to be a man in New York so thin that he can keep cool at any time by standing in the shade of a lamp post.

TWO Cincinnati Commercial calls Secretary Richardson's five-dollar reimbursement of specie payments "a homage to finance."

Excellent Interest Rules.

For finding the interest of any principal for any number of days. The answer in each case being in cents, separate the two right hand figures of answer to express in dollars and cents.

Four per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 9.

Five per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 72.

Six per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 60.

Eight per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 45.

Nine per cent.—Multiply by number of days, separate right hand figure, and divide by 4.

Ten per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 36.

Twelve per cent.—Multiply by number of days, separate right hand figure, and divide by 3.

Fifteen per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 24.

Eighteen per cent.—Multiply by number of days, separate right hand figure, and divide by 2.

Twenty per cent.—Multiply by number of days and divide by 18.

Twenty-four per cent.—Multiply by number of days, and divide by 15.

GEMS OF THOUGHT.—Religion on the tongue, and self in the heart, is the way of the world.

Write your name with kindness, love and mercy on the hearts of the people you come in contact with, year by year, and you will never be forgotten.

A mother has no right to bring up a daughter without teaching her how to keep house, and if she has an intelligent regard for her daughter's happiness, will not do it.

Education begins with a mother's or a father's nod, with a sister's gentle pressure of the hand, or a brother's noble act of forbearance; with pleasant walks in shady lanes; and with thoughts directed in sweet and kindly tones and words, to nature, to beauty, to acts of benevolence, to deeds of virtue, and to the source of all good, to the Almighty himself.

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