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THE TWO MEN.

In a general sense, of course, the present contest is one between opposing parties, principles and poliively for certain things that are to be voted upon, and choice is to be made of one or the other mainly by reason of his identification in this representative capacity with one or the other set of general views and Nevertheless, practically speaking, this fact is subject to some modification. The personality of a candidate counts for a good deal, particularly in the case of the highest office in the land, and voters are bound to give more or less consider ation to it in making up their minds how to cast their ballots. A comparison between McKinley and Bryan as individuals is unavoidable. Aside from their political opinions and affiliations, it is proper to take account of their personal qualities as related to their fitness for the great position to which they aspire. The functions of a president involve many requirements of mind and manners that do not directly pertain to the enforcement of a given political policy; and it is right that such after in the selection of the man who exalted office in the eyes of all of silver?"

two men that they have lived clean and upright private lives, and that no breath of scandal has touched either of them through the searching processes of the campaign. But there are differences between them all the same. McKinley is certainly the history of this country has there the superior of Bryan in dignity,

the world.

self-restraint and general propriety. He has more of the bearing of a statesman, and suggests the idea of greater solidity and safety. Bryan is impulsive, emotional, and lacking in discretion and discrimination. He has made his canvass a kind of ory. show, thus depreciating the soberness and importance of the matter; and it is easy to see that he is largely governed in his proceedings by accidental circumstances, instead of sound and systematic methods of thought and action. It is hardly to luck to increase his wages proportionbe doubted by any impartial ob- ately? server that McKinley is preferable

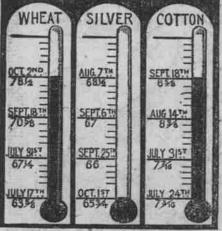
faculty of avoiding slippery places; and his long experience in public life is in itself a qualification that gives him a decided advantage. The country would never be apprehen sive of any hasty or foolish conduct on his part as president, whereas there would be constant fear about tions or other preparations." Bryan in that respect. That fact is worth considering in a serious way. TICKET It has a positive bearing upon the question of choosing between the two men; and every good citizen should include it in his thoughts with regard to his duty as a voter.

> M1. Reed states a great practical truth when he says that the riches of the country west of the Mississippi river are worthless without money to develop them; and the money for that purpose must necessarily be borrowed to a large extent. Therefore, credit is a very important thing to the people of said section. They cannot borrow unless somebody is willing to lend; and nobody will lend them 100c dollars when there is the least danger that the debts thus contracted will be paid in 50c dol-

The truth about the Republicans who are going to vote for free silver is that they have mostly been in the cies. The candidates stand respect- habit of voting the Democratic

Wheat, Cotton and Silver.

While Bryan is telegraphing the New York Journal that "the gold standard makes a dearer dollar, a dearer dollar means falling prices, and falling prices mean hard times," the prices of wheat, corn and cotton are going up, and the price of silver, the supposed barometer of prices of farm products, is going



Bryan must demodify his farm product speeches or he will have to face such hard questions as: "What about wheat and cotton? Are their prices gothings should be carefully looked ing up in sympathy with silver or because of a shortage of foreign crops! What connection is there, anyway, beas to exercise the authority of that tween the prices of farm products and

Of course Bryan can answer all such questions. In fact, they are "dead easy" It is to be said of both of these for a powerful man who can lift the THE CELEBRATED _ price of all the silver in the world to twice its present height, but it is just as well to avoid all unnecessary embar-

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