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REVIEW OF THE WOOL MARKET.

The prospect of early radical reductions in the McKinley tariff law has paralyzed the wool business, closed the majority of the woolen mills, thrown thousands of workingmen and women out of large number of idle mills, there is almost no market for it. This is in strong contrast with the conditions of the woolen manufacturing business previous to March. staple apparent to everyone. Then manufacturers were so actively securing wool with which to fill their large orders for woolen goods that prices advanced from one to two cents per pound above those current during the previous month. States had never before had such a busy year. The demand for wool was so great that it absorbed the entire 333,000,000 pounds of the American clip of 1892, in adimported being equal to 51 per cent. of our own clip. This fact change in tariff was declared. the woolen mills, many of them for the first time in their existence, vertible facts counted for anything with It Took Place Recently In Austria, and began to close, and employees were thrown out of work, many of whom are now dependent upon

charity for support. There are several ways within the reach of the people themselves to lift the shadow of want that overhangs so many American homes to-day, if they will exert themselves quickly. Under proper conditions, the great agencies which poured millions of dollars of wages into the pockets of American workmen are ready to resume their full activity and to restore this nation to the prosperous condition of one year ago. wonder to other nations.

Could the American people receive the assurance that the Mc-Kinley tariff bill will be left undisturbed, this prosperity would leaving it a destructive and harmful measure. Another effective measure for restoring prosperity is for the senate to pass at once one of those resolutions already offered by several senators, assuring the least two years. If either of the above acts are accomplished, within a few weeks thereafter every factory will be busy; the bulk of the wool which now lies in warehouses uncalled for will be

demand. Remove the threat of destructive tariff revision and the great the house as a separate measure. An prosperity of one year ago will other is the proposition, not yet defreturn. The voters themselves can do this, and it can be done by them alone.-Trade Bulletin.

leave Indianapolis next week for California for the purpose of delivering his first course of lectures before the students of the Stanford University. The lectures have been completed and it is said are masterpieces on the subjects treated. After the course is compoints in California, including the Midwinter Exposition.

Co-operative associations are soup houses which sprung into existence throughout the country.

REPUBICANS, organize for the do it.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15, 1893. Secretary Carlisle has one good trait: he knows where to look for good advice when he is in a hole. He is in a hole now, and it is a deep and dark

one. Having called in vain upon his party associates in congress for legisation that would provide the money to meet the deficit made by the announcement of the Cleveland tariff program, he has now called upon senator Sherman for advice and aid Senator Sherman told the democratic senators at the time they declined his suggestion that the silver repeal bill ator, says that he voted against should be amended so as to authorize the income tax thirty years ago, an issue of bonds that the adminisThirty years ago the income tax tration would in the end have to 18- was imposed for the salvation of workingmen and women out of sue bonds. Well, the end is in the union; to-day it is proposed at sales of wool, the prices for which sight and the administration is going the instigation of what was then are now only nominal. The tone to issue bonds, with or without the the disloyal south. The difference of the market is in buyer's favor. consent of congress. If congress will accounts for Dan Voorhees' change There are many holders of wool authorize an issue of bonds they can of heart. wishing to sell, but owing to the be made to run a short period and to carry only three per cent interest; if congress will not authorize the bond issue, they are to be issued under the itor.)-Please insert the following law of 1875 and will consequently advertisement and send bill: 1893. Then, the demand for wool carry four or four and one-half per was so great as to clear from the cent interest and will run a long time. market the clip of the previous The bonds have been printed and

may be made at any time. Mr. Cleveland is as obstinate a ever. Notwithstanding the humiliating position in which he is placed by the last batch of Hawaiian correspondence, which includes President Dole's The woolen mills in the United manly and straightforward answer to Minister Willis's demand that the provisional government retire in favor of the dissolute woman who had predition to 168,000,000 pounds of behead her opponents as soon as she only one way to cure deafness and that is by imported wool-a quantity larger got back into power, and which was constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by 32 per cent. than the imports sent to the house Saturday and to the by an inflamed condition of the mucuous of any previous year under any senate today (the senate was not in tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling previous tariff law, the quantity session Saturday), he still wishes to resound or imperfect hearing, and when it is turers are in no way "Hampered familiar since the meeting of the extra and this tube restored to its normal condiby lack of toreign wool for mix- session to "convert" members of coning." The enormous quantity of gress to his views. If public opinion which is nothing but an inflamed condition wool imported, even with the Mc. instead of being strongly opposed as it of the muchous surfaces. Kinley duties added, owing to the has been from the first had been over— We will give one hundred do be for any heavy fall in foreign prices, was whelmingly in favor of restoration this case of deafness (caused by catarh) that relatively cheaper than the Amer- batch of correspondence, which in- cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. ican clip, low as the latter was.

But in less than four months after the policy of an immediate radical batch of correspondence, which includes the dispatches of Willis here—tofore withheld, would have made re—tofore withheld w storation impossible.

