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DROP a Republican landslide in the slot and see the chimneys smoke. —*Kansas City Journal.*

THE McKinley times fall on the just and the unjust; on the sound money as well as the unsound money State.

WHEAT is still soaring toward the dollar mark, and seems to have entirely cut the acquaintance of its alleged inseparable friend, silver.

THE restoration of prosperity will be gradual, of course, like the recovery of a patient from a protracted illness, but will come, and come to stay.

CALIFORNIA will elect a Republican to the United States Senate. Jesse Grant turned silverite for the purpose of landing that plum, but he is now sorry that he spoke.

WHILE the election of McKinley has undeniably started a good many mills, it has served an even better purpose in stopping others—the political wind mills.—*Blizzard.*

PERHAPS it might be worth while for those who are making up President-elect McKinley's official family to let the Major into their little secret. He might like to hear all about it.

THE impression prevails that Major Alex. McDowell will be re-elected in the next House of Representatives to the position of Chief Clerk, as that body is strongly Republican. He surely ought to be.

THE stamping out of the free silver heresy by a majority of over a million has, according to figures published by the New York *World*, already resulted in the employment of about 800,000 men who were previously out of a job.

WHAT this country wants now, to make things right for the laboring man, is a good protective tariff, reciprocity treaties with all countries with which treaties would be advantageous, and a law restricting immigration.—*Punx'y Spirit.*

LET every Republican stand up squarely for the great American principle of the Republican party, protection. The people voted as solidly for protection on Republican lines as they did for our present monetary system, remarks a levelheaded exchange, and every word is true.

JUDGE E. N. WILLARD contemplates resigning from the Superior bench. This has been talked of for some time, and an announcement was made a day or so ago. The reasons given are that the Judge dislikes traveling and the long absences from home consequent upon the office.

THE Franklin *News* has discovered that the next Congress will contain Messrs. Booze, of Maryland; Tongue, of Oregon; Gamble, of South Dakota; Moon, of Tennessee, and Sauerbering, of Wisconsin. The three first named will have no difficulty in finding connections of their respective families in the halls of national legislation.

THE election is no sooner over than the professional prophets begin to come to the front. One eminent astronomer warns us that the earth will be bombarded with shooting stars about the middle of the month and different scientists are asserting that the earth is drying up, while a good many people are wishing that these foretellers of impending calamities would follow the earth's example.—*Blizzard.*

THE Buffalo *Times*, the foremost free silver paper of Western New York, says: "Talk of good times. Mills and factories are starting and money is showing itself from the vaults of banks and from other places where it has been hoarded. This is a return of confidence. If confidence is kept up, prosperity will return. If the people are to have prosperity, they must continue to be confident. They must talk confidence and believe in it and practice it. They must invest their money. If they do, others will invest. Don't wait to see what other men are going to do. If you begin early you will lead those who come after you. The men on the 'ground floor' in a reality deal are the ones who make the money. It is the same way in other kinds of business. The first in going ahead is the first to succeed. Accept the conditions as they are. Don't hang back waiting to have some one tell you what to do. Talk good times and act good times and there'll be good times."

Official Vote on Congress.

Following are the official figures of the Congressional vote in this, 28th, district, as computed by the return judges of the several counties at their meeting in Clearfield last week:

	ARNOLD, Rep.	SPANGLER, Dem.	BRENNAN Pro.
Centre	4741	4644	197
Clarion	3305	3023	137
Clearfield	7385	6983	557
Elk	2694	2745	48
Forest	1170	717	76
	19295	18092	1035

Bleeding Kansas.

Poor Kansas! Physically and intellectually she is rapidly running down at the heel. She is known far and wide as the most visionary and unsubstantial of states. Her people chase rainbows with a fury that is almost pathetic. Every quack nostrom invented by demagogues to catch votes may be sure of a host of enthusiastic supporters in Kansas. This folly has driven capital from her borders, decreased population and made desolate many a promising city. To further emphasize the fact that her people are hopelessly given over to the fruitless occupation of rainbow chasing, she has cast her vote for fiatism and repudiation. She has elected a man to her supreme bench who holds the most rediculously unsound views regarding property, and will probably send to the United States Senate some such man as Peffer, who will hold her up to the derision of the world by advocating all the old and exploded heresies that fanaticism can conceive.—*Punx'y Spirit.*

OFFICIAL returns of the election have just been published by the State Department at Harrisburg. They give McKinley and Hobart 726,998 votes, and the McKinley Citizens' ticket 1,302. This is a total of 728,300. Bryan and Sewall received 422,054 votes, and the Free Silver ticket 5,073, a total of 427,127 Democratic. This makes a Republican plurality of 301,173. The other tickets received the following: Prohibition, 19,274; Peoples, 6,103; Jeffersonian, 11,000; Socialist Labor, 1,683; National, 870. The gain in the Republican vote over that of four years ago is 215,000.

