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The mining development in New Mexico is assuming greater proportions right along. This journal pays particular attention to mining matters, recognizing the industry as one of the leading of the territory.

SOME Santa Fe lawyers are threatening the tax-collector of this county with legal proceedings should the latter attempt to do his duty and collect taxes as the law and his oath of office demand. Rot! That sort of bluff will not work.

Is going to war with this country, Spain will commit suicide. The latter with all civilized nations is considered a Cuba under Spanish regime, it may well be doubted if Spain is much of a civilized nation.

EUROPEAN news indicates that Spain, as has been the case within the last 100 years in all its political transactions, does not know what it is about and that war is bound to come. The United States is ready and the people of this country say, "let it come."

It is becoming more and more evident daily, that Spain will not see the folly of its course and will resist the desire of the administration of this country to relieve the starving Cubans, and to put an end to the beastly and savage war in Cuba. This country will have to teach Spain a greatly needed lesson and this country is nearly ready so to do.

THE city government costs the taxpayers of this city many thousands of dollars annually. Hence great interest should be had in the coming city election and good and honest men, who have the necessary qualifications to perform the duties of city officials properly, should be elected to office at the coming city election.

SOME of our valued and highly esteemed contemporaries are somewhat jealous and envious of the influence yielded by the NEW MEXICAN, the NEW MEXICAN REVIEW and EL NUESTRO MEXICANO, published in this city. Poor things! Sorry for them. But then facts are cold and hard things to meet in this world.

PRESIDENT McKinley is exhibiting true courage and manhood in the present situation. He has mapped out a plan of action that he considers best for all concerned; the yellow journals and the free silver papers of the country can not bulldoze him a little weebit. His course meets with the approval of the masses of the people and that is pretty good strength to lean on.

JUDGING from the report of the grand jury on the condition of official affairs in Union county, recently submitted to the presiding judge during the term of court closed there on the 19th instant, a new set of county commissioners and a new county treasurer are very much needed in that county. Such a change would prove for the public good, unless the report of the grand jury, as indicated above, is untrue and there is no evidence and no reason whatsoever to believe that such is the case.

HUMAN nature is human nature. Emperor William, of Germany, is a tax dodger and declines to pay taxes on his vast estates. In this respect he is like several well to do citizens of Santa Fe county who want their fellow citizens to pay taxes, but fail to do so themselves. In Germany, Emperor William may escape paying just taxes; in Santa Fe county, it is to be hoped, that the proper officials will strictly and impartially execute the law and compel the tax dodgers to pay the taxes properly assessed under the law and demanded for the maintenance of the territorial and county governments.

CONGRESSMAN DINGLEY is getting away with Professor Wilson right along. The professor's free trade theories and fanciful and impracticable notions on political economy were to a great extent to be vindicated by the Wilson tariff law. Not only did this vindication not materialize, but quite the reverse, the Democratic Wilson tariff law proved an egregious failure. On the other hand the Dingley protective tariff law has been in operation up to March 1 seven months and during that time its gross proceeds have paid \$175,818,881. In the same period the Wilson law yielded \$159,201,038, the difference in favor of the Dingley law being \$16,617,843. It is pointed out, too, that the Wilson law, being a law to reduce duties, started out with the advantage of deferred importations, while the Dingley law, being a law to raise duties, started out with the disadvantage of the reaction that al-

ways follows heavy advance importations. Mr. Dingley has Professor Wilson clearly on the hip.

## No Desire to Interfere with Mexico.

Some of the papers published in Havana claim to have received cheering assurances that in the event of war between Spain and the United States, Mexico will interfere in behalf of Spain. The papers, La Lucha and El Correo, give as a reason for such interference, that Mexico is apprehensive that the northern republic contemplates a control over the entrance to the Gulf of Mexico inimical to Mexican interests. This speculation on the part of the Havana papers gives special interest to an article which appeared in a recent issue of the Mexican Financier, in which a suggestion of a Latin-American union is considered. The Financier gives the Spanish no encouragement to believe that Mexico has any desire to assume a hostile attitude toward the United States, or that the Latin-American countries to the south look upon this country as a menacing power.

