

ASTORIA, OREGON: SUNDAY. AUGUST 17, 188 NO CAUSE FOR FRIGHT.

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WOMEN WHO VOTE.

The business outlook in a presidental year is not infrequently unsettled, and this year as usual in the licly exhibited and offered at such times of general elections, there are not wanting Cassandras who prophesy who could walk along the great thorruin to the entire business part of the oughfares of a city with twenty community. The cry of wolf has, however, been raised so often in this not spend a cent would make a model country on such occasions, that it has wife for an economical man. Even if ceased to have terrors for any save she were entitled to vote and wended the uninitiated, some of whom are her way to the polls with the inten beginning to manifest a little uneasiness in regard to the future." Upon a cool inspection of the en-

tire situation, there seems small rea- lighter than the ballot she desired to son for any tremor in this case, since cast. Few women would accept the it is a matter of history that the electoral franchise if they were comcountry has been in worse financial pelled to crush their innate love for condition scores of times ere now, shopping. and recovered before most of the population knew that anything was the matter. The imagination of an individual is often a powerful factor

been known to die with nothing what- and resolved to crush this terrible ever the matter save a diseased im- costume. The chief of police in Matagination. So it is often the case of toon has announced that any woman a nation. If a few demagogues cry found clothed in a Mother Hubbard famine or pestilence or panic and can will be arrested. It is not stated induce people to listen to them, the whether this peculiar costume is exresult is often quite as disastrous as plosive in its character, or whether it the nation instead of being pu ely imaginary.

The voices of such demagogues are being loudly uplifted, and it is well to gradually fitting itself for tropical give a word of warning, less incautious spectators, like a theater andi- so on. Whether the Illinois Mother ence when the cry of fire is raised, be Hubbard has made still further clips alarmed before any genuine signs of at the north and south as well as the genuine panic appear. It is said that east and west of the garment we do there has been a large falling off in not at this writing know. To be fully statement is true; but its importance is vital interest to the country than greatly diminished by the fact that the Cleveland's letter. That will only inprices of the depreciated stocks were altogether fictitious and far above the Hubbard question agitates all the real value of the property they were ladies-12,000,000 of them. supposed to represent; in many cases the inflation of their values being so openly done that it would seem that tion has been started in Germany by none but the most gullible could be a society composed wholly of noble deceived.

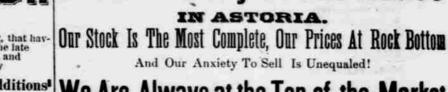
Then, again, the insinuation that by the fact that, with a very few ex- the advantage of fertile soil and faceptions, the banks are in a remarkably good condition, the failures changing their landless titles for the among them being confined to such hands of the fair senoritas of that as have had officials of a speculative turn of mind. Some of these of of the new scheme of philanthropy course are in trouble, as is perfectly are now completed, and a large party natural, and here and there in their of the high-born but impecunious emfall, they have pulled down other igres will soon arrive at Liverpool. banks and banking institutions that From that point they will be taken to relied upon them with too implicit Chili at the expense of the Chilian confidence, but neither is there any. government, which also agrees to supthing strange about this, for instances ply the exiles with land free of charge Scarf Pins, Chains, Watches, and to maintain them all in suitable of misplaced confidence occur too often to justify the founding of a panic style for one year from the date of their arrival. If at the end of that upon them.

Add to the satisfactory condition time they have not made their forof banks the fact that men who have tunes, either in the way of money or pursued legitimate methods in their matrimony, they will be at liberty to

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business, have refrained from gambling in any form and have been reasonably cautious, are doing fairly well and the case grows stronger, and when we remember that the crops of the year are likely to be fully up to the average, if not beyond it, the whole foreboding of disaster seems uncalled for and absurd. Nevertheless there are not wanting men who will believe that there is nothing but ruin ahead, and as their confidence in this direction sometimes seems to give them real comfort, perhaps it is quite as well that they should hug their delusion to their heart's content.

BACK TO FIRST PRINCIPLES.

It is no more than friendly to warn the party organs against violent language. If they exhaust the vituperative resources of the English tongue at this early stage of the campaign they will fall into gibbering idiocy long before November. It is our desire to see good temper and sound reasoning prevail, the examination of candidates and policies upon their merits and a fair and full vote by the people. But how strangely the ground shifts. Two weeks ago there was some talk of the tariff-a real live issue, Suddenly it turned upon Mr. Cleveland's alleged indiscretions, and now it appears to be directed to the mental processes of the Rev. Mr. Beecher. That eminent divine has been plunged in doubt, like a sinner on the anxious seat, and. odd sight, numbers of politicians have been laboring with him, instructing him how much gallantry constituted meritoriousness, and how much falls a little short of it. Mr. Beecher is well on in years, and is surely well-grounded in the moralities. Let us all think of beautiful Ben Butler.

SENATOR HARRISON, of Indiana, has taken charge of the Blaine libel suit and proposes to make it exceedingly interesting for the gentleman who edits the Indianapolis Sentinel. The trial comes off in October, and will be one of the most interesting cases on record.

IT has at last been discovered who is or was the author of the famous "Morey letter," which lost California to the Republicans in 1880. It appears that that forgery was committed by a New York lawyer named Henry B. Hadley. He has made a full confession.

return at their own expense, but the Berlin philanthropists will have no more to do with them.

A custous fact shown by the United States balance sheet at the close of the year's business is that there is WINES. nearly \$20,000,000 of outstanding government securities on which the money is due and uncalled for. On all of these interest has been closed and there can be no possible reasons for the holders to delay presenting them for redemption. Some of them have been due for many years. On some of them are due large sums of interest, which have not been called for, so that the interest on these alone amounts to \$347,000. What has be come of these documents and why they are not presented is something no one can find out. Some of them ma tured a half a century ago, and are still junheard from and unpresented.

EUBOPE, politically, is a slumbering volcano. It is not certain when the crater will flow, but it comes at the tap of the drum. The subterranean growings are ominous. The English lion is growling, the Prussian eagle is screaming, and France can "go to the deuce." Russia rests on bayonets and Italy fawns on England. As for Spain and the other little fellows, they can go, we presume to the dence also. International friendship may be represented by the formula L. S. D. It is a grab game all round. An erup-23, 188, at 2 P. M. A full attendance is re-constant. tion is evidently in order.

CARL SCHURZ and his highly moral confreres are strangely silent since the little peccadilloes of their candidate were ventilated. NEW TO-DAY.

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Dissolution of Partnership. THE FIRM OF STONE & DAVIDSON IS this day dissolved by mutual consent.	
2. W. Stone will conduct the business in fu- ure, and collect all accounts and pay all lebts of the late firm. d-7t C. W. STONE J. A DAVIDSON.	IVE lock uses of Draying
SCHOOL TAXES.	05.
otified that the school tax of said district or the year 1884, is now due and payable at the office of the undersigned in Astoria, Or- rea gon, and that the same will be deemed de- inquent unless paid within 60 days from the ate of this notice. J. O. BOZORTH, er t	N OL busin city. son for n and i he pre may pr pply a
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Notice. S HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNU-al meeting of Stockholders of the I. X. I acking Co., will be held at the Company's fice, Upper Astovia, on Saturday, Augus 3, at 1 o'clock F. X., for the purpose of elect-g a Board of Directors for the ensuing J. OSTROM,

