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BE SURE TO VOTE

Tomorrow, Nov. 5th, is a great day for those who hold the elective franchise in Utah. For the first time they have the privilege, under an enabling act passed by Congress, of voting on the adoption of a State Constitution and for the election of State officers. It is for them to say whether they shall accept the full powers of American citizenship in both national and local self government, or will remain under the yoke of territorial bondage that is galling to those who have imbibed the spirit of American liberty. The decision in this matter is of vital importance to Utah, present and future.

Some of the electors may not be altogether satisfied with just what the Constitution provides, in that it contains too much or too little to suit their particular fancy; but every patriot among them, every worthy man, will have no hesitancy in saying that he will not demean himself by striking a blow at the greater boon of Statehood merely because something that is incident thereto is not specially to his liking. Rising above comparatively small things, he will give to Statehood his full and earnest support and leave incidental matters to the settlement of time and the people. Such is the course of the manly American citizen. Believing that it is with the voters of Utah as the poet says of the heroes of Bunker Hill, "the pulse of freemen, not of slaves, within their bosoms beats," we do not hesitate in avowing our firm conviction that on the morrow the people here will fully vindicate their honor as lovers of freedom by giving an overwhelming majority "For the Constitution, Yes!"

The main question at issue is not a partisan one, and so far as its politics is concerned, the News is in politics to the extent that it is an ardent supporter of Statehood, and advises every one of its readers who can do so to cast his ballot Yes. On the present occasion the obligation of the citizen thus to vote in the affirmative is a solemn duty which he owes to himself, to his country, and to the Supreme Being under whose protecting care the Republic was instituted by the fathers. This duty requires of every voter a ballot "For the Constitution, Yes!"

Moreover, at the coming election it is the duty of every voter to cast his ballot for the men or party of his choice. There should be no skulking, no staying away from the polls. Every man should vote, whatever his ticket; every citizen should deposit his ballot for the men he prefers to support for office, and nothing that is surmountable should be allowed to prevent. That is the way of manly courage. It is the act of voters entitled to wield the sovereign power. To every voter we say, be sure and cast your ballot for those men and for those principles that you think proper to support; and in the interest of progress and prosperity for Utah, let every vote on the Statehood proposition breathe the spirit of Americans and freemen by being "For the Constitution, Yes!"

THE SIBERIAN RAILROAD.

The work now going on in Asia—the construction of a railroad line across the immense steppes of Siberia—is one of the greatest importance. In the first place, it will exceed in length any railroad on the globe by over two thousand miles, the entire length being 4,860 miles from Tobolsk-Isetsk in the Ural mountains to Vladivostock on the coast of the sea of Japan. Before the close of this year, the road will be opened as far as the river Ob, and the government is pushing the work with an energy that promises to have it finished long before the time set for its completion. It is carried on silently and without ostentation, but it is none the less one of the greatest undertakings of the century.

The work was begun in 1891 simultaneously at the two extremities of the line. It will be a single track road with the probability of the necessity of doubling it in a not distant future. The cost is estimated at about $165,000,000, and the government defrays all the expenses.

Concerning the motives that decided the Russian rulers to undertake this gigantic work La Nature points out that they were partly political and partly economical. In former wars, it has been demonstrated that Russia suffered on account of her lack of railroads. With better facilities of communication, she would probably have been able to raise the blockade of Sebastopol in the Crimean war. And in the same way, the destruction of Russian arsenals in Kamtschatka by European fleets proved the necessity of modern lines of communication with the eastern Asiatic coast. And this need has only been emphasized by the recent occurrences there. The conflict between China and Japan may blaze up again, and in that event the Trans-Siberian road will enable Russia to play a more important part than hitherto.

But apart from this, the land traversed by the road is wealthy in resources beyond calculation. In the south the country can be made to produce cereals enough to supply the market of the world. Farther north the immense forests can be used for timber and will be, as soon as transportation facilities are supplied. Metallic deposits are distributed all over Siberia. Iron, lead, silver, copper, platinum and gold are found in abundance, as is also coal. It is therefore evident that the road under construction will be of immense benefit to the Russian empire. By it the commerce of the far East will be transformed. Siberia will be peopled, the current of immigration for years to come being likely to turn that way. Russian statesmen are well aware of the importance of this railroad, and the government will therefore see to it that it is rapidly completed and opened for traffic.

A suggestion has been made that the United States railroad system be extended in Alaska to a terminus at Behring Straits. Such extension would undoubtedly foster a large trade with Asia, where machinery of all kinds will be needed.

