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NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, BENJAMIN HARRISON, of Indiana. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, LEVI P. MORTON, of New York.

Mr. BLAINE has been coaching through England and Scotland at the expense of Mr. Carnegie.—Journal.

We suppose the Journal measures its readers' intelligence by its editorial standard. Such watery falsehoods are worthy the barroom loafer.

WHEN a democratic Journal gets "so far gone" on the tariff question that it refers to the difference between England and Mexico in industrial affairs as an argument why free trade should be adopted in this country it is high time for the insane commission to sit. The matter should not be postponed, Mr. Showalter do your duty.

Those who are crying free whisky to the republicans will please read the following: "We declare for the immediate abolition of the internal revenue system, whereby our national government is deriving support from our greatest national vice."—Prohibition Platform.

"If there shall still remain a larger revenue than is requisite for the wants of the government, we favor the entire repeal of the internal taxes rather than surrender any part of our protective system at joint behest of the whisky trust and the agents of foreign manufacturers."

In the face of this above how silly and nonsensical the cry of free whisky becomes. A man who has the elements of fairness in his make-up, will cease to use it in an argument.

THE Journal wants to know why Mexico is not better off than it is, as it is a high tariff country. We will answer: Twelve years ago Mexico did not have a tariff that would support her government, laborers only got 12 1/2 cents per day. Since she has taxed everything 100 per cent, she has commenced to build manufacturing, the country is prospering and labor has tripled as the cheapest labor that can be had today is 37 1/2 cts. per day, and if she keeps up her high tariff, railroads will be built and manufacturing will rise up and it will be one of the grandest countries on the face of the globe, so much for high tariff and protection.

THE Journal seems to imagine that the working men of Plattsmouth are not right bright. From a free trade fact he states his proposition that "the object of protection is to raise the price on manufactured goods." The Journal ought to know better than this. The working men know better. Then the Journal farther says the working man has nothing but his labor to sell. Well suppose he has nothing but his labor to sell; the Journal would destroy that value to the working man and it is that commodity that the republican party defends. In defending it, both the man that labors and the man that hires and pays have got to be protected. Does the democratic party propose to keep out the cheap labor of Europe? Not much! It is indifferent on that score. The working men of this country understand that unless the manufacturer is protected their wages go down to the English scale and that the necessities of life will cost them then, just as much, with that low scale, as it does today with almost double the Englishman's wages. No amount of hog-wash will get the American working man's attention from the main question and fool him into cutting his own throat by supporting a party that says our home markets should be broken down. The working man becomes very much fatigued by such arguments.

HOW IT WORKS. In answer to many inquiries regarding the permanency of cures wrought by St. Jacobs Oil to which public attention has been specifically called in many varied forms, the following serves as a most excellent example of how the great remedy performs its miracles and what is meant by a permanent cure. Hundreds have testified to the same effect. Mr. J. E. Bonsall, Prothonotary New Bloomfield, Perry Co., Pa., in 1881 was permanently cured of rheumatism. From the age of 15 to 48, about 34 years, he had suffered acutely at times from that dread disease and at the date specified, he was permanently cured by St. Jacobs Oil. In proof of this, he writes in 1886 that he has had

no recurrence of rheumatic pains since his relief in 1881. Again in April, 1888, he writes as follows: "My health continues good; no return of rheumatism since 1881 when cured by St. Jacobs Oil. I receive letters from all parts asking about my miraculous cure after 30 years suffering."

HE'S NO DEMOGOGUE! OH NO!

To repeal the internal revenue tax is to act in the interest of monopolies, says the Journal. The stupidity of such an assertion renders it almost a misdemeanor to notice it. A tax on the foreigner who seeks our markets with his wares is in favor of monopolies, while the direct war tax on home productions favors the people; and the man who perpetrates his chestnut on the suffering public claims to teach the people great truths touching the industrial question of the hour!

