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OUR PROSPERITY.
Because labor has not been in demand during the past three years, we conclude that at no time in the recollection of a majority of voters
were we so prosperous as in the dim were we so prosperous as in the dim
past, whose burdens have been forpast, whose burdens have been forgotten, and only the high price of
wheat, eorn and cotton is remem. wheat,
bered.
We appear to have entircly overlooked the fact that in 1873 cities
like Seattle, containing 50,000 to like Seattle, containing 50,000 to
60,000 inhabitants, were small and unimportant villages; Tacoma and Spokane were unthought of; Helena Billings, Bismarck and many othecities, now having a commercial importance greater than many of the present great cities of the east an nothing at all; our own Portland was a city of about 15,000 people, without a railroad other than a local one. The Northern Pacific railroad ex tended less than one fourth the disLance from Lake Superior to Puget
Sound; the rocte of the Southern Pacific was a trackless desert; the Central and Unton Pacific were baremany connecting lines. The country between Minnesota and the Pacific was mostly a buffalo range, with thought had occurred to any one that the waterless deserts of Arizona and New Mexico would
duce a fig, grape or orange.
But our prosperity demanded the development of this great western ed, eities grew up and buildings were constructed in these new western
cities which would have been a pride to New York City twenty-five years ago. We put on all the embellishour streets and buildings with electric lights; we propelled our street ears with the most approved electric motors; we paved our streets; we
opened our forests and our mines; opened our forests and our mines; we improved our farms and added bilions of dollars. Our Pennoyers, Thompsons, Montgomerys, Corbetts, Ladds, Frenchs and many others
made, or largely increased their fortunes. And all this while the blight of the single standard was upon us. Never did a nation develop in wealth so rapidily.
The fact
The fact is the coinage laws hat
nothing to do with our prosenenty nor our feew years of adversity. O naticnal resources, our indastry. our
ingenaity
and
our perserverance made us what we are. Legislation in the way of restricting ecmpetition will do much for us; but laws leading to driving capital
can only do us harm.
The tariff has been much negleeted in the local discussions of this campaign because the Popocrats do not dare to discuss it and Repblicans feel that the people are being gross The able and clear presentation of the tariff question by Schoonmaker
last evening was needed, and will pot many on their feet who have been carried away by the mad and, as we believe, most foolish free silver craze. After all, the issue of
greatest concern to this country is the protection of our industries.
Spain proposed to dictate to an
American captain in the harbor of Havana a few days ago, but unfor
tunately for Cuba she stopped just tunately for Cuba she stopped jus overstepping the bounds
befcre of international law. Had she take would have had the United State floating all over Cuba within six weeks.
Tillman, like Pen disappointment to the more sensib men who have been carried away by free silver. He offers nothing which appeals to reason or sound judgment. He disgusts many who ar wavering in their allegiance to Pop-
ulism, and the inevitable result such speeches will be to drive men the standard of McKinley and pro

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