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OUR COUNTRY: First, Last and Forever

GENERAL Prosperity is one of the line officers who will not be mustered out this year, says the St. Louis Democrat.

NEW JERSEY levies no direct taxes, and yet rejoices in a growing treasury surplus.

THE prevalence of grip is said invariably to raise the price of lemons.

SINCE the 30th of June last, in spite of the war, the expenditures of the United States have exceeded the revenue by only \$80,817,970.

It is now in order for our Hawaiian brothers to show their patriotism and their regard for the new flag by organizing a few regiments for the relief of Dewey and Ots at Manila.

Now that the treaty has been ratified, the next question to be determined, so far as the Democratic minority is concerned, who is secured a victory, Bryan or Gorman, Croker & Co.?

THE Missouri House has passed a resolution favoring a direct vote of the people for United States Senators.

SPEAKING of quo warranto proceedings, isn't it about time to set down on these chronic office-seekers, who, falling to get what they want, rush into court and attempt to set aside the verdict of the people? We think so.

No item of American export is increasing more rapidly than that of agricultural machinery.

It might be pertinent at this time to state that during the two years Comptroller John P. Boehm was Chief Burgess of this town he clearly demonstrated his usefulness.

WHEN a man has been whipped three or four times, as in the case of Corbett, the civil service rules seem to consign him to the position of a bartender, that being the only place left where he can mix things up with any degree of satisfaction.

A PERIODICAL published in the interest of advertisers says: "There is but one way to advertise and that is hammer your name, your occupation, your business so thoroughly into people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your place of business.

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THE CENSUS BILL PASSED.

It Goes Through the House by a Vote of 117 to 49.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Yesterday was suspension day in the House, and quite a number of bills were passed, several of them of importance. The census bill, prepared by the house committee, went through by a vote of 117 to 49. The bill differs in several essential features from the Senate bill, particularly in the fact that it makes the census bureau entirely independent of any existing department. A bill was passed to extend the anti-contract labor laws over the Hawaiian islands, and another bill was passed to refer to war claims for stress and to supply for the court of claims. A bill was also passed to create a national military park on the site of the battle of Vicksburg, and one to grant 200,000 acres of land in Alabama to the Girls' Industrial school of that state.

Electric Power for the Elevated Roads

New York, Feb. 7.—A bill to authorize the Manhattan Elevated Railway company has decided to install electricity as the motive power for the entire system and to issue \$15,000,000 of additional stock to meet the extraordinary expenditure. George J. Gould, president of the Manhattan company, declared the following statement: "The most careful and conservative estimator made by experts shows a saving of two and one-half cents per mile on the entire car track on the elevated roads. As we are now running over 60,000,000 car miles per year, the saving in operating expenses alone will be over \$1,000,000 annually."

Simpson's New Jersey Swindler

Trenton, Feb. 7.—Little business was transacted in either house of the legislature last night on account of the introduction of bills. Eighteen new bills were presented in the house and 15 in the senate. The house concurred in the senate resolution for the presentation of a sword in the name of the state to Admiral Sampson. Governor Voorhees from the senate has introduced a bill for the Board of Managers of the State Village of Carlisle. Dr. William S. Condit of Monmouth, Dr. John H. Ewing of Hunterdon, Dr. Thomas J. Smith of Cumberland, Rev. James M. Buckley of Morris and Dr. John Ward of Mercer.

Car Manufacturers Combine

Detroit, Feb. 7.—The Tribune says: "It is positively known that eight big car companies scattered over the United States have been combined under the name of the American Car and Foundry company. The new company is incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, with a capital of \$50,000,000."

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Dr. J. W. Minkler, of Bath, N. H., says:

"I had the asthma the worst of any man I ever heard of that lived. I was so bad I did not expect to live. It would come upon me suddenly, in the midst of conversation and stop me instantly, as quickly as though I had dropped dead. Sometimes I would be taken with strangling in bed, and had a window fixed so that I could touch a spring and throw it open quickly to put my head out to breathe. One day a friend asked me to try Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy. I did so and it helped me."



I continued using it, and after taking two bottles was completely cured, and have had no return of it since. Ten thousand dollars would not tempt me to return to the condition I was in before taking Dr. Greene's Nervura. If I could get no more of that wonderful medicine. It saved my life, and I don't know how it is possible for mortal man to give a stronger testimonial than this. I will gladly answer any questions regarding my case. I am satisfied that Dr. Greene's Nervura is the most remarkable medicine in existence."

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SENATE CONFIRMS THE WORK OF OUR PEACE COMMISSION

WITH ONLY ONE VOTE TO SPARE.

Senators McLaughlin, McHenry and Jones Came to the Aid of the Administration When the Document Reached the Voting Stage.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The treaty of peace negotiated between the commissioners of the United States and Spain at Paris was yesterday ratified by the United States senate, the vote being 57 ayes to 27 nays, or one vote more than the two-thirds majority necessary to secure senatorial concurrence in a treaty document. The vote was taken in a private session, and until the injunction which attended the matter was supposed to be private, but the vice president had no more than announced the figures before senators rushed out of every door leaving the senate chamber, declaring that the treaty had been ratified.

No vote had been taken in the senate since that on the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman law that has been followed with an close attention as the vote of yesterday. The anxiety was due not alone to the magnitude of the question at issue, but to the uncertainty which attended the matter up to the last moment. Only the select few knew how Senators McHenry of Louisiana and Jones of Nevada would vote half an hour before their votes were cast, and not even these knew when the bell rang for the executive session.

In advance of the voting speeches were made by Senators Ross, Money and Fairbanks. Senator Stewart, who had just arrived from his successful campaign in Nevada for re-election, announced informally during this period that he would resign and retire from public life. Senator Stewart, who had just arrived from his successful campaign in Nevada for re-election, announced informally during this period that he would resign and retire from public life.

Senator Teller here interrupted the Mississippi senator and there was quite an exchange of words. Teller announced his belief that the opposition to the treaty were responsible for the Manila battle, and Mr. Money declared this view to be incorrect.

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