Birds' Skin for Grafts. Dr. Radard has communicated to the Paris Academy of Medicine some observations regarding the advantages of the skin of bird for grafts on wounds of human beings. It takes the skin from beneath the wing of a chicken, carefully securing the subjacent cellular tissue, but avoiding the adipose tissue. The transplanted tissues varied from a sixth to a third of an inch in size, and they were maintained in position by means of a little cotton wool and iodoform gauze. The skin of birds and fowls has the advantage of being supple, delicate and vascular, and is readily adapted to the surface of a wound, where it adheres without undergoing absorption. In a case of severe burn of the scalp of eight months' standing in a child two years old he obtained rapid cicatrization by means of grafts from a fowl. The wound measured 3 inches by 2 1/2, and completely healed in two months.—Boston Budget.

A Way to Keep Flowers. At a recent horticultural meeting flowers were exhibited in a glass filled with water and fitted with a wide and flat stopper. To the stopper the flowers were attached and then carefully introduced into the water in the globe, the stopper completely filling the mouth of the globe and being wide enough to stand safely. By turning the whole arrangement so that it stood on the stopper, the flowers were left completely surrounded by water. The water impregnated the flowers and a pleasing optical illusion is the result. Flowers thus preserved will keep twice as long as those in the air.—Detroit Free Press.

Strychnine vs. Alcohol. According to recent experiments strychnine undoubtedly neutralizes the intoxicating and narcotic effects of alcohol. It enables large quantities of alcohol to be taken for a considerable stretch of time without causing the usual organic lesions which follow the use of alcohol alone. Therapeutically, strychnine should be used in all forms of alcoholism; it may be regarded as a powerful prophylactic against alcoholism.—Frank Leslie's.

Talking to a Severed Head. The experiment of talking to the severed head of a victim of the guillotine immediately after the knife has fallen has been tried over again at Bone, France. The doctor seized the head as it fell from the guillotine and spoke a few words to it. He alleges that from the movements of the man's eyes and mouth he is certain that the head understood and tried to reply.—Chicago Herald.

Quick Fencing for Railways. Railway companies in Australia, after experimenting with various kinds of "quick fencing for railways, especially with a view to keeping out snow drifts," have settled upon hedges of the "rose of Providence." It is said that a fence 6 1/2 feet high and 3 1/2 thick will check snow drifts. The blossoms are salubrious, and so the fence is profitable.—New York Sun.

Did It in Self Defense. Wife—This is a pretty hour for you to be coming home! It has just struck 12. (The husband begins beating the clock with his cane.) Now, what are you beating the clock for?

Hard Wood from Soft. A patent material said to have all the properties of lignum vitæ is prepared in Leipzig, by M. Stockhardt, from ordinary soft wood. The wood is first impregnated with oil, then subjected to great pressure, causing a considerable increase in density.—Arkansas Traveler.

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A Warning. The modes of death's approach are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from disease of the throat and lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs producing Consumption and to the head, causing Catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to continue will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your throat, lungs or nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boscabe's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The Republicans of the United States, assembled in their national convention, have chosen for the threshold of their proceedings to honor the memory of their first great leader and martyr, Abraham Lincoln, and to reaffirm the rights of the people, Abraham Lincoln, and to cover also with wreaths of imperishable remembrance and gratitude the heroic names of our later leaders who have been more recently called away from our councils, Grant, Garfield, Arthur, Logan and Conkling, and who have also with our greetings and prayer for his recovery the name of one of our greatest statesmen, William H. Seward.

In the spirit of those great leaders and of our devotion to human liberty, and with a firm belief in the fundamental idea of the republican party, we send fraternal congratulations to the people of the United States, and to the great act of emancipation which completed the abolition of slavery throughout the two Americas, and which has carried the hope of Irish birth upon the peaceful recovery of home and the restoration of the Republic.

WE AFFIRM OUR UNSWERVING DEVOTION to the national constitution and to the independence and integrity of the territory reserved to the states under the constitution, to the personal rights and liberties of citizens in all states and territories, to the equal and impartially to the supreme and sovereign right of every citizen, rich or poor, native or foreign born, white or black, to elect one free ballot and to be elected, and to have that ballot duly counted. We hold a free and honest popular ballot and an equal representation of all people to be the foundation of our republican government and demand effective legislation to secure the integrity and purity of elections which are the fountains of all public authority. We charge that the present administration and the democratic majority in congress have conspired to suppress the suppression of the ballot by the criminal nullification of the constitution and laws of the United States. We are uncompromisingly in favor of the American system of protection. We protest against the destruction proposed by the present administration of the tariff laws of the United States. They serve the interests of Europe.

