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LARGE DEALINGS IN ANIMALS.

Carl Hagenbeck, the largest dealer in wild animals in the world, said to a New York reporter :

"I have been a dealer in wild animals ever since I was sixteen years of age, and now have agents in Nubia, India, South America, Algeria and Sumali. I sent out my expeditions in September, and they usually return in the following July. Of course these expeditions are expensive. This is how I take care of my large stock of animals and curiosities: In the building, 120x50 feet, the tigers, lions and leopards are kept. The elephants, dromedaries and ostriches occupy another, 150x40 feet. Two smaller buildings are devoted to alligators, snakes and smaller curiosities. I have twelve aviaries for my birds and two tanks for seals. I am obliged to keep a very large stock constantly on hand. There are in my garden at Hamburg to-day seven Indian and two African elephants, twenty-four ostriches, twenty-four boxes of snakes, two zebras, fifty-five alligators, thirty-three giraffes, a double-horned rhinoceros, fifteen camels, and a host of other things."

"What does a good menagerie cost?" asked the reporter.

"All the way from \$25,000 up," was the reply. "Elephants bring from \$1,500 to \$20,000—the cost of Jumbo. Some snakes are worth from \$25 to \$150. I send out a dozen menageries every year in Europe on my own hook. I have furnished the United States with seven-tenths of all the animals in her zoological gardens and menageries."

CHEAP READING.—Circulating libraries of an entirely new description are about to be started at St. Petersburg. A society has been founded for the purpose of supplying the horse cars of that city with daily newspapers and illustrated weeklies. Passengers who avail themselves of these literary stores are to dip into a box a copeck for each paper they read. No watch is to be kept over the box, the payment being left to the honor of the readers. The society trusts that it will be only occasionally defrauded.

RICH SOIL.

A pretty good story is told about land agent Milner, of the Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad, who, one day, had a party of eastern farmers in town, trying to sell each of them a farm in the Arkansas valley. Milner had taken them in his light wagon, and behind his spanking team of bays had given them a grand ride, lasting all day. He had done his best to make them enthusiastic, by rehearsing the stories which he had at tongue's end, but to all intents it was "love's labor lost," for they would not enthuse. This annoyed Milner, but he had his revenge in his reply to one of the party, who with a sardonic smile asked :

"Well, Mr. Agent, is there anything that won't grow here?"

"Yes said Milner, "pumpkins won't."

"What!" exclaimed the cynical land-buyers together, "pumpkins won't?"

"No," said Milner, "there are men in this country who would give \$250 an acre for land that would mature a crop of pumpkins. They never have been able to get a crop since I've been here, and that's ten years."

"Well, how strange? Why is it?" said land-buyer No. 1.

This was Milner's chance, and with a serious expression he replied, "Well, sir, the soil is so rich that the vines grow so fast, that they wear the pumpkins out dragging them over the ground."

"Do you know the prisoner?" asked a judge of a witness. "Yes, sir, I do; I know him intimately; he and I were in a bank together at the same time." "Ah, when was that?" was the question of a shrewd lawyer, who was counsel for the prisoner. "Well, as near as I can remember, it was five years ago, and about 3 o'clock in the morning; none of the bank officers were present at the time." The witness was speedily excused.

A sailor who had fallen overboard and was speedily interviewed by a shark, cried out to his enemy: "Have pity on a man who is down!" "My friend," replied the shark, "a man who keeps himself above water is of no use to me. Moral. The man who falls overboard in business can expect no favors of the sheriff."

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ENGLISHTOWN, N. S., JULY & AUG., 1883

Our last number was much later in coming out than we had any idea of when we sent the copy for it to our printer, and we are forced to issue another double number. However, in future we will issue the *ECHO* once a month in its present form. We should like all who receive sample copies of it this month to subscribe, and think it is well worth the subscription price.

Through a mistake, the address of one of our advertisers, Mr. C. F. Black, was printed *Sandy Cove* instead of *Sandy Point*. This advertisement, with correct address, appears in this issue.

We will accept Canada and U. S. postage stamps (if clean and unused) in payment for subscriptions or advertisements, if in sums less than one dollar.

When answering advertisements which appear in this paper, please say, "I saw your advt. in the *MONTHLY ECHO*."

KAMHAMHA'S WAR-CLOAK.

The Sandwich Island chiefs used to wear on ceremonious occasions cloaks made of feathers. Each feather was fastened separately into a loop of fine string, so that the inside of the cloak resembled a costly woven net. So smoothly were the feathers laid on the surface that the cloak appeared as a rich, glossy fabric. Miss Cummings in her recent work of the kingdom Hawaii, entitled "The Fire Fountain," gives the following description of the feather cloak of the great Kamchameha, which is still worn as a coronation robe:

"One very rare and precious feather was reserved by the hunters for the king, who alone had the privilege of wearing a cloak of these glossy, golden treasures.