The Mexican journal says: "None of the independent nations on this continent apprehend aggression or wrong from the United States. The idea that the Latin-American republics fear or distrust the United States is a figment of the European brain. If, then, as we have shown, the internal elements or factors for a Spanish-American federation are lacking, still more conspicuous is the absence of external motives. All this, however, furnishes no reason why the republics of this continent, including the United States, should not seek to take common action as often as the solidarity of their commercial, financial and political interests demands it. But the question of permanent political confederation is better left alone."

The entire article indicates that the uniform policy of the United States in the last 50 years is appreciated by the countries of Central and South America. The United States has no other designs in regard to Mexico or other Latin-American republics than pleasant social relations and trade on mutually advantageous conditions. The more prosperous and secure these conditions, the more valuable they will be as members of the American family of nations.

The United States has nothing to fear from her southern neighbors. On the other hand, if it ever should become necessary for this country to seek help in troubles of a warlike nature, no doubt assistance would be freely offered by the Latin-American countries.

## Business Continues to Improve.

In a business way the week ending March 26 showed a gratifying increase over the week ending March 19. The weekly report of the New York banks, which is a fair barometer of trade and business conditions, shows a decrease in loans of \$7,110,500, as compared with an increase in the same item of \$10,558,100 the week before; the specie increase over that of the previous week was \$1,802,400; there was a difference in the decrease of deposits of \$4,777,000 in favor of better conditions and an increase in the holdings of the banks of \$8,791,425.

These figures clearly refute the claim made by the timid that any prospects of war would result in financial ruin to the country, and demonstrate that the legitimate business interests of the country are in no wise suffering from blue funk. Of course should war break out, the stock jobbers would be hit pretty hard in some classes of holdings, but when the statement is made that values would be smashed pure nonsense is talked. There is a vast difference between values and speculative prices; the latter might suffer, but the former would not be affected in the least.

The figures given are likewise somewhat confusing to the free traders and free silverites. The tales of financial woe told by these pessimists and the showing made by the bank statement don't hang together any better than a rope of sand. Right here is where the inconsistency of the anti-American element is shown. It persists in two howls: War scares are ruinous to the business interests of the country; protection hampers commercial transactions and burdens the people; and in the same breath it declares that the present preparations for war is making business better.

The fact of the matter is that the United States is in a prosperous condition; prosperity has come under the influence of Republican protection to such an extent that neither war nor calamity howlers can stop it.

## Political Propagandists.

Governor Otero has a high opinion of John S. Clark and also of Colonel Dick Hudson. Both of these gentlemen have had official duties planned for them. Watch this prediction sometime during April.—San Marcial Bee.

## A Voice from Grant County.

Many influential citizens with whom I have conversed have expressed the opinion that the name of Don H. Kedzie, of the Lordsburg Liberal, would sound well on the Republican legislative ticket, and I know that strong efforts are going to be made to have him there.—Silver City Independent.

## THE ROSWELL-AMARILLO CONNECTION

All Preliminary Arrangements Being Completed and Active Construction Work Soon to Begin—Road to Be Finished October 1.

Matters in connection with the speedy construction of the Pecos Valley & Northwestern railway from Roswell in this territory to Amarillo, Tex., are progressing very satisfactorily.

President E. P. Ripley; J. J. Frey, general manager; H. U. Mudge, general superintendent; James Dunn, chief engineer; John Player, superintendent of machinery; F. T. Dolan, division superintendent, and General Purchasing Agent Hodges, of the Santa Fe system, and President Morgan Jones

and J. V. Goods, general superintendent of the Fort Worth & Denver railroad, have been to Amarillo "looking the ground over." The Santa Fe has leased the Panhandle & Washburn Tap railroad and trackage over the Fort Worth & Denver railroad from Washburn to Amarillo, together with the use of the largest cattle shipping pens in Texas, and will make Amarillo the terminus of the Southern Kansas railroad in Texas. Division headquarters and machine shops are to be erected at once.

