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PROSPERITY AND GOLD.

Since it became apparent that McKinley was elected, the wires have brought three important items of information, each of which, in itself, is a peculiarly significant evidence that an era of prosperity is dawning on the United States.

These items are: 1. A great rise in American securities in Europe, and a demand for them which has caused brokers making bulls in Gaulic efforts to buy them for customers. 2. A great rush upon United States gold treasuries in eastern cities for bills of small denomination, for use in retail business and for pay rolls, in anticipation of a marked revival in business. 3. The offer to the government at various sub-treasuries of large sums of gold in exchange for legal tender currency.

There is no reason to believe that the dispatches communicating these facts have misleaded them. Neither is it possible that the applications for small bills, nor the offerings of gold have been made for political purposes, for they occurred after the ballots had been cast. It therefore follows that they were none but business transactions, made from business motives and pursuant to the laws of trade.

Only one rational significance can be attached to such occurrences: They mean prosperity. Money is leaving its hiding places and seeking to circulate among the people. Languishing enterprises in America will be rejuvenated by the sale of their securities in Europe. The national treasury will be relieved by the free offerings of gold at home in exchange for the more convenient legal tender currency, for the latter is needed by employers for payroll purposes, and by retail dealers to make change with.

So much for the situation actually. How about to-morrow? Why the very name of McKinley is a synonym of high priced wool, and the sheep men of this State ought to feel so exhilarated as to spread cheerfulness like a contagion. A heavy advance in the price of lead may also be confidently counted on, for as soon as the McKinley policy can be applied the American market will say goodbye to the Mexican product.

And then there is sugar. McKinley's friendship for the American article is pronounced and undisguised, and a tariff to harmony with his view, which is a strong and early probability, cannot but boom this industry, which is now fairly well established in Utah, for and make the sunny valleys with their enchanting coloring still are so remarkably well adapted.

Whether or not a protective policy is the best one in the long run for the American government to pursue, is a question upon which the News cares not to offer either argument or opinion; the present purpose being merely to call attention to conditions which the income tax failure seems to offer with reasonable certainty. Had free silver triumphed this State would have reaped enormous benefit; but the defeat of that issue by no means signifies that Utah will run idly increased prosperity.

The simple fact is, Utah was so situated and conditioned that she was bound to be benefited, no matter which way the election went, and her cast in the contest was merely to secure the greater of two blessings. Let the wise prognostications of campaign orators, to the effect that the mountain country would be ruined if the silver cause failed, be forgotten, and the bright future of our young State be remembered instead. From the speaker to the real.

"Price of contest of course so
We can make our lives a year,
And, knowing, were better at,
For our bonnie, a chance to cast."

AVOID "CATCHING HEAT."

Of special interest at this season of the year is the opinion of an English physician that there is not much danger of going from a heated room out into the open, cold air. Dr. William H. Pearse thinks that the best in the house is a good preservative from chill or "catching cold." It is in Russia, central Europe and Canada to a house in the winter generally are made warm with a dry heat, yet the inhabitants, men, women and children, go out into a temperature far below zero without any bad consequences. The fact is that the stimulation and hygienical condition of the circulation and nerves give a great power of resistance to the disease and, preventing chill, until the exercise with its variety of motions raise up and maintain the conditions of resistance. The writer says he has walked at midnight from a highly heated Russian stove Boston Common, in his dress coat only, on a cold, starry night, the temperature about zero. He suffered no inconvenience and felt sure that the stimulus of the heat of the house gave him power of resistance to the cold.

Commenting on the above the Medical Record for October 31 says: Dr. Pearse is undoubtedly correct in his observation that one can come from a hot room into the cold outer air and run but little chance of catching cold. The danger is rather in entering a hot room from without, and especially in meeting an overheated and ill-ventilated apartment filled with excremental products from the lungs and skin of its occupiers. A change from a hot to a cold atmosphere can be made safely, but that from extreme cold to hot heat should be made gradually, if we would avoid the catarrhal consequences of "catching heat."

It would seem from that for the preservation of health during the cold season it is more important to avoid "receiving the Pleiades" than "catching cold."

THE CLONDIE FIELDS.

The news of the action of the Mining court at Pretoria, in the Transvaal, will awaken special interest among the operators of gold mines in this country. The opinion prevails of reversing the patent issued to a great number of twenty acres in Clondie and was patented. There have been several lawsuits over it already in the United States, and in those decided, including one in Utah, the gold workers have been required to pay a handsome royalty to the patentees. Now, however, in the home of the process, upon the soil of the gold mine owners, the patent has been declared void. The validity of this patent, which the courts in this country did not question recently, was a basis for the decisions rendered here. As we understand it, the setting aside of the McArthur-Forrest patent is the way it has been done dispose of the whole ground of the patentees for claiming a royalty, and hereafter gold mine owners in Utah and elsewhere can use the cyanide process without paying the heavy tribute that has been required. In the event of this being the case, and it is all but certainly assured, still lower grades of gold ore than have been worked up with profit can be handled, and gold mining consequently will receive another impetus.

DEPENDS ON THE STARS.