If plain arguments and incontro-

democrats the Cleveland tariff bill would have been buried beyond hope of resurrection by those presented have blood in them. A particularly against it by the few republicans who dramatic encounter is just reported have had an opportunity to speak from Vienna, where a well known phyduring the absurdly short time allowed on satisfaction, in spite of the fact that for general debate. The orders to his antagonist was a professor in a milrailroad the bill are imperative and itary fencing academy. The doctor was there is little probability that any of appointment with guests for an hour the numerous amendments which will subsequent to the combat. The weapbe offered by dissatisfied democrats ons were sharpened sabers. There were three rounds, in each of which the during the debate under the five- officer received a cut, the last siitting minute rule, which will occupy the his cheek and depriving him of two rest of the time until the 29th, inst., when the bill will be voted upon, will although the duel was over, that none which was a source of so much be adopted. But there is one conso of the wounds was sufficiently serious. lation ahead. Mr. Cleveland will not To end the dispute the principals agreed be able to recognize his bill when the pistols. Meanwhile the physician met senate finance committee gets through his friends and traveled to Vienna, inwith it. Nothing could show plainer quickly return. The speediest what the democrats of the house really riage before the conductor, slamming way to accomplish this is for con- want than the applause they gave to the door, crushed the thumb of his gress to strike out the enacting the out and out free trade speeches of right hand. Upon his arrival at Viclause of the Wilson bill. It is a Tom Johnson of Ohio, Jerry Simpson dangerous bill, and it will be im- of Kansas, and Bryan of Nebrasks. possible to amend it without still They want free trade, and, as Representative Black of Illinois, who wants reduce wages in the United States to raised his pistol and fired carefully. the level of those paid in other parts of the world. That is a beautiful and him, but he stood in his place uncountry that tariff revision will not enticing programme to lay before a moved.

be considered for a period of at nation of wage earners, now isn't it? The opposition to the income tax proposition has unquestionably frightened the democrats who favor it. One result of the fright was the determination of the democrats of the ways wholly inadequate to supply the and means committee not to offer the income tax as an amendment to the Cleveland tariff bill, but to report it to Cahla initely acted upon to hold a democratic caucus to decide whether the income * Ex-President Harrison will The final result will be the same either spirit moves him. Dr. Walter Flemway. The income tax may be forced Four Hundred was a genuine surprise.

republicans on the senate committee sticks. It proved a real surprise on privileges and elections against the pleted the ex-president will spend bill for the repeal of the federal eleca month or so in visiting various tions against the bill for the repeal of the Federal election laws which was passed by the house at the extra session and is now before the senate, is a now experiencing a boom, due to document that fairly bristles with com- ed into a music hall. Little marble tathe Cleveland hard times. They mon sense reasons why these laws bles will be placed here and there, and are just a little in advance of the should not be repealed. Common a stage will be erected at one end. sense plays a very small part in democratic legislation, but there is a dim able amateurs. Some of the guests, atand shadowy hope that this bill may tired as waiters and waitresses, will coming fray. Now is the time to be defeated in the senate by demo- tea, coffee, beer and other refreshments. cratic opposition to it. It is known

that Mr Cleveland's democratic friends in New York are afraid of the effects of repeal and that they have made their fears known to Mr. Cleveland and to some of the democratic senators.

There is no significance in the election of Hon. J. H. Manley of Me., to succeed Hon, T. H. Carter, of Mont., as chairman of the executive committee of the republican national committee. Mr. Carter wishes to be relieved of a portion of the work. He still remains at the head of the national

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Duels in Austria are more interesting than French affairs, for sometimes they sician, insulted by an officer, insisted so certain of victory that he made an

teeth. The docto: was unhurt. The regimental physician declared. to meet again in the afternoon with tending to return after the dinner. He was scarcely seated in the railroad carenna an operation was performed by a professor in the university, who order-

ed him to carry his hand in a sling. Although his pistol hand was useless the doctor was punctually on the ground at the hour fixed. The signal The ball grazed the doctor's neck, and at first it was believed to have struck

Then, lifting his pistol in his left hand, he fired. The officer fell heavily to the ground. Rushing to his antagonist, the doctor asked: "Are you much hurt? What do you feel?" He received no reply. His adversary. struck in the chest, lay unconscious. He is not expected to recover. The physician returned to Vienna, where on the same evening he had to undergo a second painful operation.-London

Surprise Dinners. Swell metropolitan society in New York is indulging in what are called surprise dinners. The host marshals his guests and carries them off to a private tax shall be pushed or abandoned. residence, hotel or cafe, just as the through the house by a very small They started from Fifth avenue in full margin, but its death in the senate is evening dress and the carriages pulled up in Mott street, just off the Bowery, where, in a cheap Chinese restaurant, The minority report prepared by the a Chinese dinner was served with chop

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How Wall Street Is Inclined to Trade Upon Washington Falsehoods-Egregious Lies About President Cleveland-His Physical Condition-Indifference For Walking.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11 .- [Special.]-Wall street has some peculiar connections with Washington. From what sources "the street" derives its information as to what is going on in the capital no one knows, but it gets some strange and worderful tips from these parts. A few days ago, while President Cleveland, Secretaries Gresham and Carlisle and "Fighting Bob" Evans were down the river on a shooting trip, Wall street became very much excited. It had heard-Heaven only knows how-that President Cleveland was losing his mind; that he had completely broken down; that he was in such a sad condition that his friends of the cabinet were considering the advisability of taking him away for a long rest.

