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DEATH OF A. N. TOWNE.

In the death of A. N. Towne the Pacific coast loses its ablest railroad manager. Whatever may be said of the policies of the Southern Pacific railroad, everyone, both in and out of the employ of the company, who knows anything of the management of its affairs, concedes that a most successful executive in railroad matters has been taken. For forty years he has been in the service, working his way from freight brakemen to general manager of the greatest railroad corporation doing business on the coast. He left an estate of about three-fourths of a million, yet he was one of the men with whom English snobs would not, if they are consistent, associate, because he could not say he had never earned his living by manual labor. Although rich, few men worked so hard, or were so entirely a servant.

His success was due to industry, care and intelligence. In America he was a gentleman and a laborer; in the eyes of an Englishman, who lives, like tramps, upon the labors of others, he would have been a laborer, and not a gentleman. The nobility of a man who raises himself from freight brakeman to a position like Mr. Towne's, is not to be compared to that of the Prince of Wales; it is as much more real as is the natural rose when compared to the tissue-paper imitation.

PRICE OF WHEAT.

The East Oregonian remarks that it is surprising that the promise of republican success in 1896 does not have some effect on wheat as well as on wool. The price of wheat, we claim, is affected. It is about twenty-five per cent higher than it was eight months ago; and the change would be still greater if wheat was a commodity which required one or two years in which to reach the consumer, or which was a commodity of import, like wool, instead of export. Wool goes up because there is a good prospect that it will be protected by the time the goods to be manufactured from this clip will be placed on the market. Wheat goes up now because the restoration of manufacturing increases the demand for breadstuffs the world over. But give us a protective tariff, and wheat will be all right, at least so far as this country is concerned, and wool will be as much higher as the amount of the tariff.

SHERMAN AND THE PRESIDENCY

John Sherman says he is not a candidate for president. It is not probably he could be nominated and less likely he could be elected.—Engene Guard.

This is undoubtedly true and yet in days gone by a more suitable man for the presidency than John Sherman could not have been found. Cool headed, able and patriotic he had none of the demagogue in him, but stood as a rock of strength in any emergency. Sherman never had in him the qualities that would make a popular candidate for president, but had he ever attained the executive chair the country would have had a clean, forcible, American administration. We do not always choose our best men president as the defeats of John Sherman in repeated conventions and James G. Blaine at the polls plainly show.

The recommendations a man gets from his friends after he has helped some other fellow into an office sought by his sponsor, are more sincere, if not more accurate, than those which boosted him into prominence. McCowan now thinks that if the president could have cast his eye upon the countenance of Henry of Heppner, that the aforesaid Henry would not now be in a position to turn down so indignominously the aforesaid McCowan. We wonder what McCowan said to Secretary Carlisle when he placed the collector's indorsement in his hands. It makes a heap of difference where we stand when we look at a man's character and qualities.

The debate of Messrs. Horr and Harvey will attract much attention, but it will be read with far less interest now than if it had taken place eight months ago. Business is starting up, and people are astonished to find that there is plenty of money with which to do it; besides, many are now too busy earning a dollar to stop to discuss, or read discussions, about whether the ratio between silver and gold should be 16 to 1. When fish are running well, as Columbia river fishermen say, we don't stop to develop theories why they don't run,

we hustle to catch them as they go by, and leave discussions for off years when fish don't run.

The wool market throughout the world is still active. American buyers are conspicuous in the London market, and are shipping in large quantities to the United States. Present prices in Boston range from 11 to 14 cents. With a tariff of 2 or 3 cents per pound, the government would realize more on wool this year than it has, or will, from the income tax by several dollars, and there would have been distributed among wool producers who market in this city from \$120,000 to \$180,000 more than what has been paid. Thus free trade helps the sheep industry.

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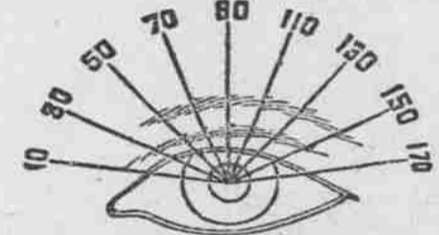
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