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The buoyancy of the wheat market yesterday, resulting from McKinley's election, is only another straw which points to that prosperity now rapidly approaching.

The sarcastic references to "kleptomaniacs and a bank account" made in some quarters against the Castle trial in London, says the Pioneer Press, are ill-judged and in bad taste. If Mrs. Castle's offense had been other than what it was, it would have been attributed to mania. Murder, arson, and other crimes of violence are no more easily condoned where the offender is wealthy than where he is poor.

Now that capital has been released, by the election of McKinley, confidence restored throughout the nation and Astoria and Clatsop county so nobly did their share for the general good, it can be confidently predicted that in the near future work on the railroad line will be re-doubled; Mr. Hammond will return to Astoria; the proposed dry dock, elevator, saw mill and flour mills schemes will be put in tangible shape and one or more of these great enterprises will be commenced before spring and Astoria's rapid development in 1897 is an assured fact.

The proclamation by President Cleveland that Thursday, November 26 will be observed as a day of general thanksgiving is a reminder to Astorians and Clatsop county people that they have much this year for which to be devoutly thankful. They have played no unimportant part in preserving the honor and credit of the nation; the railroad, which is the key that will unlock the gates of prosperity, is well under way and will be completed before another season; confidence has been restored in Oregon and capital for the development of our resources will be obtainable; great strides will be taken in the immediate future for the building up of a great port at the mouth of the Columbia, where trade and manufactures will go hand in hand, and the dreams of our citizens that some day Astoria would be a commercial center of international importance are about to be realized.

A bill was introduced in the last congress providing that in any trial by jury the judge's charge shall be wholly confined to the law in the case. The object of the bill is, like that making contempt of court punishable by jury, of which he have spoken several times, to emancipate the courts. There is a large class of the community to whom courts and judges are every year becoming more and more repulsive objects. The idea that any one man should have so much power and authority as to be able to punish another for refusing to obey him is repugnant to their feelings; yet it is a fact that this power lies at the root of our judicial system as it exists. Orders and judgments of court, like other commands for the despatch of business, have to be executed at once, to be of any value. If a jury had to be resorted to to determine whether a judicial order should be made efficient or not, judicial trials would very likely soon come to an end. Most witnesses, for instance, dislike subpoenas extremely, and as soon as they found out that the only result of their refusing to testify would be a jury trial to determine whether they should be made to testify, they would, whenever it was for their interest to do so, remain silent, so that one of the first results of the new system would be that proof would fail, and without proof there can be no administration of justice at all. At the very best, trials, instead of being speedy, would become more and more dilatory, and in the end would revert to the stage of six hundred years ago, when "the forbearance

of the law" was so great that the plaintiff was lucky if he got a trial at all.

SOME EFFECTS OF BRYAN'S EXTINCTION.

Some days before the election the Omaha Bee declared that a conservative estimate of enterprises projected of one kind or another upon Bryan's defeat involved a prospective investment of \$200,000,000. In addition to this vast sum which will at once be released upon its mission of supplying work and wages to thousands of idle men, it is said that plans for municipal improvements in various sections of the country, for which the money, amounting to a hundred million dollars, could not be obtained before election, will now be started, and there are also numerous corporate and private projects involving millions which only awaited McKinley's election to be floated.

The New York Sun lately printed an interview with a prominent business man who said there were enough contracts at that time let in the United States the work of filling which would be held off until after election, to give one-half of the unemployed in the country steady work throughout the winter. McKinley is now elected, and all these great and various enterprises will begin to move forward. Millions upon millions of dollars which have been locked up for months past, will be released and put into business and general circulation. It is well known that manufacturers and wholesale merchants have been accumulating orders for six months past which were to be supplied only in the contingency of McKinley's election, and many of the largest manufacturing establishments throughout the country will be obliged to work extra time between now and next spring to satisfy these numerous demands.

This condition is not peculiar in any particular locality, but everywhere, merchants, manufacturers, builders, corporations and capitalists of all sorts who had their money invested, or were about to invest in productive enterprises when the craze of Bryanism first assailed the country, have been anxiously awaiting the result of the election, fully prepared to extend their business and investments if financial stability should be assured by the success of the cause of sound money. All these facts considered, make it reasonable to anticipate a wonderful improvement in the general welfare of the whole people within the next sixty or ninety days. Of course it will not be possible for McKinley's administration to afford the country any relief from present tariff conditions until some time subsequent to his inauguration. But the majorities assured by the results on Tuesday in both branches of congress, will facilitate the passage of all needed tariff legislation before the close of spring.

MARVELOUS RESULTS.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundersen, Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist church at River Junction she was brought down with pneumonia succeeding La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing lasted hours with little interruption, and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work, and highly satisfactory in its results." Trial bottles free at Chas. Rogers' Drug Store. Regular size, 50c and \$1.00.

Edward Hughson, convicted of murder in the first degree for killing his wife, was sentenced at Albany, N. Y., to be electrocuted at Dannemora during the week commencing December 14.

Lawyer Charles F. Mussey, of Kansas City, Mo., has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Alice Platt, his former servant, on the charge of murdering his wife's mother and his two children.

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Table with columns: SAILED, FLAG, NAME, TONNAGE, SAILED FOR, ARRIVED, CRUISE, VALUE, SHIPPERS, RATE. Lists various ships and their destinations.

VESSELS ON THE WAY TO OREGON.

Table with columns: PORT SAILED FROM AND NAME, CAPTAIN, TONNAGE, RATE, CONSIGNEES, DAY OF ARRIVAL. Lists ships and their routes.

REFERENCES

1 Aug 13, passed Astor. 2 June 9, passed Lizard no date, in Bay of Biscay. 3 July 16, passed Singapore. 4 June 6th, 20th, 23rd, into Rio de Janeiro prior to July 4; will have to discharge part of cargo. Aug. 4, hold 2000 tons of cargo; sailed again Aug. 12.

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