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The Register will be sent to new subscribers from now to Jan. 1, 1897, for 50 cents, \$1 in advance.

The following article is from President Jaz of the Mexican Republic, and is of course of the highest possible authority.

A direct demonstration how the present financial conditions of the world are working to the best advantage of the ever-using nations, and the equal disadvantage of those that make use of the old standard.

Unquestionably our people, in time, will understand this and when they have figured enough will overthrow the present gold system, surreptitiously and not dishonestly fastened upon our country by the Rothschilds and other banking interests of London and Europe.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 9, 1896. W. R. HEARST, New York Journalist. I do not care to discuss the effect of silver coinage on the material interests of Mexico with a view to influencing the result of the coming national election in the United States.

DALLAS, TEX., Sept. 20.—Governor Culberson on July 1 wrote to Prince Bismarck, asking for his views on bimetalism, and the likelihood of the United States government being able to adopt and maintain such a financial policy independent of any other nation.

FREDERICHSHAGEN, Aug. 21, 1896. Honored Sir:—Your esteemed favor of July 1 has been duly received. I have always had a predilection for bimetalism, but I would not, while in office, claim my views of the matter to be infallibly true when advanced against the views of experts.

While our material interests have increased steadily and healthfully for the last twenty years, since the close of the Indian wars and the repeal of the Sherman law, so called, in the United States, the growth of Mexico's commercial and industrial interests has been particularly marked.

The season at this well-known summer hotel has been one of the most prosperous in its history. About 10 guests still remain. Tuesday a party of 12, with one four-horse and one two-horse team, drove to Mr. Benedict's at the foot of Snake mountain.

Among guests now present at the Inn are Stephen R. Post and family, Mrs. Lucy A. Bubler and Miss Lucy Kutz of Brooklyn; Mrs. Stephen W. Baldwin and daughter, Miss Louise Shipman, Mrs. Allis, Miss Elberta Allis, Mrs. Cashman, Mrs. A. L. Spies and family of New York; Mrs. H. B. Cornwall and family, Mrs. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Frothingham, Miss Frothingham of Princeton, N. J.; Mrs. W. H. Bridgman and family, Stamford, Conn.; Chauncey Smith, Cambridge, Mass.

While most of our friends of the summer are at their homes in the cities preparing for the winter, we, a few fortunate ones, are enjoying the beauties of the fall with our genial host at Bread Loaf. To make our friends at home envious, I will tell them of a little trip we took on Monday.

A carriage load of congenial spirits, with Jack McMahon as driver, started about 9.30 a. m. for Silver Lake. To us all the beauties along the road seemed unsurpassed, but when we reached the wooded road, the last four miles (Jack called it ten) before we approached the house, we did nothing but exclaim "It is exquisite!"

Our merchants are conservative and careful, and bank and business failures are happily rare in Mexico under any circumstances. As to wages and the condition of laboring men, considering the nature of work and classes of industry, they compare favorably with those in other countries.

The demand for skilled labor has grown with the great increase in the number of mills and manufactories. This demand in all branches of labor is strong. The added exchange has not impaired the value of our dollar as applied to the purchase of articles of home manufacture.

Heavy investments of foreign capital in Mexican enterprises have been made since the appreciation of gold elsewhere.

There is another point of view. The foreign debt of the country is payable in gold. The duties on imported merchandise are collected in silver, or on that basis. The high rates of exchange, together with the decrease in our customs collections before alluded to, have caused a considerable shrinkage in this source of revenue.

Upon the subject of bimetalism the following letter from Bismarck, probably the ablest living statesman, and one of the ablest in the world's history, has been recently published. It will be seen that in his judgment independent action by the United States would lead to international agreement.

The proposition to our people for the adoption of bimetalism through international agreement has always been and is yet largely a fraud with those who propose it. That is, it has been proposed by Mr. Sherman and other disreputable leaders of the money power in order to cheat the people.

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EL HIL, Lumber City, Pa., writes, "I have been suffering from Piles for twenty-five years and thought my case incurable. Dr. Witt's Witch Hazel Salve was recommended to me as a pile cure, so I bought a box and it performed a permanent cure."

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immediately planned a little walk of ten minutes to the top of an adjacent mountain, the view from which amply repaid our little wait for dinner, though we were hungry. At our feet we looked down upon Lake Dunmore and the beautiful valley of Otter creek, the grand Adirondack range standing out plainly in the distance, with here and there a glimpse of Lake Champlain.

Then down we went to dinner. And such a dinner! The only fault we could find was lack of capacity. After dinner, our host, bent on making it still more of a "red letter day" for us, proposed that we should see La Scala falls. Much to Jack's disgust (who was more anxious to start for home than to see water falling over rocks) we started. The road is beautiful, but the way is rough, though Mr. Chandler (like Christian in "Pilgrims Progress") kept cheering us on.

At last we reached the spot below the falls. They are beautiful! Then we were told, "You do not see all their grandeur from this point." Nothing loathe, we waited to see it all. With our careful guide (who does not mind rocks any more than a goat) we began to climb. At one point we were startled by one of our party (a fine climber) saying, "No, I cannot go up there."

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