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FARMERS' DAY COMING.

Few of us realize the vast work undertaken by the Russian government in the building of the great trans-Asiatic railroad through Siberia, and fewer yet have the remotest idea of the effect the completion of this road will have, not only on Siberia, but on the world. It is quite probale this great road, nearly 4,000 miles long, will be completed with the century. The treaty recently made with China, by which an open harbor the year round has been acquired, will stimulate the building of the road and the consequent settlement of Siberia.

We have all of us been taught to look upon Siberia much as we looked upon the Dakotas, Nebraska and Kansas, as portions of the great American desert, instead of a prolific soil and the possible granary of a nation. Our ideas of Siberia, obtained from the old geographies, were totally false. That in twenty or thirty years from now Siberia will be raising the bread of Europe, is a certainty; and were it equally certain that America would at that time have to seek a market for her breadstuffs abroad, the outlook for our farmer would be gloomy.

. . But this is not the case. Thirty years from now it will require more intensified farming than we now practice to supply our local markets. We are increasing in population a million a year, and the rate of increase is increasing. Thirty years from now the population will exceed Ralston 100,000,000. In other words, we will have gained a population as great, or greater, than that of Ger- Koffy, many, France or England. We will have to raise products sufficient to feed all the present population of Pan Kake Flour. any one of those countries, in order to feed ourselves. The result of this will be improved conditions for the farmer. We believe the agricultural callings have seen their darkest days, and that the condition Breakfast Food, of the farmer will steadily improve.

Siberia will feed the world, but it will soon be realized that it is really America for Americans, and that all our products will be consumed at home. Then the land owner, the farmer, will assume that position to which the nobleness of his calling entitles him, and the owners of the soil will be the aristocrats of the country.

BOTH SIDES TALKING.

Attorney-General Olney says, the recognition or refusal thereof of Cuban independence is a matter that belongs to the president, and not to congress. Senator Sherman and other leading senators take issue with him on this, and claim that congress could pass a resolution which the president might veto, but that if it was then passed over his veto, it would become a law, and as such the president would have to see it exe- Martin's cuted. The whole discussion is buncomb, for neither the president nor congress can recognize the Cuban government because it does not exist.

The sympathy of the entire country is with the Cubans, simply because they are struggling for freedom. Outside of that, what Spain does with her colonies is none of our husiness, and the learned law-makers. who are making the old rotunda at King of Magicians Washington tremble with their per orations, are all well aware of it. The United States senate is only accused of senility.

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Mr. Cramp, the Philadelphia shipbuilder, has been examining into the component parts of corn-stalks, and if he may be believed has discovered just whole lots of things. He states that the elements entering into the composition of the corn-stalk could be utilized for the production of alcohol, cellulose, matting, carpets, paper, smokeless powder, and a food for cattle superior to anything now in the market. Besides these, he says he can enumerate several other things for which the stalks would be valuable, and adds that his discoveries will raise the value of the corn area at least \$5 per acre. This would be good news indeed, if true, but we very much fear Mr. Cramp is articulating through his silk tile. The smokeless powder and other things may be all right, but we draw the line at having superior cattle feed left after all the stalk is used up for something else.

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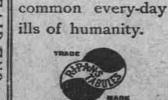
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