

PURE IGNORANCE.

The Republican party is now, and has ever been, the party of progress.—Enterprise.

Yes, the managers of the party have progressed so well in this State that they own about everything of value in it—especially the available land.—Chronicle.

There seems to be few questions upon which the democratic editors are so ignorant, as upon the land question.

Whenever they have no special argument to make they charge the railroad companies with having grabbed up a large amount of fine land. Under the land laws of the United States anybody can get hold of as good land as a railroad company and just as much of it.

During the past ten years the managers of the V. & T. R. R. have taken up several thousand acres of timber and agricultural lands in this State. They have paid the government price and made use of it as best they could, and have made a great deal of money out of the transaction. They have also invested a great deal. Any man of sense would much prefer to see a company make a big pile on an investment than to lose.

Now there is nothing to prevent the editor of Chronicle from taking up any amount of agricultural or timber land in this State and making a good thing of it just as other people have done. All he seems to lack is the enterprise. If he will some day drop into the Land Office and ascertain how easy it is in this State to acquire land he will doubtless quit growling at people who take advantage of the opportunity presented them by the government.

The policy of the government has been to make the acquiring of land so easy that it would induce a good many people to take it. The development of the land is a material assistance to the country and will continue to be so.

THE WAR COMING.

The Grass Valley Tidings takes this inventory of the war probabilities in Europe:

The latest news from Europe is in the shape of opinions held by travelers who have been all through the country. They say that a general war is inevitable and that trouble will begin in February, if the weather is then mild enough to commence hostilities on a gigantic scale. The beginning will be Russia taking hold of Austria and downing her, and that, too, before Austria knows anything about it. How those travelers know better of such danger than Austria does, is not stated; but all know that travelers generally know it all. The further programme is that when Russia has Austria down, England and Germany will pull Russia off and kick her around to make her behave. Then France and Italy will get into the mess—France as a friend to Russia and Italy shouting for Austria—and poor Spain may get involved, so that the United States may get Cuba. Interesting things of a war kind are promised in the coming Springtime.

After His Defamers.

The Report is glad to learn that Mousignor Capel has, by patient and resolute investigation, ascertained the names of the slanderers who, at the instigation of his personal enemies and cowardly foes of his religion, procured publication in the New York World recently of slanders against him and an estimable lady of this State. Legal proceedings are to be commenced simultaneously in this city and in New York, and the proceedings in this city will involve among others the editor of a weekly journal, who made himself conspicuous during the last political campaign by his betrayal of Swift, an old-time personal friend and Republican candidate for the Governorship.—Daily Report.

The Frankels.

The Footlight thus pays it's compliment to the Frankels: The stage effect about Frankel's lettering mind and ravenous appetite, while his faithful Chinese cook held the keys of his parlor prison, is good enough for suckers only. "I'll bet there was nothing in

Chinatown too good for him," is a miner's opinion.

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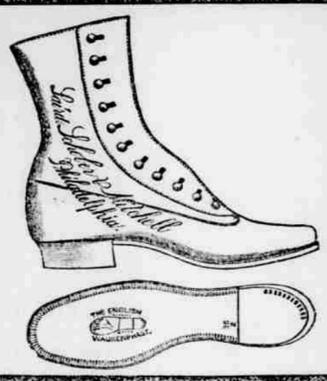
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Joseph Platt.

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