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new ones; but not by selecting from the best, but by taking some hair with it, but with robust healthy hair, and improve from that—Gardener's Monthly. The intensely odorous substance known as musk is obtained from the musk deer, a small animal, native to the mountainous district of Central Asia, and some parts of the Indian-Archipelago.

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Wheat Growing in Western Texas.

There is a time coming when the raising of wheat will be one of the most profitable agricultural industries in this section of the State. It is not generally known that both the soil of at least three-fourths of the unoccupied land extending in every direction from this city occupies, as well as the climate, is especially favorable to the growth of winter wheat. It is no longer a question of experiment, but a demonstrated fact. Dr. W. G. Kingsbury of this city is today harvesting a field of twenty-two acres, sown with seed brought from Missouri, which he is confident will yield thirty-five bushels to the acre, but which his harvesters feel certain will yield forty bushels. The grain is plump, clean, and fine, and is superior to most of the northern brands as they reach this part of the world. His farm is in the neighborhood of Doerme, nearly fifty miles north westward from this city. There are thousands of acres in that vicinity, and between here and there, just as well adapted to the culture of wheat as his own field, which can be bought for less than five dollars per acre. It is not a crop to be sown among the hills lying north and westward of this city that is in any of the old wheat growing States. Virginia in her palest days never averaged as much nor as large a production as the acre as this whole region is capable of. And yet these rich lands are lying waste, are cheaper than those of the northwestern States where the winter hibernates the inhabitants into idleness in the year, and where the struggle for a bare subsistence is unceasing.

We say in all candor and truthfulness, since when the tide of emigration has set in this direction when it becomes known how productive is this region if the same skill and labor be employed as in other and less favored sections of the country, there will be developed an abundance of solid wealth in Texas not only equal to the wealth of any other State in the Union, but also equal to the wealth of any other State in the world. The soil is rich, the climate is healthy, and the people are energetic. The only thing which will spring from the soil and labor, which are now unimpaired, and not the least of these mines of prosperity are the winter wheat fields, which shall cover the rolling globe now given over to the wild grass and the mesquite bush.

General Statement.

The history of the world shows that the greater generals have also been the wisest and purest statesmen. The far-sighted exceptions were fortunate or accidental, achieving reputations as commanders of great armies because they occupied positions where they could command credit for deeds done without their knowledge or consent. History has generally disclosed the fraud, however, so that even while governments were arbitrary, the responsibility, as well as the credit, finally attached to the person to whom it justly belonged. In modern times, and especially in our own country, where the utmost freedom of speech and of the press has been and is indulged in by the characters, and abilities of public men are as well if not more readily weighed while they are living as after their decease. Their virtues and vices are extended we deemed according to the friendship or animosity of the person who undertakes to strengthen or weaken the cause in hand. But the people were living, as well as those who shall come after us have an instinctive disposition to follow after and adopt great truths. The rule of passion is but the rule of man; the rule of reason is the ultimate power which controls in this age.

Now we repeat, in great candor and truthfulness, that the opportunity presented, exhibit equally great capacities of statesmanship. The reason is, that the same acuteness of perception, combined with the same capacity for broad and far-reaching generalization, is as much needed in successful statesmanship as the same acuteness of perception, combined with the same capacity for broad and far-reaching generalization, is as much needed in successful statesmanship as the same acuteness of perception, combined with the same capacity for broad and far-reaching generalization, is as much needed in successful statesmanship.

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