President J. J. Hagerman and General Manager E. O. Faulkner, of the Pecos Valley & Northwestern railroad, have also been to Amarillo, where the citizens have raised a cash bonus of \$20,000 and \$10,000 to pay for right-of-way through Potter and Randall counties.

The charter of this latter road has been filed with the secretary of state at Austin, and B. T. Ware, W. H. Fuqua, R. L. Stringfellow and S. H. Madden were elected the Amarillo directors of the Pecos Valley & Northwestern railroad. As soon as the Pecos Valley railway is completed, together with the use of the stockholders again, active work on the new road to connect Amarillo and Roswell will commence. The master's sale of the road takes place under the orders of the court of the Fifth district at Eddy on the 19th of April.

Material of all kinds is being assembled at Amarillo for the speedy construction of the 200 miles of railroad from Amarillo to Roswell and active work will commence by the last of April. The surveys and office work are completed and it is believed that for big stretches of two miles of road per day can be completed so that no apprehension is felt but that the new connection can and will be completed by October 1 next.

## Meets With General Approval.

The appointment of Edward L. Bartlett as solicitor general of New Mexico is greeted with approval by the vast majority of residents of that territory and reflects the wise judgment of Governor Otero. Mr. Bartlett filled the position for years with credit, and is not only a brilliant attorney but a man whom every official act has been and will be for New Mexico's interests.—Cripple Creek Herald.

## Good Political Advice.

In the coming territorial political campaign the Republicans can easily win, provided they do not undertake to carry heavy loads. No political party is under any obligation to apologize for the unpatriotic acts of men whom it elects to office. No political party should undertake to fatten all the hogs that break into it.—Cerrillos Register.

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## Call for a Republican City Convention.

A delegate convention of the Republican voters of the city of Santa Fe will be held at the court house in the said city at 10 o'clock on Saturday April 2, continuing for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of mayor, clerk and treasurer to be voted for at the city election to be held Tuesday April 3, 1898. The several wards will be entitled to the following representation: Ward No. 1, seven delegates; ward No. 2, nine delegates; ward No. 3, nine delegates; ward No. 4, seven delegates. Ward conventions, at which delegates to the city convention will be chosen and at which nominations for candidates for members of the city council and of the board of education for the respective wards will be made, will be held on Thursday, March 31, as follows: Ward No. 1, at the house of Pablo Borrego, for the election of seven delegates and the nomination of candidates for two members of the council and one member of the board of education. This convention to be called to order at 7:30 p. m. Ward No. 2, at the house of Eluterio Arragon, for the election of nine delegates and the nomination of candidates for one member of the council and one member of the board of education. This convention to be called to order at 7:30 p. m. Ward No. 3, at Fireman's hall, for the election of nine delegates and the nomination of candidates for two members of the council and one member of the board of education. This convention to be called to order at 7:30 p. m. Ward No. 4, at the house of Prudencio Garcia, for the election of seven delegates and the nomination of candidates for one member of the council and one member of the board of education. This convention to be called to order at 7:30 p. m. The city convention will be called to order by the chairman of the city committee and the ward conventions by the first named members of each ward committee. Proxies will not be recognized in the city convention unless held by residents of the ward, from which the delegate giving such proxy, was elected. The following are the members of the city central committee: Ward No. 1, Epitacio Gallegos and J. M. Samson; ward No. 2, Senor Beca and Ricardo Alarid; ward No. 3, John V. Conway and W. W. Miller; ward No. 4, Max Frost and Octaviano Rodriguez. Dated at Santa Fe, N. M., this 23rd day of March, 1898. ANTONIO ORTIZ E. SALAZAR, Chairman Republican Central Committee, City of Santa Fe.

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