The birds which yields this priceless treasure is Oo, or royal bird, a species of honeysucker, peculiar to certain mountainous districts of these isles. It is of a glossy black, and its tiny golden feathers are underneath the wing, one on either side.

"The birds ere now very rare, though the method of gathering the annual harvest does not involve their destruction. It was the great Kamchameha I. who first thought of saving their lives, and ordered the bird-catchers to set the birds free when they had plucked the the two coveted feathers.

"The feathers are only an inch long, sharp-pointed and very delicate. Five sell for a dollar and a half. Kamchameha's war cloak is said to represent all the the feathers collected by eight or ten successive chiefs.

"One of these feathered cloaks had descended to the late king. It was a square of six feet; and when the well-beloved died in his prime, and lay in state at the Ioloni palace, he was laid on the priceless cloth of gold.

"At the bidding of his father, it was wrapped round him as a kingly shroud. 'He is the last of our race,' said the weeping chief; 'it is his.' So the cloak, which, according to Hawaiian estimate, was valued at \$100,000, was buried with him who alone was entitled to wear it.

OUR WORD HUNT.

To the persons forming the largest list of words from the word

ZINCODE,

we will give the following prizes:—

1st, "Hunting the Lion," bound in cloth; 2nd, 6 month subscription to "Farm, Field and Fireside;" 3rd, "St. Ronan's Well," by Sir Walter Scott; 4th, "The Missing Diamonds." To the next 5, a nice chromo.

CONDITIONS.

Only words found in Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, latest edition, without the Supplement, to be used.

All lists must be arranged in alphabetical order and be numbered. No proper names, abbreviations, contractions, prefixes, suffixes, or obsolete words are to be used. No letter to be used twice in the formation of a word. Competitors must be subscribers to the ECHO; subscriptions may be sent in with the lists, however.

All lists must be in by Oct. 15th. Names of prize-winners will appear in the October number.

The prizes offered in our April contest on the word "Mineral" were awarded as follows:

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We give any easy word this month and should like all word-hunters who receive a copy of this paper to make up a list from "Zincode" and send in at once. There were not a great many competitors on the word "Mineral" but we hope we shall have more lists in our new competition than in any of our former Word Hunts. The awards on the Scripture Word Hunt will be given in the September number.

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MONTHLY ECHO.

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NEW ISSUES.

Ceylon—The 2½ rupee stamp has been surcharged "40 cents" and the 2-cent card "12 cents."

Cyprus—The one half piastre is issued in yellow.

Grenada—A new series appeared some time ago: 1½ penny, green; 1 penny, rose; 2½ pence, blue; 4 pence, grey; 6 pence, lilac; 1 shilling, violet.

Norway—Two new stamps have lately been issued having the same design as the 2 ore. They are 5 ore, rose, and 8 ore, grey.

Tasmania—A new stamped envelope, value, 2 pence is now in issue.

Tobago—The 6-pence stamp has been surcharged "2½ pence" in black.

U. S. of Colombia—A new series has lately appeared as follows: 1 centavo, green; 2 centavos, red; 2½ centavos, violet; 5 centavos, blue; 10 centavos, orange; 20 centavos, brown; 1 peso, lilac.

NOTES.

When answering advertisements which appear in this issue, please mention the "MONTHLY ECHO."

We have also some splendid specimens of N. S. and Nfld. stamps to dispose of. If you need any write us.

In the late exhibition of stamps held in Vienna, four hundred and fifteen varieties of Persian stamps were displayed.

The government of the Sandwich Islands has applied for, and been granted permission to have its silver coined at the San Francisco mint.

The early Prince Edward Island stamps were engraved by Charles W. King of London, and were authorized by George Dundas, Esq., Lieutenant Governor in 1860. They were issued January 1, 1861.

There are two distinct dies of the latest engraved 10 cent Confederate stamp, and collectors by examining their specimens

will notice the difference in the shape of the neck and the arrangement of the hair in the portrait. There is also a variety with an engraved line drawn around the margin of the stamp.

The presence of some recognition of God on American coinage was first suggested to the director of the mint twenty-two years ago by a foreign missionary, who told him that he was perpetually being asked by Moslems if Americans did not worship the women on their coins, and, if not, why they did not recognize their God, then.

PRINTING OF U. S. REVENUE STAMPS.

—The printing of revenue stamps was begun by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing in 1877, the work having previously being performed by the bank-note companies. Since that time there have been delivered to the Internal Revenue Bureau 2,544,000,000 stamps. The Bureau has sold more than 2,361,000,000 stamps. The inventory of stamps on hand discloses the fact that not one single stamp is missing. The stamps which the Bureau has sold have all been sent away by registered mail. Not a single package has been lost during the entire time; one or two packages have gone astray, but they have been traced up with but little delay.

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