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FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 1888.

A WANDERER FROM THE FOLD.

The following solid chunk of wisdom we take from the Statesman this morning: "If the choice should have to be made of taking the tax off whisky or relinquishing a part of the protective duties, then, we say, retain the duties for protection." This we are to accept as republican doctrine. This is the declaration of a party, we are to assume, which gave us free schools, a free homestead to every settler, which destroyed slavery, and whose course has ever been along the path of progress and reform.

But our snug local cotemporary has other views. He is willing to deluge the country with free whisky so that the duty on household necessities may be retained. High priced clothing and heavily taxed lumber to preserve our sacred protective policy unimpaird, but untaxed whisky can be set a-flowing from every still in the land. What an atrocious political policy to promulgate!

The Statesman editor calls this republicanism; and the writer who shares persuasion against such torpidity and perversion is promptly disposed of as "a malicious ass." His wisdom is superior to Mr. Blaine's, then, who solemnly cautioned his fellow-countrymen in a letter from Paris against the repeal of the whisky tax. "Other considerations than those of financial considerations," wrote that profound statesman, "are to be taken into account with regard to whisky. To cheaper the price of whisky is to increase its consumption enormously."

The doctrine offered us for acceptance, and which should be taught our boys and girls in school, is "take the tax off whisky, but retain the duties for protection." Is this republicanism? The Statesman professes to be a republican sheet, of the straightest sock, and is most intolerant of those who dissent from its teachings. We grieve to think that our republican fathers, in their wide divergence from this political evangel, must come under our young friend's condemnation. Garfield, who will perhaps be regarded as good a republican as the Statesman editor, said, "I am for a protection which leads to ultimate free trade. I am for that free trade which can only be achieved through a reasonable protection." No free whisky in that.

In his message of 1884 President Arthur said:

In my annual message of 1882 I recommend the abolition of all excise taxes except those on distilled spirits. A recommendation, now renewed. In case these taxes shall be abolished, the revenue that will remain to the government will, in my opinion, not only suffice to meet its reasonable

expenditures, but will afford a surplus large enough to admit such tariff reductions as may seem advisable.

Arthur was convivial in his tastes, but he had the sense to see, and was good enough republican to know, that a reduction of the tax on imported works of art, on garden seeds, on performing elephants and such like, was to be preferred to untaxed spirits.

In his annual report for 1883, Mr. Folger said: "The existing duties on raw materials to be used in manufacture, should be removed. This can be done in the interest of our foreign trade." President Arthur had three secretaries of the treasury, Folger, Gresham and McCulloch; all strict republicans, as republicanism was understood in that day, and all revenue reformers.

The modification of the tariff recommended by the tariff commission of 1883, President Arthur thought to be inadequate, and in calling attention to the fact that "our system of tax and tariff legislation is yielding a revenue which is in excess of the present needs of the government," he gave two reasons for lightening the tax: "That the revenue may be so reduced as no longer to tax the people; that protective duties may be relieved without becoming burdensome." The original republican doctrine of 1868 justifies such views. "It is due to the laborer of the nation that taxation should be equalized and reduced as rapidly as the national faith will admit."

This editor has been in the republican field since it was first set up in 1856 and has based his political belief on such doctrine as the above. He has thought with Mr. Blaine that public morals were before excise receipts, and with Mr. Folger that our manufactures were of more importance than an import tax, and such is his present conviction, in which he is sustained by republican utterances of the last quarter of a century. The editor of the Statesman may sit up such beathen gods as his perverted taste may choose; but he cannot expect his readers to join in his devotion to "free whisky," or to approve his ill bred and injurious cry of "malicious ass," hurled at every man who dares to stand by the true faith.

WANTS THE TAX RETAINED.

Senator Mitchell being asked how he regarded the proposed reduction of duty on lumber in the senate tariff bill, said he was opposed to it. The lumber men in Canada would ship their product to this country, and undersell our own operators. Gov. Penoyer, when asked to sign a petition to congress to retain the duty on lumber, said: "Do you think that I am such a goose that I cannot compete with these fellows across the line in getting out my lumber? I have no right to tax you or any other man to support my business." A San Francisco correspondent of the New York Tribune says the lumber trust in California has put \$1,500,000 in the pockets of its members the last year, and settlement on the coast is discouraged by the increased cost of building and the vexatious restrictions imposed. With these facts existing, perhaps it would be a safe thing for Mr. Mitchell to let the lumber men take care of themselves and give the poor settler a show. The greatest happiness in the greatest number has always been considered sound republican doctrine.

ILLUSTRATED WRITE-UPS.

The Butte (Mont.) Inter Mountain has no high opinion of the illustrated write-ups, that have become a staple industry. It says:

The Northwest Magazine of St. Paul has selected the thriving town of Missoula as its next victim. The succeeding issue of that journal will be devoted to an illustrated write-up of the Garden City, which will thus get the first black eye in its history. Butte is but just receiving from a similar visitation a year ago, which cost \$2,000 and did \$2,000,000 worth of damage on account of the pictures and villainously ridiculous and incorrect description of the resources of the district. But there is one redeeming feature of the proposed invasion of Missoula. A lady is to do the writing. She will be a big improvement over the goggle-eyed tramp who canvassed and wrote up Butte. He was neither a lady nor a gentleman.

A sloop capsized off Newcastle, Del., on Wednesday evening, and four ladies and a child were drowned. Three men were picked up by a tug boat. The party had been to a picnic, and returning encountered a storm.

G. Rosenblatt, chief clerk of the Mutual Life, and the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance companies' office, Portland is at the Cheusekete.

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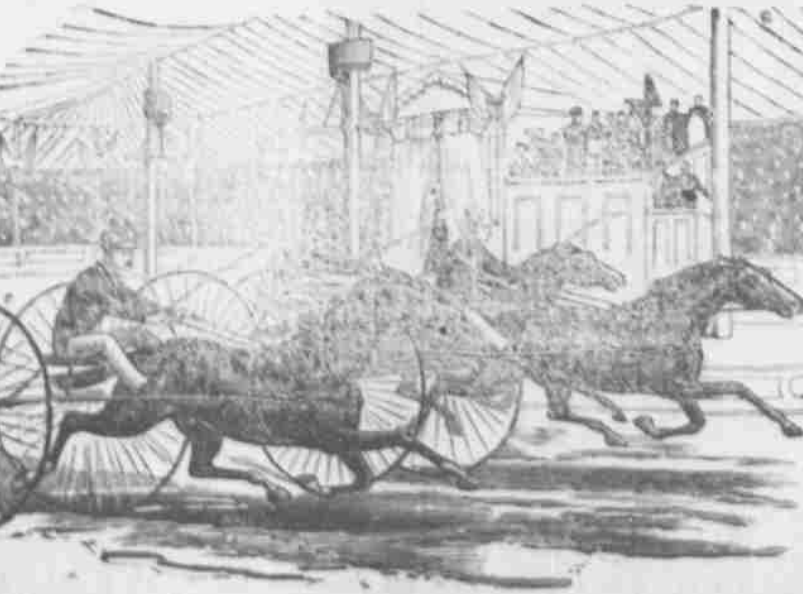
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