WE WILL SUPPORT INTERESTS OF AMERICA. We accept the issue and cordially appeal to the people for their judgment. The protective system must be maintained. Its abandonment has always been followed by a depression of all interests except those of the unscrupulous and selfish. We denounce the Mills' bill as destructive to general business, labor, and the farming interests of the country, and we heartily endorse the consistent and patriotic opposition of the republican representatives in congress in opposing its passage. We condemn the proposition of the democratic party to place the tariff in the hands of the executive, and we demand that the tariff be adjusted and maintained so as to furnish full and adequate protection to that industry.

The republican party would effect all needed reduction of the national revenue by repealing the tax on alcohol, and by reducing the duties on raw materials, and the tax upon spirits used in the arts and for mechanical purposes. The duties on raw materials and spirits used to check imports of such articles as are produced by our people, the production of which is an employment to our labor, and release from import duties these articles of foreign production, except spirits, the like of which the United States produces, and which still remain a larger revenue than is requisite for the wants of government, of internal taxes rather than the imposition of a tariff law. The system at the joint behest of the whisky trust and agents of foreign manufacturers.

AGAINST FOREIGN LABOR AND CAPITAL. We declare hostile to the introduction into this country of foreign labor and capital, and Chinese labor alien to our civilization and our constitution, and we demand that the present administration and the democratic majority in congress and the state legislatures in their respective jurisdictions such legislation as will prevent the execution of such laws, and that the people be made aware of the transportation of their products to foreign markets.

PUBLIC LAND LEGISLATION. We repudiate the policy of appropriating the public lands of the United States to be homesteads for American citizens and settlers not aliens, which the republican party established in 1820 against the persistent opposition of the democrats in congress, which has brought our great western domain into a state of complete desolation. The restoration of abandoned grants to the public domain for the use of actual settlers, which was begun under the administration of President Arthur, should be continued. We deny that the democratic party has ever restored one acre to the people, but declares that by the joint action of republicans and democrats about any million acres of unearned lands, originally granted for the reclamation of arid lands, have been returned to the public domain in pursuance of conditions inserted by the republican party in the original grants. We demand that the democratic administration with failure to execute laws securing to settlers title to their homesteads and with using public lands made for the purpose of passing innocent settlers, with sales and prosecutions under the false pretense of disposing of lands and violating the law.

THE GOVERNMENT BY CONGRESS OF THE TERRITORIES. The government by congress of the territories is based upon necessity only to the end that they may become states in the union; therefore, whenever the colonies are able to support their own material resources, public intelligence and moral resources, such as to insure stable local governments and the protection of their rights, no further aid should be permitted, a right inherent in them, to form for themselves constitutions and state governments, and to admit them into the union. Pending preparation for statehood all officers thereof should be selected from bona fide citizens of the territory, who are qualified to serve. South Dakota should of right be immediately admitted as a state in the union; the constitution framed and adopted by her people, and we heartily endorse the action of the republican senate in twice passing bills for the admission of North Dakota and Montana territories to form constitutions and establish state governments, should be passed without unnecessary delay. The republican party pledges itself to do all in its power to facilitate the admission of the territories of New Mexico, Idaho, Utah, Arizona to the enjoyment of self-government as states. Such of them as are now qualified as soon as possible, and others as soon as they may become so.

THE MOROCCO QUESTION. The political power of the Moroccan church in the territories exercised in the past is a menace to the free and equal rights of the people long suffered. Therefore we pledge the republican party to appropriate legislation, asserting the right of the people to the territories where the same is questioned, and in furtherance of that end to place upon the Moroccan church, a strict and uncompromising embargo to divorce political from ecclesiastical power, and thus stamp out the attendant wickedness of polygamy and the sale of women. The republican party is in favor of the use of both gold and silver as money, and condemns the policy of the present administration in its efforts to demonetize silver. We demand the reduction of letter postage to a cent per ounce.

In a Republic the death of the citizen is the sovereign and the official the servant, where no power is exercised except by the will of the people, it is important that the sovereign people should possess intelligence. The free school is the premier and the best institution which is to preserve a free nation. Therefore, the state or nation, or both combined, should support free institutions of learning sufficient to afford to every child growing up in the land the opportunity of a good common-school education.