Wall street heard these things in some unaccountable manner and evidently placed more or less faith in them, because it fired a score of telegrams into Washington that day asking for the facts about the president's condition. The bigger the lie the more quietly Wall street swallows it, hook, line, pole and sinker. Of course the rumors were absurd. While it is true that the president has some bad teeth in his head, and while it is true also that he is to some extent showing the effects of the long strain to which he has been subjected, there is no man in this country in less danger of losing his mental faculties than Grover Cleveland. His Mind All Right.

The senators, representatives and office seekers who call on him occasionally about appointments could not be made to believe that Mr. Cleveland is in any danger of losing his mind. The sharp memory which enables him to call up almost every detail of a case—the characteristics of aspirants, their faults and weaknesses, the nature of their indorsements, the objections made to them-gives no indication of waning mental powers. Mind specialists say the memory is usually the first thing to suffer when any derangement of the cerebral organs appears, and by that test, if no other, Mr. Cleveland's mind is as clear as the tones of

a silver bell. The men who call on the president find him sharp, alert, keen in his analysis of character and conditions and fully able to cope with the bright men who do business with him. Stories are told every day of the president's remarkable power of carry-ing small details in his mind. If any change whatever is noticeable in his manner, it is an increasing impatience, lack of tolerance, by decision, but by procrastination.

A Silly Charge Refuted. Of course these stories concerning Mr. Cleveland's mental condition have been in tirculation in Washington. But here, where the facts are known, scarcely a second thought is given to them. When the president's special message on Hawaii made its appearance a few weeks ago, some people thought they could see in it evidences of the hand of Secretary Gresham. Feeding their imagination with trifles, these extra wise persons declared the whole message had been written by Gresham, and that all the president had done was to sign his name. In the same way some smart persons thought they could see evidences of the hand of Dan Lamont in the prepara-

tion of the president's annual message. During Mr. Cleveland's first term a great many people could never be induced to believe anything else than that the president's private secretary prepared all of the messages to congress, state papers and speeches. Of course the facts are, as we all know-all who take the trouble to ascertain facts—that the president writes his own messages and state papers. He has always done so. The peculiar English of those documents is the president's own. The Hawaiian message was more charac-

teristic of Mr. Cleveland than anything he has written for years. It is absolutely un-mistakable. And how any intelligent man could honestly suspect it to be Gresham's work-to whose style it bears no resemblance whatever—is beyond fathoming. Whatever may be the strong or the weak points of Grover Cleveland as a public man. inability to prepare the state papers which bear his signature cannot be charged against

About the White House. One of the penalties of fame is to be lied about. President Cleveland is no exception to the rule. Not long ago the newspa were filled with stories to the effect that the president was a physical coward-that he ived in daily fear of assassination. The tales had an increased force of watchmen on the White House grounds; they told of the president's sudden desertion of his country house for the executive mansion; they recited the fact that he had employed a mounted policeman to accompany him on his drives to and from Woodley; they laid great stress upon the failure of the president ever to take walks in the streets or about the White House grounds,

There is just this much truth in thes tales: The president left Woodley sooner than he had expected to do because he found too much time was taken from his work in passing to and fro, and because the approach of winter made the country seat ess comfortable than the executive mansion. He did have a mounted policeman detailed to ride ahead of him along the lonely roads, but in doing so followed more the advice of Mrs. Cleveland and members of his cabinet, who urged him to prudence, than any promptings of his own fears. It was a wise and proper thing to do. In no other country in the world would a national ruler go about in lonely country roads, day or night, without attendance. There has been an increase of the watch force about the executive mansion, but the increase consists of the addition of a single man.

Mr. Cleveland does not take walks in the streets or about the grounds, as Harrison layes, Grant and other presidents did the reason that he does not like valk-, claims not to need the exercise, and in does appear to get along very well atthout it. On his vacations, whether in inware, at Saranac lake or down the Pomac, Mr. Cleveland goes about as fearsty and unpretentiously as any private The charge of physical cowardice

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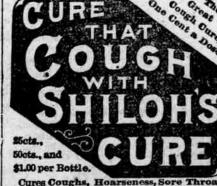
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