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REAL SOURCES OF PROSPERITY.

Industry, thrift and economy, with an intelligence which can grasp the situation, and knows what kind of endeavor or energy is best to exerted, has produced the great results in the up-building of this nation.

It is the value of the article to the consumer which makes the country's wealth. The output of the gold mines is often heralded as something extraordinary, in the wealth producing line, yet the farmers of this country in the past two years, it is estimated, have produced wealth exceeding all the gold mined in the world since America was discovered.

Perhaps the fact that the gold and silver, the precious stones which are taken from earth are ever before the world, makes their value and importance appear more impressive, while the great cotton crops, the crops of wheat, corn, oats, are annually consumed, so that they are not apparent to the visible sight, dulls the full appreciation of their great value.

The Secretary of Agriculture says that within four years the value of farm capital, apart from the recent increase in the value of farm land, has increased two billion dollars, and in eight years the deposits in Iowa banks have nearly doubled, in Kansas banks more than doubled, and in Mississippi banks increased three fold. The value of the crops of this year, omitting what is fed to stock, comes close to five billion dollars, and is six times the value of the capital stock of all the national banks.

It is in the growth and marketing of these agricultural products that times are prospering combined with good prices obtained for these products, which enrich or help every one engaged in cultivating or handling them, from the sower and gatherer, to the seller and consumer. It is the farm product which increases the value of the ground in which it is grown, and promotes every channel of trade through which it flows after it becomes an article of commerce, until it goes into final consumption.

President D. R. Francis, of the World's Fair, has written a letter to the Governor of each State and Territory, endorsing the Louisiana Purchase, informing him that the Exposition Company has decided to present to each of these States and Territories the statue symbol to it and occupying a niche in the colonnade of the State of Festival Hall, on the Fair grounds.

Grip Quickly Racked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of grippe with all its miserable symptoms." Says Mr. J. B. Egerton of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knox and Jolita's grippe, muscle sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." The Tablets prove to be a healthy action of the bowels, liver and kidneys which is always beneficial when the system is congested by a cold or attack of the grip. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

The breaking of a big water main in New York flooded the subway and put out the furnaces in several hotels and other houses.

The Key That Unlocks The Door to Long Living.

The men of eighty five and ninety years of age are not the common sight, but this, says one who lives on a slender diet, does not mean he will, however, a man past middle age, will occasionally eat the much of some article of food not suited to his constitution, and will need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to cleanse and invigorate. His stomach and regular bowels and bowels. When this is done there is no reason why the average man should not live to an old age. For sale by F. S. Duffy.

UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men and Women Unhappily About It. Many women weep and wail and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded. Many men incline to profanity because the fine hair through the thin thatch on their crowns. It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes, to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market. This is the new scalp germicide and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction. Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as to its worth. Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

O. D. BRADHAM, Special Agt.

Fight Will Be Bitter

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. & Ball of Beal, Miss, has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. It is sold by O. D. Bradham, drug cat., P. O. Box 50, and \$1 Trial bottles free.

Christmas Holiday Rates, Season 1904 2905.

The Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad has authorized sale of Round Trip Tickets at special excursion rates during the holidays.

Tickets will be sold to Teachers and students, presenting certificate signed by the Superintendent, Principal or President of the various Institutions of Learning, December 17th to 31st inclusive, 1904, with final limit January 8th, 1905.

Tickets will be sold to the general public on December 28th, 14th, 25th and 31st, 1904 and January 1st, 1905, with final limit January 8th, 1905.

These rates apply to all points in the States of North Carolina, Virginia, South Carolina and Georgia.

Yours truly, ED A. NIEL, Traffic Manager.

A Certain Cure For Croup.

When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how high they may be recommended. There is no preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mr. M. F. Compton of Market, Texas, says, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief. For sale by all druggists.

The business organizations of Norfolk acting in conjunction with the various railroads having deep water terminals here and the United States immigration authorities, are to take determined steps to break up the gang of sailors boarding house men, "shankhalers" and "crimps" said to be infesting the port and doing injury to shipping interests.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDING, KIMMAN & MARTIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials free. Price 75 cts per bottle.

Agreeable Birthday Party.

Beaufort, N. C., Dec. 18. Miss Lorenz Willis entertained a number of friends at her residence last night. Her friends began to come about 8:30, and after spending a few pleasant hours, refreshments were served.

Those present were: Messrs. Leon Williams, Jim Fuller, West Taylor, Harvey Ramsey, Frank Johnson, Rudolph Dowdy, William Adair Clem Willis.

Misses Annie and Lilly Clawson, Bessie Taylor, Mary Wh. Ford, Carrie Ewell, Minnie Mann, Susie Felton, Minnie Lewis, Biddie Adair, Lillian Martin.

The syndicate organized by Speyer and Co. to finance the \$10,000,000 Cuban loan has been wound up. Participants are said to have divided a profit of slightly less than 5 per cent. As no one was the members of the syndicate who began to pay any part of their subscription.

