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OUR schools have advanced more in the last year than they ever did in any previous three years.

THERE is not another city in the state that can make such a showing for her public schools as Plattsmouth.

THERE will be more ex-office-holders at Chicago next week than have ever been known to be at a national convention before.

THE exhibit made by our public schools in Rockwood hall has changed all the growlers at the school board and teachers into giving praises to them.

THE democrats should take notice of the fact that not one of the men who tried to defeat Harrison at Minneapolis has said a word about opposing him any further.

THE closing exercises of our public schools and the exhibit which was made in Rockwood hall, speaks volumes for our public schools and excellent corps of teachers that we now have.

THE exhibition given by our schools should by all means be sent to the state fair next September. It will make one of the best advertisements that the city could invest in.

WE venture to say that a selection could be made from the exhibit by our public schools that would not only reflect credit on our town, but the whole state, if sent to the world's fair at Chicago next year.

THE British Trade Journal, London, announces a serious falling off of trade with Cuba and freely admits that the treaty of reciprocity between the United States and Spain is the cause of the decline which is made up in the increase in that trade between this country and the West Indies.—Lincoln Journal.

VIRGINIA may be the mother of presidents and Kentucky of speakers of the house, but New York is decidedly and emphatically the mother of vice presidents. Eight New Yorkers—Aaron Burr, George Clinton, Daniel D. Tompkins, Martin Van Buren, Millard Fillmore, William A. Wheeler, Chester A. Arthur and Levi P. Morton—are on the roll already. Whitelaw Reid will make the ninth.

SPEAKING of "The Red, White and Blue," the Memphis Commercial says: "The republican's love for these colors is due to the fact that they are always associated in his mind with an appropriation. "Well, "hardly always," they used to float around Memphis when "the boys" thought they meant more than that, and democrats in Memphis thought so, too, didn't they? Our esteemed contemporary will do well not to sneer at the "colors." They are there to stay.

A COUNTRYMAN tells this story in the Cincinnati Times-Star: "When in the city we do not act half so idiotic as city folks do on a farm. Why, do you know that last summer a student from the Cincinnati university visited my farm, and one day when I started to get some young potatoes, took the basket from my hand and said he'd get them. Half an hour later he came back with an empty basket, saying he had hunted all over the patch and could find nothing but blossoms. There was not a single potato on the vines. I thought he would drop dead when I took the hoe and began digging them out of the ground. He said he thought they grew on top of the vines."

WHITELAW REID is described as a typical American by Chauncey M. Depew. Mr. Reid's career entitles him to this distinction. Starting out a poor boy at Xenia, Ohio, he educated himself, taught school, edited a small country paper, went to the war as a correspondent, won distinction as one of the best war correspondents of the Union army, became editor of the New York Tribune and then its proprietor, and distinguished himself as an American diplomat who could say what he meant and mean what he said to the people who once had a very different definition for diplomacy. Mr. Reid has not only been thoroughly American himself, but he has spread American ideas in his letters from the battle-field, in his editorial utterances in a great newspaper, and as a United States minister. No man better deserves the name typical American than the republican candidate for vice president.

ARIZONA AND NEW MEXICO.

The action of the house of representatives in passing a bill to admit Arizona and New Mexico to statehood will hardly find favor with the country. It is true Arizona, which is much the smaller of the two in population, had almost as many inhabitants in 1890 as Wyoming, which became a state in that year, Wyoming's total being a little above and Arizona's a little below the 60,000 mark, while New Mexico had about 153,000 at the time, surpassing Idaho and Nevada as well as Wyoming among the states. The objection to admission for these territories, however, is not based on any paucity of inhabitants, but chiefly on the character of those inhabitants. In both territories the percentage of illiteracy is very great. It is greater than in any other section of the west. A large part of the population are Mexicans, who know little and care little about the English language. That part of the national domain was obtained from Mexico forty or fifty years ago, and many of the people living in it are descendants of its residents of that period, and retain the language as well as the habits of thought of its original inhabitants. Immigration has transformed Texas and California, which also were formerly Mexican territory, into intelligent, enterprising and progressive American communities, but the Anglo-Saxon, Teuton and Celt have not found so many attractions in Arizona or New Mexico as in other parts of the west, and they consequently be r a comparatively small ratio to the aggregate population.

Of course, partisanship and not the question of fitness determined the course of the house in this matter. Both territories are strongly democratic in politics. Each is represented in the present house by a democratic delegate, and each, undoubtedly, as a state, would choose democratic electors in presidential canvasses. Therefore their admission in the present session of congress would be a great triumph for the democracy. The six electoral votes which they would have as states would come in exceedingly handy for that organization. On a close vote in the electoral college they might turn the scale in favor of the democrats. But the action of the house in this case is subject to revision in the senate, and the chances are entirely against the enactment of this bill this year. It will undoubtedly fail in the senate, but if it should by any accident or mischance pass that body it would encounter the presidential veto. Neither territory is ripe for admission yet, although each has been in its present stage for many years. Neither has grown as rapidly in population or in property as the other communities in their neighborhood, if Nevada be left out of the calculation. Their recent development may be along the right lines, but it is not at the right pace. It would scarcely be wise to let these territories in now. They are not yet fully prepared for the honors and responsibilities of statehood. Perhaps in a few years more their people may be fitted for self-government and the creditable performance of the duties of American citizens, and when this time comes the country will cheerfully confer on them the privileges and dignities which they seek.—Globe Democrat.

"THE TBRIFF IS A TAX (?)."

"The tariff is a tax," said the Syracuse "anti-snap" convention. The McKinley bill increased the tariff on Chemnitz hosiery, the increase amounting to 40 cents

a dozen on men's brown half hose. The foreign manufacturers reduced the price per dozen 78 cents.

These figures are from the Dry Goods Chronicle, a trade journal of established reputation for excellence. If the tariff is a tax it is evidently a tax on the foreigner. Perhaps that is what the Cleveland democracy means. It is partial to foreign interests as against American.—New York Press.

THE admission of England to-day that her free trade doctrine is a fallacy and a failure, while she urgently exhorts the United States to put the democratic party in power at once, suggests of course the old story of the fox who lost his tail in a trap. He exhorted all his friends and neighbors to shear off their own tails so as to be in fashion. Our democratic friends thinking that the British fox must necessarily be the pink of fashion, have for years held up their tails to the knife.—Lincoln Journal.

USUALLY as the approach of the presidential canvass closes trade is hurt and almost becomes dormant till after the election, but this year there is no depression in business circles on account of the canvass. The reason is every one is confident of the success of the republican party this year, and that reciprocity will be carried on for the next four years.

THE state board of equalization has fixed the assessed valuation of railroads of Nebraska at $20,339,731, an increase of $73,813 over last year. There are in the state 545.474 miles of railroad. The highest valuation is that of the B. & M., which is assessed at $11,800 per mile, and the lowest is the Omaha & Southern, $3,000 per mile.

THE workingmen of this country have received better wages under the Harrison administration than they ever received before, and they do not need any further argument to convince them that they ought to vote the republican ticket in November.—Globe-Democrat.

PLATTSMOUTH never does things by halves. She is going to have a Fourth of July celebration and will advertise the town properly this summer. She is bound to keep her place as the third city of the state.

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