Speaking of the Siberian road, the Scientific American observes that it is interesting to note that if an Alaskan road connecting with the United States lines were completed, it would be possible to make the circuit of the globe in one month. The time table is as follows: Five days from New York to the coast; six days to Behring Straits; fourteen days from Behring Straits to London and six days from London to New York.

TOMORROW.

Thirteen states hold general elections tomorrow. Eight of these, Massachusetts, Kentucky, Ohio, Iowa, Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey and Utah will elect governors and other state officers and legislatures; while New York, Pennsylvania, Kansas, Nebraska and Virginia will elect auxiliary state officials and legislative bodies, but not governors.

With only one more day before the result in these various states will be positively known, it would be foolish to risk any reputation for accuracy by offering a prediction as to the result. We content ourselves, therefore, with telling past and present facts.

Eight out of the above named thirteen states are considered Republican by reason of the last election's showing. Utah among the number. It is claimed however, there is quite as much ground to doubt that all these eight will go Republican tomorrow as to doubt that all the others will go Democratic. The really doubtful states among these latter are New Jersey, Maryland and Kentucky.

In Ohio, the senatorial contest quite overshadows the fight for governor. That is the prize that is considered the richest. The Republicans need Ohio's aid in their struggle to again swing the pendulum into the Republican column. As to the gubernatorial, Mr. Campbell's contest, brilliant and brave though it has been, can surely have no real hope of over-coming the 137,000 majority for the Republicans from the last returns.

In Maryland, Senator Gorman is virtually on trial before the voters for his political life. His past management has created something of a revolt in his state, and there is a strong feeling against his return to power. If precedent goes for any thing, however, he has much to encourage him: the political bosses have been generally winning in their preliminary contests thus far this year.

As to Kentucky, where the Republicans have not waged such a hopeless aggressive warfare since the birth of their party, the trouble in the Democratic party appears to be in having a timetable candidate for governor running on a monometallic platform. The candidate is supported by Senator Blackburn, to whom victory means a return to the U. S. Senate. The platform is supported by the Louisville Courier-Journal and influential Democrats of that ilk, who are following Secretary Carlisle's lead in opposing free silver. Between the two, the Republicans have strong hopes.

The chief interest in New York city and state is as to Tammany's fate in the former, and the selection of a legislature in the latter. Owing to divisions and dissensions, the prospects are for Tammany success in the metropolis. As to the state legislature, that is more doubtful, with chances at least favoring the Republicans. Inasmuch as the legislature will elect a successor to Senator Hill, its importance will be readily recognized.

And now as to Utah. The party organs this morning claim the State for each of the great parties—all seemingly agreeing on the proposition that the Constitution will be triumphantly ratified. The political complexion of the new State may therefore at this writing be regarded as doubtful and it is the doubtful, unpledged vote that will tell the story of victory and defeat tomorrow night. With the man who makes claims, like the man who makes bets, the wish is father to the thought; and so far as actual foundation for his faith is concerned, the claimant or the gambler on either side in the Utah contest this year has about as much ground as the other.

HOMESTEAD AND DESERT ENTRY.

SALT LAKE CITY,
November 4, 1895.

To the Editor:

Please answer the following query and greatly oblige several subscribers to your valuable paper: If a person takes up land under the homestead act, does he forfeit his right to the desert act, or is he still allowed, if he so desires, to take up more land under the desert act?

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THE BOSTON Herald announces a sermon in its Sunday issue hereafter, and takes credit to itself for "a new departure." Our esteemed contemporary apparently has not been in the habit of reading carefully its contemporary, the Saturday evening NEWS.

WHATEVER MAY be the returns from Utah, the crop reports from the United States at large show that potatoes are unusually plentiful this year. And yet the hygienists have waited until now to say that the tuber is not very nutritious and is rather indigestible.

VOTE TOMORROW, twice and only twice, but early! Once for the Constitution and State officers, and once for officers under Territorial regulations. Every ballot should represent the intelligence, independence and consistency of the man who casts it.

WHO WINS or loses in the battle of the ballots tomorrow is of small concern compared with the importance of having the ballots represent the full legal number, the thoughtfulness, the intelligence and the patriotism of the voters of Utah.

IT IS still an open question as to which is the more deserving of fame—he who seeks the North Pole for notoriety and freezes his nose and toes, or he who jumps from a high bridge and comes up out of the water a corpse.

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