ALREADY a number of Republicans who helped to lower the party majority in this place to sixty-nine, are scheming on the appointment of postmaster.—*Marienville Express.*

Perhaps we're a little dull, but we don't just understand how Br'er Shick figures it to show how the Republicans of Marienville have lost any votes in that place. In 1892 the total Republican vote in Marienville was 196; Democratic 177. Rep. majority 19. At the last election, Republican vote, 263; Democratic 194. Rep. majority 69. Looks from this distance as though in Marienville and Jenks township, and in fact in every township in the county, the Republicans are to be profoundly congratulated on the excellent showing they made in the hot campaign just ended, both on the National and county tickets.

THE attitude Senator Mitchell of Oregon will occupy in the coming session of Congress was doubtless outlined in a speech he made in Woodburn, Ore., September 5. While declaring himself in favor of free coinage he stated it as his firm conviction that bimetalism could not be maintained unless coupled with a protective policy. His words were: "I am firm in the belief and always have been that without a proper policy of protection in this country we can never have that degree of prosperity which rightly belongs to us whether we have bimetalism or not." It is plain from this language that Senator Mitchell places protection before free coinage and that he will give his vote and voice the coming winter to the adoption of a law which will insure the Government the revenue it needs and at least partial projection to the country's products.

SENATOR CANNON pauses long enough while hunting in Idaho to announce to whom it may concern that he will not vote for any tariff measure unless it includes a provision for the free coinage of silver. If this reflects also the attitude of Senators Teller and Dubois, and is adhered to, there is no chance of the Dingley bill passing at the coming short session except with the assistance of Democratic votes. This measure ought to recommend itself to reasonable Democrats. It provides revenue, which the Government needs badly; it is only moderately protective; it will expire by limitation in a year and a half, and its passage would make tariff legislation by the next Congress less immediately necessary. As it stands, however, Republicans have less interest than Democrats in having the Dingley bill become a law, and if they will not consent to its passage the Republicans can bear up under it.

Brief Sketch of a Prominent Man.

McKinley was born January 29, 1843, at Niles, Ohio.

McKinley's ancestors on both sides of the house fought in the Revolutionary army.

McKinley matriculated at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., at the age of sixteen, and soon after taught school at a salary of $25 per month and board.

McKinley entered the federal army at the age of eighteen. He was a member of Company E. Twenty-third Ohio Regiment.

McKinley was made a lieutenant for bravery shown at the battle of Antietam.

McKinley was made a major by President Lincoln, "for gallant and meritorious service at the battles of Opequan, Cedar Creek and Fisher's Hill."

McKinley studied law at the close of the war, was graduated from the Law School at Albany, N. Y., and was admitted to the bar in 1867.

McKinley won his first suit in court and received therefor a fee of $25.

McKinley's first office was district attorney.

McKinley was first elected to Congress in 1876. He was re-elected six times and was defeated by 302 votes in his eighth race.

McKinley's first speech in Congress was on the subject of the tariff.

McKinley's tariff bill was enacted in 1890.

McKinley served four years as governor of Ohio.

McKinley's name was spoken of before the Republican national convention of 1892 for President, but not with his consent.

McKinley was married to Miss Ida Saxton, daughter of a well-known Canton banker, on January 25, 1871.

McKinley has no children, two daughters having died in infancy.

McKinley is a Methodist.

THE rediculous aspect of the people who knew that no tin plates were or could be manufactured in this country is somewhat heightened by the publication of Commissioner Ayres' official report showing the production in the fiscal year 1896, which closed with June 30. The official account is that 307,228,651 pounds were made in this country, of which all but 4,226,523 pounds were made from American iron and from black sheets rolled in American mills. Of the fifty-three firms producing, fifty used American sheets exclusively, and their output was more than double that of the previous year, while three firms used about 11,000,000 pounds American and 4,000,000 foreign sheets.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

COMMISSIONERS' LAND SALE

By virtue of various Acts of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania made and provided, we, the undersigned Commissioners of the County of Forest, will expose to sale by public vendue or outcry at the Court House, in Tionesta Borough, on the

9TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1896,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described tracts of land, viz:

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HARMONY TWP.

War.	Acres.	Name Assessed in.
	2	Jones, E. L. and Isaac.

JENKS TWP.

3171	¼	Zimmerman, John.
3173	1	Whitney Bros.
3801	¼	Shick, Herb.

TIONESTA TWP.

	52	Dale Heirs to Shepherd.

UNSEATED LANDS.

JENKS TWP.

3322	100	Phillis, James, fl Anna Hills.
	17	Patterson, J. M., fl Bobbs.
5141	127	Hay, W. A., fl Boynton.
3663	140	Wright & Duhring.
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KINGSLEY TWP.

5131	200	Grey, S. C.
5194	½ of 80	Lake Erie Petroleum Co.
5193	½ of 400	Lake Erie Petroleum Co.

TIONESTA TWP.

	115	Copeland, Otis Heirs.
	10	Pettigrew Joseph.
	240	Irwin S. D.

HICKORY TWP.

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First and final account of Alfred S. Brecht, guardian of Florence E. Brecht.

Attest, CALVIN M. ARNER,
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No. 61 Way Freight (carrying passengers), daily except Sunday	4:50 p. m.
No. 53 Oil City Express, daily except Sunday	7:46 p. m.

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