OUR MERCHANT MARINE. We earnestly recommend that prompt action be taken in congress in the enactment of such legislation as will best secure the rehabilitation of our American merchant marine, and we protest against the passage by congress of a free ship bill as calculated to work injustice to labor by lessening the wages of those engaged in repairing materials as well as those directly employed in our shippings. We demand appropriations for the early rebuilding of our navy, for the construction of coast fortifications and modern ordnance and other approved modern means of defense for the protection of our defenseless harbors and cities, for the payment of just pensions to our soldiers, for necessary works of national importance in the improvement of the harbors and channels of internal navigation, and for the encouragement of the encouragement of

the shipping interests of the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific states as well as for the payment of the maturing public debt. This policy will give employment to our labor, activity to our various industries, increased security to our country, promote trade, open new and direct markets for our products and cheapen the cost of transportation. We affirm this to be far better for our country than the democratic policy of loaning the government's money without interest to "pet banks."

FOREIGN RELATIONS. The conduct of foreign affairs by the present administration has been distinguished by inefficiency and cowardice. Having withdrawn from the senate all pending treaties effected by republican administrators for the removal of foreign burdens and restrictions upon our commerce and for its extension into a better market, it has neither affected nor proposed any change in our policy. Professing adherence to the Monroe doctrine, it has seen with idle complacency the extension of foreign influence in Central America and the West Indies everywhere among our neighbors. It has refused to charter, sanction or encourage any American organization for constructing the Nicaragua canal, a work of vital importance to the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine and of our national influence in Central and South America, and necessary for the development of trade with our Pacific territory, with South America, and with the further coasts of the Pacific Ocean.

FISHERIES QUESTION. We arraign the present democratic administration for its weak and impartial treatment of the fisheries question, and its pusillanimous surrender of all privileges to which our fishery vessels are entitled in Canadian ports under the ports of the United States. We condemn the legislation of 1830 and comity of nations, and which Canadian fishing vessels receive in the ports of the United States. We condemn the policy of the present administration and the democratic majority in congress towards fisheries as unfriendly and unbecomingly un-patriotic and as tending to destroy a valuable national industry and an indispensable resource of defense against foreign enemies.

The name of American applies alike to all citizens of the republic, and imposes upon men alike the duty of citizenship. It is not to be the paucity and safeguard of him who wears it, should shield and protect him whether high or low, rich or poor, in all his civil rights. It should and must afford him protection at home and follow and protect him abroad in whatever he may be on a lawful errand.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM. The men who abandoned the republican party in 1884 and continue to adhere to the democratic party have deserted not only the cause of honest government, but of sound finance, of freedom and purity of the ballot, but especially have deserted the cause of the citizen in civil service. We will not fail to keep our pledges because they have broken theirs, or because their candidate has broken his. We therefore repeat our declaration of 1884: "The reform of civil service auspiciously begun under republican administration should be completed by a further extension of the reform system already established by law to all grades of the service to which it is applied. The spirit and purpose of reform should be observed in all executive appointments, and all laws at variance with the object of effecting reform legislation should be repealed, and that the danger to free institutions which lurk in the power of official patronage may be wisely and effectively averted."

Republican State Convention. The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention at the city of Lincoln Thursday, August 23, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following state offices.

- Lieutenant Governor. Secretary of State. State Treasurer. Auditor of Public Accounts. Attorney General. Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings. And the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

THE APPOINTMENT. The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. Samuel Maxwell, judge, in 1887, giving one delegate at large to each county, and for each 150 votes, and major fraction thereof:

Table with 2 columns: COUNTIES, VOTES. Lists counties and their corresponding votes for the Republican State Convention.

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention except such as are held by persons residing in the counties from which the proxies are given.

To Chairmen County Central Committees. WHEREAS, At the republican state convention held at Lincoln October 5, 1887, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the state central committee be instructed to embrace in its call for the next state convention the submission of the prohibition question to the republican voters at the republican primaries.

Therefore, in accordance with the above resolution, the several county central committees are hereby instructed to include in their call for their next county convention the submission of the prohibition question to the republican voters at the republican primaries. Geo. D. MEIKLEJOHN, Chairman. WALTER SHELLEY, Secretary.

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