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VOTE FOR PROSPERITY.

No man of candor and honesty will deny that the United States is very much more prosperous now than it was two years ago. The evidence of this is overwhelming. It is furnished in the activity of nearly all industries, in the unprecedented proportions of domestic and foreign commerce, in the earnings of the railroads, in the increased deposits of savings banks, in the liquidation of debts and in the larger currency circulation. The statistics which prove these facts show that the American people as a whole were never so prosperous as now in all their history and the outlook for the future, in the opinion of men whose judgment in such a matter is entitled to the highest consideration, is most favorable.

It is not necessary to discuss the causes of this fortunate condition. It is sufficient to know that it exists and to inquire as to what is essential to its continuance. The most essential thing is the maintenance of a sound currency, for which the election of a republican congress will give the best assurance.

A vote for a republican congressional candidate is a vote for prosperity. The election of a republican house will give assurance that the policies which have made prosperity will be maintained and if necessary strengthened.

Want to be reassured. The Cuban assembly, now in session, will decide the question of disbanding the Cuban army. It is stated that there is a strong opposition to disbandment under existing conditions and that the assembly may refuse to order it unless assured by President McKinley that he intends to observe the resolution of congress in regard to Cuban independence.

The registration of Chicago, now completed, is 60,000 short of what it was in 1896. The political weather prophets in the World's Fair city will evidently have to gamble on the stay-at-home vote this year.

The butterfly reformers plead guilty to having shamelessly betrayed their platform pledges and deliberately repudiated their oath of office, but ask the voters to give them another trial. The question is: Do the people of Nebraska want to be fooled a second time?

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Omaha's population has grown materially in the last year and its public school facilities are already taxed to their full capacity. As Omaha is bound to continue to grow, its school accommodations must be enlarged. That is the argument in a nutshell in favor of the school bond proposition on which the people are asked to vote at the coming election.

From the outset and probably cannot long hold office. If it shall favor the military party the opposition is strong enough to place all sorts of difficulties in its way, while if unfavorable to that power the probability is that it will not retain office a week.

There is no doubt as to the seriousness of the crisis in France. There is every reason to think that it will put the system of government there to the severest test it has ever been subjected to. All men who sincerely desire the maintenance of the French republic will hope for the triumph of the civil authority, for otherwise a sound republican system of government is not possible.

It is admitted on all hands that Douglas county is the pivotal point in the present campaign. If the republicans are to regain supremacy in Nebraska, it must come from the majority given in this county.

With that fact constantly held in view, The Bee has endeavored from the outset to impress upon the party managers the imperative necessity of nominating the best men who could be persuaded to accept nominations on the local ticket.

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DAVE BUILDS HIS OWN MONUMENT.

Work the Second District Congressman Has Done for His District. Blair Pilot. Few men are permitted to build their own monuments in the communities where their lives have been lived.

Step Up to the Wicket. Philadelphia Record. By an arrangement between the Post-office department and the government of Japan money orders can now be sent to Korea payable at the Japanese postoffice at Chemulpo, Seoul and other places in the Hermit Kingdom.

The President's Western Trip. During his western trip of two weeks President McKinley delivered eighty-eight speeches, several of which were carefully prepared orations, while others were merely extemporary remarks from the car platform.

Spanish "Fencible" Pinned Out. Baltimore American. Spanish official circles are said to be disappointed over the failure of the skillful strategy of her diplomats to minimize the consequences of the war.

No Room for Anybody But Men With Large Capital in This Town. J. L. Wheeler, Jr. in Leadville Weekly. Dew is so heavy that the stock is never watered, and the walk to every house is paved with heavy slabs cut from the trunk of an elm tree.

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SAVE US FROM SCIENCE.

Vast Amount of Humbug Masquerading Under the Name of Science. Civlized mankind, and particularly the English-speaking portion of it, is fond of humbugging itself.

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ECHOES OF THE LATE WAR.

During the early days of the blockade of Havana a report was current that disaster to one of the blockading fleet was narrowly averted. The report was indefinite and quickly passed into the category of war rumors.

About 2 o'clock one morning a steamer was reported running toward Havana. It was an ill-fated steamer, the report was that it would not be one of the blockaders.

The vessel ahead which answered their signal was perfectly safe. The signal was put on, and the Porter rushed up close on the quarter of the chase, well within torpedo distance, and still undischarged.

Harper's bear relates that during the war a certain old colonel who had served all through the civil war and who had lost one of his eyes at the battle of Gettysburg, was very indignant because he was put aside as physically incapacitated when he applied for admission to one of the New York volunteer regiments.

Colonel Smith of the First California tells a story of one of the recruits at the Presidio. This is an Irishman and he was doing guard duty. "Do you know your orders, soldier?"

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that a bankrupt's property cannot be needlessly sacrificed by foreclosure and forced sale of mortgaged property in the state courts. The federal courts have power in proper cases to restrain sales by injunction or a reasonable time to enable the trustee, when appointed, to turn the property into money and apply it to the mortgage debt and then to the just claims of creditors.

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