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REMARKS IN REGARD TO

TEXAS

The following editorial appeared in the
Saint Louis Republican
Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1883:

"There is wide complaint of want of laborers in Texas. This is especially true in the leading towns and cities. Mechanics, capable and efficient men, in almost any calling, could find employment in that State. The negroes furnish most of the labor in the cotton districts, and the services of all of them will be needed in picking the large and heavy crop. The towns of Texas continue to grow with almost unequaled rapidity, and the prospect is that they will continue to do so. The influx of population to the Southwest will probably rather increase in volume than fall off. This growth will insure prosperity and a demand for labor for years to come. It is likely that industrious men could find no better field than Texas."

TEXAS WEALTH

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 24.
Special to Chicago Tribune.

Gov. Ireland, it is learned is discussing the advisability of calling an extra session of the Legislature that the rate of taxation may be cut down. Texas has been on a big boom for twelve months past. The increase in taxable values surpasses all expectations. Some Counties report as high as a \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 increase. The Governor admits that it is nearly twice as large as he anticipated. Complete returns will show the State is nearly \$100,000,000 richer in taxable value than at this time last year.

The Tide of

IMMIGRATION

Has for the past year been steadily turning to the Southwest, and the best class of settlers from the Western Northern and Eastern States and all Foreign Countries are now pouring into the Great State of Texas at the rate of 20,000 per month all on account of the superiority of the country for General Farming, Stock Raising, Healthfulness, Salubrity of Climate.

Now is the time to go to Texas!

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