An Emergency Medicine.

For sprains, bruises, lacerations, and other injuries, there is nothing so good as Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It soothes the wound and not only gives instant relief from pain, but causes the parts to heal in about one third the time required by the usual treatment. Sold by all druggists.

The Oaks Market will sell best Outs of Pork

STOCKS, COTTON, GRAIN.

Quotations of Yesterday's Markets Published By BURNS & CO., Craven Street.

Table with columns: New York, Dec. 16. Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Jan, March, May, July, New York Spots.

New York, Dec. 16

Table with columns: Stocks - Open, Close. Includes Amr Sugar, Atchafalca, Sp, R G Ry, Southern Ry, U. S. Steel, A. C. O., Va. C. Chemical, R. I., Erie, T. C. I., Cop.

Chicago, Dec. 16.

Table with columns: Chicago Grain, Open, Close. Includes May Wheat, May corn, May Pork, May Lard.

We buy and sell all stocks for actual delivery, requiring only a small guarantee until stock can arrive and giving draft on Philadelphia for stock sold on delivery.

BURRUS & CO., Gen. Brokers.

Revolution Imminent

A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness, or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome causes. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under the searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that is returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by O. D. Bradham, druggist.

A Furious Storm.

According to reports in the papers the storm of Thursday was of unusual violence on the Virginia Carolina Coast. The wind blew from the northeast at the rate of 40 miles an hour and all crafts sought harbors not venturing to sail on account of the storm.

Hempson roads was full of sailing and steamboats which had sought the outer waters. The storm along the Virginia Carolina Coast was very severe and all means of communication were cut off.

To Editor of Journal.

New Bern: If L & M Paint is not sold at New Bern we will sell property owners direct, also send half gallon for examination, give thirty days time for payment and free paint to paint first house painted.

Wears and covers like gold. Lead with scale. Non chalking. 4 gallons L & M and 8 gallons oil will paint moderate sized house. We invite property owners to write for particulars, and color cards.

LONGMAN & MARTINEZ, Paint Makers for Fifty Years.

P. E. Merchants dealing agency, make obtain it if properly equipped for selling.

President Roosevelt declined the invitation to visit Atlanta, Ga, in the spring.

MME ROMA

Scientific Painter. Ready your life in your hand like a book, your past, present and future. Come early and consult her on all matters of interest, on Business Transactions, Law Suits, Wills, Life Insurance, Damages, Suits, Divorces, Bonds, Speculations, Losses, Estates and Marriages. Come early and avoid the crowd. Come today don't wait for tomorrow, for she stays in Atlanta a short time only. Office hours 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. 26 Broad Street New Bern, N. C.

News of the loss of the huckster's Buick, bound from Fernandina, Fla., to Fall River, Mass., with lumber, and of the escape of her captain, his wife and the crew of seven men after being 18 hours at the mercy of the sea on the vessel's deck-boat, was brought by the Clyde Line steamer New York.

A Guaranteed Cure For Piles. Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAIN EXTERMINATOR fails to cure any case, no matter how long standing, in 5 to 7 days. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded you paid by Parke Medicine Co., Salt Lake, Mo.

The News Returns of Lombard, says a steady stream of Russian émigrés continued to enter there, most of whom are going to America.

Children don't stop and grow after taking Mother's Rocky Mountain Tea. It gives strength, is giving eyes, good teeth and strength. A tonic for every ailment. 25 cents. Parke Medicine Co., Salt Lake, Mo.

Dr. Woodley's... (Small text block regarding medical advice or product information)

Advertisement for 'You Can Be Cured' featuring a woman's portrait and text about menstrual relief using Wine-Gardui.

Advertisement for 'At the Fancy Ball' featuring a woman in a dress and text about a social event.

Advertisement for 'Polly' featuring a woman's portrait and text about a social event or product.

Advertisement for 'Patents' featuring a woman's portrait and text about patent services.

Advertisement for 'Change of Partnership' featuring text about business changes.

Advertisement for 'Bids For County Supplies' featuring text about government procurement.

Advertisement for 'For Sale' featuring text about property or goods for sale.

Advertisement for 'HEATERS AND COOK STOVES' featuring text about home appliances.

Advertisement for 'Gaskill Hdw. & Mill Supply Co.' featuring text about hardware and mill supplies.

Large advertisement for 'L. G. DANIEL'S Mules' featuring a mule illustration and text about horse and mule sales.

Advertisement for 'New Bern Military Academy' featuring text about military education.

Advertisement for 'S. J. HOLLADAY, A. B. LL. B. President' featuring text about legal services.

Advertisement for 'Entry Notice' featuring text about legal notices.

Advertisement for 'Entry Notice' featuring text about legal notices.

Advertisement for 'Administrator's Notice' featuring text about estate administration.

Advertisement for 'Ernest M. Green' featuring text about legal services.