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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 11, 1896.

NEW MEXICO is sixth in the production of unwashed wool in this country, according to the estimate given by the official bulletin of the National wool growers' association.

THE timber wealth of the United States gives a yearly product of over a ry to do it lest there be a choking up of billion dollars, or twice the value of the working forces of this nation the entire output of all the mines put though a limitation of the fields of together-gold, silver, coal, iron, copper, zinc and all the rest.

THE railroads leading to Canton report that 750,000 people visited that place during the last campaign, or 12,500 car loads. The travel from all over the country to Canton has not by any means ceased but the delegations do not go with brass bands and glee clubs now.

MR GEORGE VORHIES, who years ago, did duty between the column rules on a Socorro, N. M., paper, in the double capacity of editor and reporter, is now conducting a horse department in the Danver Field and may conclude to sgain stake down with us in the days of pleaty and prosperity that are yet to come.

county. It is due to his efforts that currency question and remedy other is served at reasonable rates. the house has agreed to the senate evils grown out of our period of deamendment, approving certain acts of pression and disaster. It is entitled to amendment, approving certain acts of the legislature of New Mexico for the issue of bonds so as to validate \$172,500 bonds of Santa Fe county. Bonds so fraudulent that no court in all the land would give a case to recover on them, any standing whatever.

Elsewhere in this issue of the paper of the country, a statement of their condition and necessities, their ability to

appears an article from the pen of Hon. George H. Wallace, addressed to the wool grower. Mr. Wallace has made the study of the wool tariff his business for a number of years, and is probably the best posted man on the subject in New Mexico. He is also a candidate for governor of the Territory, and the people can rest assured if he is named for that place he will give the industrial interests of the Territory deserved attention. This cannot be said of certain other candidates for that office who know nothing but politics and will not do to presume upon that, but it is not derogatory to say, they do not know the necessities of the case. They must be enlightened. For instance, rotten politics at that.

WITHIN a few days, the machinery will be placed in the the creamery, at Phoenix. The Gazette says the plant use 3d class wools for clothing when is the largest and finest in all the southwest, being capable of handling 20,-000 pounds of milk daily. If Las Vegas would only induce enough small wool grower must bring to the attenfarmers, near here, to make enough tion of congress, or we will be stopped butter to supply the home market, it 1897 does not give him protection would be a wonderful saving to the which protects. community. We could never see why more people do not take hold of this industry, in a small way, to start with. All who have tried it, have succeeded in making money, and Chas. Leibschner, who began without a dollar a few years ago, is now comparatively rich. and all has been earned from butter-

SURPLUS ENERGIES. According to the message of the president, 340,468 immigrants were permitted to land on our shores during several people around town. He orthe fiscal year, says the Sait Lake Tribune. These came from the principal panies and tried to cut a big dash in nations of Europe, and the fact that silver City, out many nations of Europe, and the fact that after him and he left. He was seen in they came, when they know that there Las Vegas in October, says the Silver were some bundreds of thousands of City Enterprise. our own people who could not obtain employment, is a living proof that, notwithstanding the depression in the United States, it is after all the most blessed country under the sun, and the one to which the poor of the world torn with longing axes.

21st, promises to be a most enjoyable event. It is designed for children under sixteen years old and a uniform price of 25 cents admission will be United States, it is after all the most turn with longing eyes.

In that circumstance we see that while our country has probably seventy millions of people, while as the ty millions of people, while as the ton are desirous of having a postoffice births and deaths are recorded it leaves located at Geo. Hood's place, and will about two million grown people on shortly send a petition to Washington every New Year's day to seek new to that effect.

THE DAILY OPTIC. homes, there is beside more than one third of a million more that are annually entering into competition with our people. At the same time, machinery is being improved every year, through which the labor of men is more and more taken from their arms and put upon arms of steel, and all this is driving forward with arresistible momentum, and it seems to us that every statesman in the country, ever thoughtful man, even if he is not a statesman, ought to see that unless some provision can be made for the never-ceasing stream; if it is ever permitted to be clogged, and, like a river, to turn out of its banks, the same result will come to society that comes to the river banks when the waters turn back and commence their destruction on the surrounding country.

This is just the time great works ought to be pushed; when the treasury should be flooded with money; when our nation should be stretching out to take p ssession of the great commerce of the Pacific, and to have a fair share of the commerce of the Atlantic, enough at least to carry away our exports, if not to bring in our imports; when new fields should be opened to our people in the country to the south, which can only be done by establishing there American influence and American trade; and inasmuch as money is the great moving force which handles the world's traffic, which gives prestige to nations, and inasmuch as in our hills and deserts there is hidden all that is needed in that respect, that our own people do not have the sense to utilize their gitts is the marvel of the world. stops to think must see that it is necessalabor, until desperate men will do here what they have always done, find an outlet for their energies through illegitimate channels, when legitimate channels are closed.

TO THE WOOL-GROWER.

Hon. George H. Wallace Calls Upon Him to Face His Necessities.

To the Editor of the Optic. SANTA FE, N. M , December 10, '96 Permit me, through the columns of your paper, to again call the attention of the wool-growers of this Territory to the call issued by the president of the National association of wool-groweis, the Hon, Wm Lawrence, for a meeting of the association, in Wash-Farm, over the nom de plume, "St. ington, on the 15th inst An emergen-George." He evidently I oks upon cy exists, a crisis has come, and it is New Mexico as the coming great, and to be hoped a turning point has been

The people have voted to restore the protective policy, and on the 4th of March the republican party will assume MR CATRON has not been in Wash-ington long, but he has used that time terest of home labor and production. MR. CATRON has not been in Washington long, but he has used that time
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ELSEWHERE in this issue of the paper dition and necessities, their ability to meet foreign competition, their relative positions, to the end that in the formulation of its policy, no injustice may be done.

The free wool provisions of the pres ent law have not greatly benefitted the consumer of woolen goods, as every reduction is accounted for by the in creased use of shoddy, but the United States producer of raw wool has been

brought to the verge of bankruptcy There is no doubt but that the woo growers have the good will of the majority of the next congress, but it an associated press dispatch from Boston, Dec 8th, says, "so-called carpet wools are being sold largely for clothing purposes," It manufacturers will all classes are free, they will certainly do so when there is a discriminating

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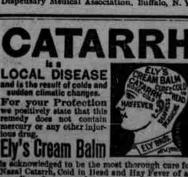
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Now, There foat, I, the undersigned assignee of the St. Vrain Mercantil company do here y give public notice in accordan e with said order of said court that I will on the 4th day of Dicember, A. D., 1836, at the hour of 30 clock pr. m of said day, at the froat door of the usual place of business of the St. Vrain Mercantile company, in the town of Mora, Mora Count, New Mexico, offer for sale as public auction all of the goods, chattels, choses in action, real and personal property of the St. Vrain Mercantile company, in the town of Mora, Mora Count, New Mexico, offer for sale as public auction all of the goods, chattels, choses in action, real and personal property of the St. Vrain Mercantile company in the town of Mora, Mora Count, New Mexico, offer for sale as public auction all of the goods, chattels, choses in action, real and personal property of the St. Vrain Mercantile company in the town of Mora, Mora Count, See Mexico, offer for sale as public auction all of the goods, chattels, choses in action, real and personal property of the St. Vrain Mercantile company in the undersigned.

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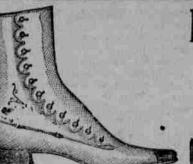
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