

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We present below what we appear to be the substance of the President's message...

The first paragraph congratulates the country on its continued and increasing prosperity and proceeds:

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It is the desire of the good people of the whole country that sectionalism as a factor in our politics should disappear...

The sentiment that the constitutional rights of all our citizens must be maintained does not grow weaker...

It is not, however, to be forgotten that the best and surest guarantee of the primary rights of the citizen...

It is, therefore, recommended that an act be passed detailing the relations of members of Congress with respect to appointments...

Our relations with all foreign countries have been those of unobscured friendship and have presented no occasion for complaint...

impartial appointments and promotions have been confined to the usual channels...

I therefore recommend an appropriation of \$25,000 per annum to meet the expenses of a commission...

I also recommend such legislation as will leave every officer in his political position as the result of the free choice of the people...

Under the constitution, the President and heads of departments are to make nominations for office...

The political power of the Mormonism is increasing; it controls now one of our wealthiest and most populous Territories...

concluded and ratified in a convention of the Free Republic for the settlement of claims of the citizens of the country...

Our friendly relations with the German Empire continue without interruption...

There is nothing of importance to be reported in our friendly relations with the governments of Austria-Hungary, Russia, Portugal, Sweden and Norway, Switzerland, Italy and Spain...

In my last annual message I expressed the hope that the prevalence of quiet on the border between this country and Mexico would soon be secured...

The prosperous energies of our domestic industries and their unimpeded production of the subjects of foreign commerce...

The condition of our financial affairs of the government as shown by the report of the Secretary of the Treasury...

The debt of the United States, less cash in the Treasury and exclusive of accruing interest, attained its maximum...

The continuance of specie payments since the resumption of the gold standard...

The reports of the Postmaster-General exhibit the continued growth and the high state of efficiency of the postal service...

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Executive Mansion, Dec. 6, 1880.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

DECEMBER 6, 1880

WE HAVE TAKEN SPECIAL PAINS TO MAKE OUR BOOTS AND SHOES THE FALL TRADE

14005, Texas 14003, Pork dull at 14.00, middles dulling clear 7.40...

NEW YORK - Futures closed steady. Sales 194,000. December 11.68 1/2, 12.38 1/2...

NEW YORK - Stocks closed firm. New York Central 1.42, Lake Shore 1.46...

NEW YORK - Money 1.00 1/2, Exchange 47 1/2, Government treasury notes 2 1/2...

NEW YORK - Cotton quiet. Sales 894, middling uplands 12c, middling Orleans 12 1/2c...

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