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CHAUNCEY DEPEW takes a very sensible view of the matter. He says: "The result could not be attributed to any one person or party of persons. New York alone did not effect the result. It was the whole country. The people wanted a change of policy more than of candidates and they will have it."

SHORTLY before the McKinley bill went into effect the keen-eyed merchant warned the people to buy liberally and store goods away for future use, as prices were bound to advance when the new tariff law became effective. Now the eastern brokers are advising their patrons to buy liberally because of an inevitable advance in prices incident to a reduction of customs duties. With the keen-eyed broker it is "heads, I win; tails, you lose."

EDITOR MEDILL of the Chicago Tribune who has always entertained a sincere admiration of Mr. Blaine, admits that the nomination of the "man from Maine" at Minneapolis would not have changed the result of the recent election. He thinks Blaine's popularity might have somewhat modified the democratic victory, but that it would not have altered the general verdict. Mr. Medill is persuaded that personal considerations have nothing to do with the matter; that it was a contest of principles and policies, and that the outcome clearly indicates the dissatisfaction of the people with the doctrine of protection. Mr. Medill does not venture this opinion as a tariff reformer, which he is at heart, but merely as a thoughtful and intelligent observer of the situation.

SENATOR PERKINS of Kansas is one of those who thinks that the tariff did not have all to do with the result of the national election. He lays the responsibility for republican defeat largely upon the national committee, which he charges with mismanagement in neglecting the republican sections of the country. "I believe our defeat is due to the rainbow chasing of the republican national committee," said Senator Perkins. "Instead of giving their attention to the republican sections of the country, they neglected and overlooked the republican states almost entirely. They dissipated and wasted their efforts where there was no reason to expect republican success." This is in line with the opinion expressed by the Bee in discussing the causes of republican defeat, and while criticism of those who had the management of the campaign is of no consequence now, it is well to have it understood that democratic victory was not due wholly or mainly to popular dissatisfaction with the tariff policy of the republican party.—Bee.

THE republican party is not dismayed by defeat now any more than it was in 1856 or 1884. It accepts occasional disaster as a part of the fortunes of politics under a popular form of government. The democracy will now be put upon trial. From 1885 to 1889 it was hedged in by a republican senate. Now, with the aid of the populists of the senate, it will have a majority, and after the 4th of March next will be in power. It must do one of two things, either abandon its hostility to protection or put that hostility into practical effect. The republican party as a political organization can afford to await with equanimity the result, and as to the effects upon the industrial interest of the country of a return to free trade, if such a return should be made, in whole or in part, they would be no worse for republicans than for democrats. Hard times, like good times, are shared by the people, irrespective of party. With the republicans unflinching in their loyalty to protection that fundamental principle is in no danger of overthrow. The sun may be eclipsed, but its fires cannot be put out.

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MR. RICHARD CROKER is very frank in speaking about the federal patronage. "I am in favor of the democrats taking the possession of the offices," he says: "Now that we have won, I think that the democrats should have the full results of their victory." The pious mugwumps who helped elect Mr. Cleveland because they believed him to be a civil service reformer can see no promise in this quiet but firm declaration of Tammany principles. The price for New York is all the federal officers at the command of the incoming administration.—Journal.

THE London Specular is vigorously reproved by the New York Sun for speaking of part of the United States as the "eastern provinces." As a rule the sun is very good authority on everything outside of politics, but in this case the reproach is not entirely a fair one. The eastern states are in many respects entirely provincial, and do not seem to be overcoming that youthful fault as they grow older. The real center of the life of this republic is now west of the Alleghenies.—Journal.

No matter who is president, industry, honesty and economy will give every American citizen a good living, besides something to lay by for a rainy day. There is no danger that the dial of progress which has been sweeping forward so rapidly since the republicans came into power will be turned back by a single republican defeat. Let us be cheerful. The democracy doesn't want free trade half so badly as it wants the offices. As soon as it fills its belly it will go to sleep and the legislation of the republican congress will remain practically undisturbed.—Journal.

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