Advices from Pekin are to the effect that all sorts of alarming rumors are circulating among the superstitious subjects of the Chinese emperor. In the spring of 1894 people noticed a strange star or combination of stars over the eastern gates of the capital, and one astronomer claimed to have seen a flaming dragon fall from the sky. The prediction was made that some great calamity would come over the empire from the east; that the emperor would be deposed and a new ruler would ascend his throne. The war with Japan is looked upon as a partial fulfillment of the prediction, and now the rumors about a fall of the dynasty are being revived again. It is looked upon as inevitably decreed by fate and written in the stars. The imperial house has been visited by several calamities this year. The mother of the emperor died, supposedly as a result of the treatment she received at the hands of the empress, and his brother died as a consequence of injuries sustained by the fall from a carriage. The emperor is without an heir, and this is regarded as a punishment of Heaven for his supposed wrong-doings. Should another strange star appear, in which astrologers might discover signs of disaster, it is thought to be almost certain that there would be a rising among the people of enormous magnitude.

THE SCHOOL ELECTION.

The opening of December is to witness another election, in which there are to be filled offices of great importance in cities of the first and second classes in this state. With the existing campaign just closed, it is probable that the December event will not awaken much interest. Yet it is advisable to the welfare of the people in the cities named to pay lightly over the matter. The December election is for members of the board of education, in whose control, in this city, is the school system in which are being trained more than ten thousand children, soon destined to be the men and women on whose course in life the success of the community depends. That responsibility alone should be sufficient to awaken a lively interest on the part of every parent in the community. Further, in this city the school board handles annually nearly half a million dollars of the public school funds, and has in charge more than a million dollars' worth of public school property. In other places the amount is proportionately and simply to give the taxpayer reason to actively engaging in the selection of persons to fill the important office. It is therefore not too much to say that every voter ought to be interested in choosing for these school officers persons whose honesty, ability and sanity for the position are beyond question. In the present arrangement of the law, there is no salary attached to the office of member of the board of education elected since the census of the act of the late Legislature. Those elected previously have been entitled to a small salary, but for the future it is intended, but in this may seem to some who are not subject to judicious to require public service without reasonable compensation for the time necessarily to do it well. In this condition the members should come from those who can afford the time from other business, and who will not attempt to make up from perquisites a compensation that is denied by the law. And the voters ought to take enough interest to see to that this is accomplished. It is not likely that any scheming politician will want a place on the board unless there is a rebate in sight, hence it may be safe to assume that the office will seek the tournament. In this way the voters will have to do the work, and it is to be hoped that there will be no such lack of interest as to prevent the duty being performed in a way that will redound to the continued progress of efficient school operations.

A HINT FOR WELLS.

In view of the fact that very many people in this part of the world are under the necessity of using well water for drinking and for culinary purposes, the suggestion of Dr. Koch, of a means to avoid typhoid fever and other germ diseases which result from bad drainage into wells, should be worth interest and profit. The doctor advises that an iron tube, two or three inches in diameter—with its lower end perforate—be placed in the center of the well, and the surrounding space filled with fine gravel up to the highest point of water level. This is then covered with sand to the top of the well, and a pump attached to the end of the tube makes a very effective well. All water, in passing through the layers of sand and gravel, is effectively filtered, and the affrighting organisms among the filth into harmless nitrates. A filter-bed like this removes, too, from 80 to 90 per cent. of the bacteria, and very greatly lessens the danger to which all are subjected who drink shallow well water. There are instances of wells in Salt Lake county provided with eight-inch galvanized pipe arranged as Dr. Koch recommends, and which have given the utmost satisfaction, the water always being clean, clear and cool, with no instance of sickness following its use, such as some from wells open to drainage from the surrounding soil.

APPLES AND COMPLEXION.

Utah girls as a rule are not in need of complexion purifiers—of course. The purity and tenuousness of the air, the excellent opportunities for exercise, and the healthful food available to all, do the necessary work effectively. But there may be some few who do not enjoy these advantages—who are troubled with bad digestion, which physicians usually trace to a bad liver. To such the suggestion of Popular Science News as to a cheap and pleasant remedy for a sluggish liver may come as a boon. It points out that the best liver regulator for persons of sedentary habits—and those are the ones whose complexions are sallow—is to be found in apples, eaten baked if they are not well digested when eaten raw. In support of this it gives results of tests made by Dr. Cullison, who attended the pupils at a large boarding house, and noticed among them a country girl whose complexion was the envy of all her associates. He found that she was a very light eater at her meals, but had a peculiar custom of taking a plate of apples to her room at night, and eating them slowly as she studied her lessons. This was her regular practice. At the doctor's instance, other girls in the institution took it up, and a result thereof, established to a within the personal knowledge of the doctor, was that the apple-eating girls had the best complexion of any in the school. Subsequent experience of other physicians confirms the beneficial influence of the apple treatment upon the complexion, and upon the general health of those with torpid liver. Of course, no treatment in diet will atone for excessive nervous strain or lack of exercise and cleanliness, but where these requisites obtaining the other often becomes a valuable factor in producing a desirable healthy condition in both digestion and complexion.

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