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D. W. YOUNG, Stayton.
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W. J. CLEAVER, East Salem.
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DR. D. C. EYLAND, Woodburn.

POVERTY AND WEALTH.

The Century for April contains an editorial article discussing the question, "Shall Fortunes be Limited by Law?" This is written by some easy-going gentleman who lives among the money-loaning class, and the comfortable conclusion he arrives at is that no limit should be imposed. He sees nothing wrong in single families owning $200,000,000, notwithstanding it has now become the rule that very large fortunes, instead of being dispersed by spendthrift heirs, accumulate from generation to generation, as in the case of the Vanderbilts, the Astors and many others.

These immense estates are unrepublican because they create luxury; the youth are brought up in Europe, $10,000 cooks are imported, palatial residences are built by the side of squalid homes, and the sense is offended with costly equipages driven about the streets with flunkies attired in gorgeous livery. It is also evident that if immense wealth is allowed to accumulate in a comparatively few hands the bulk of the population is deprived to the extent of this excess. It would seem that a wise Providence when He placed His intelligent creatures on this earth, made ample provision for the wants of all; but His wise purpose is thwarted by human selfishness and injustice, in a few taking unto themselves an undue share of these gifts, and leaving the millions to struggle for the inadequate portion that remains.

One result of this unfair division is the poverty of the producers of wealth. In Michigan the farms are mortgaged for $100,000,000, the indebtedness of the Nebraska farms is given at $140,000,000, and the farms of Kansas are still more heavily encumbered. The amount of the aggregate indebtedness of the agricultural states we cannot give with accuracy, but we gather from the Springfield (Mass.) Republican that the farm mortgages held by the loan and trust companies in New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania aggregate two billion dollars. Many borrowers pay from 1 to 4 per cent. a month interest on the money they owe, but say the interest paid on the indebtedness above given averages 10 per cent. a year, we have the fearful picture presented to us of $190,000,000 in cash being drained from the farmers every year to increase the wealth of these money kings in the east.

It matters not what logic may be used to justify this state of things; it is wrong on the face of it, and must lead to trouble. Under such a state of things the poor are growing poorer and the rich becoming richer, and it will take no long time for the evil to become intolerable.

This writer spent a few weeks in a southern county of Kansas last fall, while the canvass for a state election was being held. The farmers were poor and dissatisfied. Two years of destructive floods had been succeeded by two seasons of drouth, they had lost their crops during this period and they were all heavily mortgaged. There was no use in republican speakers going among those men to ask their votes, such politicians were denounced as the minions of monopoly and they were hardly accorded a hearing. But greenback orators from Iowa were sought after and listened to, and their idle promises of abundant paper money accepted as the true remedy. Drowning men catch at straws. And at the polls the greenback ticket was elected with a good majority, this being their only way of rebuking monopoly. In Michigan, Iowa, Kansas and other republican states the former heavy majorities are cut down to a bare margin, and this not of the prohibition movement, but because the impoverished farmers feel that a capitalist government has no care for their interest.

The issues of the war are not what trouble the people of to-day, but the inequitable distribution of the award of industry, and the ruinous drain from the borrowing class of excessive interest.

THE DANGER IN GERMANY.

These must be days of serious apprehension and anxiety to the great chancellor of Germany. The impetuous but level headed old Kaiser is gone; the present emperor is in extremis, and if half the accounts of the crown prince are true, he is more fit for a lunatic asylum than for the ruler of a great nation. The foremost captains that directed the great struggle with France are dead, except Von Moltke, and he is in his 88th year. The chancellor is himself past 75, and recently he has had many severe illnesses. He must have anxious forebodings, lest, in unskilled hands, the mighty structure he has given his life to uprear, may topple and fall. It is said the favorite officer of the crown prince is a reckless, dare-devil kind of a soldier; that it is to be expected when the present emperor and Von Moltke shall be gone, this impetuous soldier will be made the virtual commander of the German army, and he with a rattle-brained emperor behind him, makes a prospect which Bismarck must contemplate with infinite apprehension.

How much firmer seems the basis of our own government than any that is supported by bayonets and arbitrary power. Congress may wrangle and we may divide never so bitterly as partisans, but the hearts of the people are throbbing steadily, and when it comes to a question of the country's integrity, there is but one thought over all the broad area of the republic. Our country comes pretty near being the anchor of this old world after all.

A. H. CONSELYEA, of Marion, and W. T. GRIM, of Hubbard, are the nominees for county commissioners on the republican ticket. The selection of these men for the positions named was dictated by sound judgment. Mr. Conselyea has served two terms as assessor, is well acquainted with every stream and every roadway in the county, and is well adapted by experience and personal knowledge to perform the duties of his office. Mr. Grim is the son of Judge Grim, of Aurora precinct, and, we believe, is a native of this county. His long residence here and intimate acquaintance with every material interest are useful qualifications for the office, and his activity and public spirit will come into good play in the performance of his duties. Both of these candidates should be elected, because of their special fitness, and because politics bears no part in the duties they will be called on to fulfill.

WITH one exception, the most magnificent gift of charity in the history of the world is the gift by Baron Hirsch, of $10,000,000, which has been deposited in the bank of London under the trusteeship of Baron Rothschild and Baron de Worms for the education of the poor Jews of Russia.

EDITOR MCCOLLUM, of the Drain Echo, has taken an associate, E. P. Thorp, to assist him in the publication of his paper.

Physician (to Mrs. Col. Blood of Kentucky)—"How did your husband pass the night, Mrs. Blood?" Mrs. Blood—"He seemed quite comfortable, sir, and asked for water several times." Physician (with a grave look) "H'm—still flighty."

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Jefferson, Monday, May 21, at 2 o'clock.
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Mehama, Wednesday, May 23, 1 o'clock.
Whitaker, Thursday, May 24, 10 o'clock.
Howell Prairie, Thursday, May 24, 3 o'clock.
Silverton, Friday May 25, 1 o'clock.
Mt. Angel, Saturday, May 26, 10 o'clock.
Woodburn, Monday, May 28, 2 o'clock.
Hubbard, Tuesday, May 29, 10 o'clock.
Aurora, Tuesday, May 29 8 o'clock.
Butteville, Wednesday, May 30, 10 o'clock.
Champoeg, Wednesday, May 30, 3 o'clock.
St. Paul, Thursday, May 30, 2 o'clock.
Brooks, Friday, June 1, 2 o'clock.
Gervais, Saturday, June 2, 2 o'clock.
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