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From President Roosevelt's free movements about the streets and roads of the capitol it is evident that he holds the views he expressed a few days after Mr. McKinley was shot—that personal precautions on the part of the president are useless and unwise. In his personal courage and impatience of restraint he disdains caution and refuses to admit that there is a distinction between the safety of Theodore Roosevelt and the safety of the president. He carries to the extreme Montaigne's theory expressed in the essay on the modes of rulers in dealing with plotters. "In a life of ambition and glory," says Montaigne, "it is necessary to hold a stiff rein upon suspicion; fear and distrust invite and draw on offense."

But whatever Mr. Roosevelt's views, he ought not to permit them to interfere with the reorganization of the secret service.

That politics-cursed department had agents at Ford's theater so stupid that they permitted a crazed stranger to enter President Lincoln's box unchallenged and shoot him down. It had in the railway station at Washington the day President Garfield and Secretary Blaine were leaving, agents so careless that they did not note a wild-eyed person walking nervously up and down for twenty minutes, asking questions about the president, and when he arrived drawing a revolver and firing at him. It had at Buffalo agents so worthless that they permitted a man with an agitated countenance and a body trembling with ex-

citement to come along a narrow and not crowded lane toward the president with a revolver in his hand most ostentatiously concealed.

All three of our assassinated presidents have been assassinated in ways that hold up the secret service to contempt. Is it surprising that Mr. Roosevelt prefers to rely upon his own sharp eyes and strong fists?

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Missouri Station, for the Week Ending September 30, 1901.

Columbia, Mo., October 1, 1901.

The week just closed averaged decidedly warmer than usual throughout the state with a high percentage of sunshine. Quite heavy showers fell in a few of the southwestern counties on the 25th and 26th, and moderately heavy rains are reported in a few of the northern counties, but over much the greater portion of the state the rainfall, up to Saturday evening, was very light, many of the southeastern counties receiving none.

Special reports regarding fall seeding indicate that in a majority of the northern and western counties one-half to nine-tenths of the wheat crop has been sown, with the soil in excellent condition, and the early sown is up and looking fine, but in many of the east-central and southern counties the ground has been too dry and little seeding has been done. In some of the eastern and southern counties it is feared that wheat that has sprouted will perish unless rain comes soon. In many localities in the central and southern counties little more than half the land intended for wheat has been plowed. Reports indicate that, with favorable weather conditions, an unusually large acreage of wheat will be sown in most sections. Pastures are improving in a majority of the northern and western counties, and in some localities in the western and extreme southeastern counties they are reported in good condition; elsewhere they are still dry and bare. In some sections considerable rye has been sown for pasturage. Corn cutting is generally completed, except in some localities where recent rains have kept the latest corn green. Cotton is opening rapidly in the southeastern counties and picking continues under favorable conditions, but the crop is generally light. Boll worms have done considerable damage in Dunklin county. Late potatoes are reported a complete failure, except in a very few counties. Sorghum grown for molasses is generally very light and much of it of poor quality. In a few counties, however, a fair to good crop will be secured. In some sections the crop was considerably damaged by the recent frosts. In some of the eastern counties turnips are dying from lack of moisture. Late apples have improved in many of the western and some of the eastern counties, and in a number

of the principal apple growing counties a good crop will be gathered. In many localities, however, they are still falling badly.

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McKinley, the Apostle of Commercial Amity.

President McKinley and his party were received at Buffalo with ample demonstration of popular affection. But he lost no time in speaking the words which he had come to speak, the words which were to point the way to his future policies. It was characteristic of Mr. McKinley to seize this opportunity. It had ever been a favorite method of his to test public opinion as to any new departure before entering practically upon it. He trusted the people, and believed they had a right to know in advance the intention of their leaders. It was a part of his creed that without popular approval our statesmen can do nothing; with it, they can do almost anything. So he delivered his now famous Buffalo speech. It was heard around the world. It roused the nations as it roused our own people. Throughout christendom one expression of his caught the imaginations of men—"God and man have linked the nations together. No nation can longer be indifferent to any other." This gospel of commercial amity and of peaceful rivalry, this recognition of the golden rule in the relations of nations, coming from the lips of William McKinley, the former apostle of protection, naturally startled the many who did not know how rapidly and how splendidly his philosophy had broadened. But it was no surprise to those who had watched the development of this masterful opportunist, this leader who had shown his power to lift up others in the way he lifted himself. It was no revelation to those who knew that his greatest pride was felt in the unification of his own people, and that now his fondest ambition was to apply the same spirit to world relations, primarily for the good of America, ultimately for the good of all nations.—From "The Last Days of President McKinley," by Walter Wellman, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for October.

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